

F.No.11015/05(15)/2017-Grant
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110115
Dated: 22.08.2017

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 Manipur (Grants-in-aid-General-Recurring).

Sir,

In continuation of this Ministry's sanction letter dated 09.05.2017, I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of **Rs. 2,18,36,000/- (Rupees Two Crore Eighteen Lakh Thirty Six Thousand Only)**, as 2nd instalment to the Government of **Manipur** 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 06.07.2017:

Committed Liability:

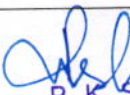
(Rs. in Lakh)

Sl. No	Project	Year of first Approval	Location/ District	Total Project Estimate	Amount Already Released	Amount approved during 2017-18
1.	Establishment of 2 new EMRS	2016-17	Kamjong in Ukhrul District and Loktak Project area in Churachandpur District.	3200.00	1380.00	839.00

New Proposals:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Activity	Location	Amount approved for released
	Education:		
1.	Recurring cost for running of 3 (three) EMRS (720 students)	Moreh, Tamenglong, Gannom-Sapermeina	302.40


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	Health		
2.	Training of Paramedics (60 beneficiaries)		120.00
3.	Running of three existing Health centres and construction of one new health centre along with the running cost	i) Thingpuikuol village in Tipaimukh Sub-Division of Churachandpur District (now under Pherzawl District) bordering with Mizoram State, ii) Chamu Village in Ukhrul District bordering with Myanmar iii) Impa village in Tamenglong District located at the tri-junction of Assam, Manipur & Nagaland State.	170.00
	Promotion of Arts & Culture		
4.	Community Hall Centre @ Rs. 97.49 Lakhs/unit 9 Unit	1. Makhan Khuman 2. Emefuthu Village 3. Lovadsiingho Village 4. Khriidziiphi Village 5. Makuilongdi 6. Yangkhullen Village 7. Bendramai Village 8. MS. Zouveng village 9. Nungnang Kaichung village	877.40

Total amount approved:	
Committed Liability of previous years approved proposals	– Rs. 839.00 Lakh
Running of EMRSs (720 students)	– Rs. 302.40 Lakh
New proposals	– Rs. 1167.40 lakh
Total: - Rs. 2308.80 lakh	


Summary of Release

(Rs. in lakh)

A	Total Amount approved for 2017-18		2308.80
B	Amount already released as 1 st installment Grant-in-aid – General	239.40	
C	Less amount unspent with State Govt.	450.26	
D	Amount to be released as 2 nd installment under head of Creation of Capital Assets		1400.78
E	Amount to be released now as 2nd installment under head of Grant-in-aid – General		218.36

2. You may please transfer the amount immediately to the Government of **Manipur** and advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the accounts of the State Government of **Manipur** 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.


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4. The expenditure to the tune of **Rs 2,18,36,000/- (Rupees Two Crore Eighteen Lakh Thirty Six Thousand Only)**, is debitable 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 (Voted)
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 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



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case of construction of infrastructure facilities, norms and Schedule of Rates (SOR) fixed by the State Government should be followed.

11. State Government shall ensure immediate transfer of funds to respective implementing agencies for implementation of activities approved by MoTA PAC. Progress Reports of the grants under Article 275(1) of the Constitution may be furnished in the format prescribed by MoTA. A Certificate of actual utilization of the grants received for the purpose, for which it has been sanctioned, is to be furnished to the Ministry as per provisions of General Financial Rules (GFR), 212(1) of 2005 amended from time to time.

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. 9381/JS&FