To
The Pay & Accounts Officer
Ministry of Tribal Affairs
Shastri Bhavan,
New Delhi.

Sub: Grant-in-aid to Andaman Adim Janjati Vikas Samiti, Secretariat Complex, Port Blair, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, an autonomous society of UT Administration of A&N Islands under the Scheme of Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PTG) for the year 2016-17.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President for release of an amount of Rs.43,00,000/- (Rupees Forty Three Lakhs Only) as 1st instalment on ad-hoc basis to the Andaman Adim Janjati Vikas Samiti, Secretariat Complex, Port Blair, Andaman & Nicobar Islands towards Grant-in-Aid (General) under the Central Sector Scheme of “Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups” for the year 2016-17 for the activities under Annual Plan for 2016-17.

2. The actual expenditure would be incurred only after the Annual Plan of the concerned State is approved by the Project Appraisal Committee (PAC) of Ministry of Tribal Affairs.

3. The grant-in-aid shall be subject to provisions of GFR, 2005.

4. The works/activities shall be taken up in accordance with an implementation schedule drawn by Tribal Development Department of the State and submitted to the Ministry.

5. The Utilization Certificate for non-recurring and recurring grant will be submitted by the State Govt. to the Ministry as per Rule 212 of the GFR 205 in Form GFR-19-A.

6. The State Government shall ensure that there is no unspent balance out of this grant left with them at the end of current financial year. The Unspent balance, if any, will be surrendered to the Ministry of Tribal Affairs.

7. The financial assistance as provided under the scheme has been approved by Ministry of Finance. It shall be utilized for the purpose it has been sanctioned and for the welfare of members of PTGs only.
8. The financial assistance given to ITDPs/ITDAs and TRIs should be deemed to have been given to the State Government concerned and rules and regulation governing the grants-in-aid to States/UTs shall apply to them.

9. Physical and financial Progress in respect of activities to be undertaken in this regard shall be reported every quarter.

10. The Drawing and Disbursing Officer of this Ministry is authorized to prepare bill for an amount of Rs. 43,00,00/- (Rupees Forty Three Lakhs Only) and Pay & Accounts Office is authorized to pleased the payment to Andaman Adim Janjati Vikas Samiti, Secretariat Complex, Port Blair, Andaman & Nicobar islands an autonomous society of UT Administration of A&N Islands through electronic transfer directly in their saving/current account no.33370884924 in State Bank of India branch at Port Blair and IFSC Code No.SBIN000156.

11. The implementing agency shall allow the representative of this Ministry or the independent agency appointed by this Ministry or the State Government to inspect actual working of the scheme.

12. No UC is due for rendition.

13. The expenditure to the tune of Rs.43,00,000/- (Rupees Forty Three Lakhs Only) is deitable to the

Major Head ‘3601’ –Grants –in-aid to State Governments
Sub-major Head 03 –Grants for State Plan Schemes
Minor Head 796 – Tribal Area Sub-Plan
19- Umbrella Scheme for Development of STs
01- Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs)
19.01.31- Grants-in-Aid General(Charged)
Demand No– 89 for 2016-17 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs


15. The sanction has been noted at S.No.8 of the Sanction Register.

(Reema Sharma)
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India
Copy to:
1. The Executive Secretary, Andaman Adim Janjati Vikas Samiti, Secretariat Complex, Port Blair, Andaman & Nicobar Islands

2. The Director of Audit, Central Revenue, I.P. Estate, New Delhi.

3. Auditor General, Accountant General Office, UT Administration of Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Port Blair,

4. Secretary/Commissioner, Tribal Development Department, UT Administration of Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Port Blair.(with the request to inspect the organisation and submit an Inspection Report within 6 months).

5. Bill Copy/Sanction Folder

6. Director, Tribal Research Institute, UT Administration of Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Port Blair.

7. The CCA, Ministry of Tribal Affairs.

8. The Director, NIC with request to place the sanction letter on the website of the Ministry for atleast for two months.

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