

F.No.11015/05(14)/2017-Grant
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110115
Dated: 21.06.2017

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Tribal Affairs,
Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi-110115.

Subject: Grants under Proviso to Article 275(1) of Constitution during 2017-18 to the State of Maharashtra as 3rd installment (Grants-in-aid-General-Recurring).


Sir,

In continuation of this Ministry's sanction letter of even no. dated 09.05.2017 and 19.05.2017, I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of **Rs. 10,60,45,000/- (Rupees Ten Crore Sixty Lakh Fourty Five Thousand Only)**, as 3rd installment to the Government of **Maharashtra** towards Grant-in-aid-General for **Grants under Article 275(1) of Constitution** for the year 2017-18 to carry out the following activities approved/finalized by PAC in its meeting dated 22.05.2017:

(Rs. in Lakh)						
Sl. No.	Project	Year of first Approval	Location/ District	Total Project Estimate	Amount Already Released	Amount approved for release during 2017-18
1	Construction of two EMRS	2016-17	(i) Nasik, (ii) Girchiroli	2400.00	400.00	2000.00
2	Construction of one EMRS	2016-17	Khireparsoda, Tal. Ramtek, Dist. Nagpur	1350.00	500.00	450.00
3.	Construction of one EMRS	2016-17	Sahashra Kund, Tal. Kinwat Dist. Nanded	1600.00	1200.00	400.00
Total:				5350.00	2100.00	2850.00

New Proposals:

(Rs. in Lakh)			
S. No.	Activity	Location	Amount approved for release during 2017-18
1.	Construction of 2 New EMRS Total Cost: Rs. 2400.00 Lakh	Nandurbar (Dhadgaon) & Padharkawada (PVTG- Kolam)	400.00


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S. No.	Activity	Location	Amount approved for release during 2017-18
2.	Running of 14 Ekalavya Model Residential School (EMRSs) 3960 students	Thane (Bordi), Nasik (Mundhegaon), Amravati (Chikhaldara), Nagpur (KhairiParsoda), Nandurbar, Gadchiroli (Tal Ettapalli), Gondiya (Tal. Deori), Nashik (Lgatpuri), Bhatsanagar, Nasik (Tal Satana), Ahmad Nagar(Tal Akole), Nanded (Shahstrakund), Dhule (Pimpalner), Rajura (Devada)	1663.20
3.	Recurring Grants for 2 EMRS Nashik & Gadchiroli Beneficiaries – 60 students	Nashik & Gadchiroli	25.20
4.	Upgradation and renovation science laboratory in Junior college, ITDP Ghodegaon	ATC Thane ITDP Ghodegaon	5.00
5.	Establishment of digital classrooms in English medium govt. ashram school,	ATC Thane ITDP Ghodegaon	15.00
6.	Establishment of upgraded library in Govt. Ashram school	ATC Thane ITDP	7.50
7.	Construction of study rooms in Government Ashram School under ITDP	ATC NASHIK ITDP Taloda	292.44
8.	Construction of competitive exam study centre with library & furniture.	ATC Thane ITDP Dahanu	160.00
9.	Construction of additional school rooms in Govt Ashram Schools	ATC NASHIK ITDP Yawal	66.00
10.	Construction of Girls hostel in Govt Ashram Schools	ATC NASHIK ITDP yawal	600.00
11	To supply paver blocks in the periphery of govt. ashram schools (inside campus)	ATC NASHIK ITDP Nashik	175.00
12.	To conduct comprehensive health camp with health cards @ Rs. 500/student. Total Cost: Rs.750.00 Lakh Beneficiaris : 150000	Ashram Schools	375.00
13.	Installation of RO water plants in Ashram Schools to provide purified water to students Total Cost: Rs.4344.00 Lakh Beneficiaries : 1.8 lakh students.	Ashram Schools	3772.00

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S. No.	Activity	Location	Amount approved for release during 2017-18
14.	PPP project for health services for ashram school children especially girls with Piramal Foundation and TATA power under SCR-Government partnership Total Schools : 39 Beneficiaries : 25,000 Students. Total Cost: 600.00 Lakh	Jawhar, Mokhada, Talasari, Dahanu	300.00
15.	Empowering Tribal Communities to improve nutrition & strengthening awareness on nutrition related services. Total Cost: 535.21 Lakh	8 Districts	175.90
16.	Construction of check Dams as Minor Irrigation Project in Migration prone area(40 units @ 30 Lakhas each) Nashik Thane Amravati Nagppur Total Cost: 150.00 Lakh	ATC Thane ITDP	150.00
17.	Solar dual Pump Total Cost: 90.00 Lakh	ATC Nashik ITDP Nandurbar	90.00
18.	Fisheries Cage to Tribal farmers Total Cost: 75.00 Lakh	ATC Nashik ITDP Nandurbar	75.00
19.	Establishment of Warali Haat Total Cost: 5700.00 Lakh	Manor, Distt. Palghar	500.00
20.	Monitoring & Evaluation 2% (MSTDA)		200.00
21.	Ethnographic Research Studies (TRTI) of tribes		100.00
22.	Setting up of Data Analytics and Project Management Centre for TSP planning and budgeting		365.00
23.	Institutional strengthening of offices under Tribal Development Department.		500.00
Total			10012.24

Total amount approved:

Committed Liability of previous years approved proposals	– Rs. 2850.00 Lakh
Running of 14 EMRSs (3960 students)	– Rs. 1663.20 Lakh
Recurring Grants for 2 EMRSs Nashik & Gadchiroli (60 students)	– Rs. 25.20 Lakh
New proposals	– Rs. 8323.84 Lakh
Total Amount Approved for 2017-18	Rs.12862.24 Lakh

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Summary of Release

(Rs. in lakh)

A	Total Amount Approved for 2017-18		12862.24
B	Total admissible amount for Creation of Capital Assets (CCA) (80% of A)		10289.79
C	Total admissible amount for Grant-in-aid General (GGA) (20% of A)		2572.45
D	Amount already released under the head of Capital Assets (CCA)	2000.00	
E	Amount already released under the head of Grant-in-aid General (GGA)	1512.00	
F	Less Amount to be released under head of Capital Assets (CCA) (B-D)		8289.79
G	Amount to be released under the head of Grant-in-aid General (GGA) (C-E)		1060.45

2. You may please transfer the amount immediately to the Government of **Maharashtra** and advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the accounts of the State Government of **Maharashtra** in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Ministry of Finance's OM No. 2(45)/ 76-Spl. dated 30.8.1976 as modified by OM of even number dated 16.9.1976 under intimation to Programme Division of the Ministry.

3. No UC is due for rendition.

4. The expenditure to the tune of **Rs. 10,60,45,000/- (Rupees Ten Crore Sixty Lakh Fourty Five Thousand Only)**, is debitible to the :

- Major Head '3601' - Grants-in-aid to State Governments
- Sub-major Head 08 - Other Transfer/Grants to States
- Minor Head 796 - Tribal Area Sub-Plan
 - 05 - Welfare of Scheduled Tribes – Grants under Proviso to Article 275 (1) of the Constitution.
 - 01 - Grants under Proviso to Article 275(1) of the Constitution (Charged)
 - 05.01.31 - Grants-in-aid -General (Charged)
- Demand No. - 96 for 2017-18 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs

5. The State Government will implement the projects within the amount released by the Ministry during 2017-18 and keeping in view the spirit of the provisions contained under Operational Guidelines for Inter-State allocation of funds and implementation of Programmes / Activities under Proviso to Article 275(1) of Constitution of India, issued by Ministry of Tribal Affairs vide this Ministry's letter NO. 11015/01/2016-SG-I dated 20.6.2016 and other relevant instructions issued from time to time.

6. Article 275(1) Grants is an additive to State Plan funds and efforts for Tribal Development. Funds under Article 275(1) Grants must be utilized for raising socio-economic level of Schedule Tribes commensurate with objectives enshrined in para 2.2 read with para 3.2 of revised guidelines dated 20.06.2016.

7. Article 275(1) Grants shall be utilized primarily for activities of non-recurring nature (including infrastructure and equipment with at least three years life time). Fund for recurring



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component of such programmes / Schemes shall be borne by State funds / TSP allocation. Priority shall be accorded in accordance with the provision contained in para 6 of revised guidelines dated 20.06.2016. Major infrastructure sector, like road connectivity, electricity, drinking water, major irrigation projects, housing would not be funded under Article 275(1) Grants, as substantive part of State Plan funds go into these programmes.

8. Fund allocation for the programmes of ITDPs / ITDAs / MADA packets / Clusters / Dispersed tribals and Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs) shall be done in accordance with provisions contained in para 5 of revised guidelines dated 20.06.2016.

9. The State Government shall ensure that concerned Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs) should be duly informed about the projects / Programmes relating to Tribal Development to be implemented in the area of jurisdiction.

10. The State Government has to ensure that grant-in-aid is used for the purpose for which it is sanctioned after following due procedure in a transparent manner and after obtaining all necessary clearances as required under the various Central/ State Acts, Rules, regulations, etc. In case of construction of infrastructure facilities, norms and Schedule of Rates (SOR) fixed by the State Government should be followed.

11. The progress reports of every quarter should be furnished indicating the physical and financial progress as per prescribed format already circulated and revised from time to time. A Certificate of actual utilization of the grants received for the purpose for which it was received, may be furnished to the Ministry within 12 months of the closure of the financial year by the State Government.

12. This sanction issues in exercise of the delegated powers in consultation with Integrated Finance of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs vide their **FTS No. 9348/JS&FA/2017 dated 20.06.2017.**

13. Certified that this sanction has been noted at **S. No. 25** in the register of grants.

Yours faithfully,



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4. The Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Maharashtra
5. The Principal Secretary, Planning Department, Government. of Maharashtra, Mumbai
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Yours faithfully,



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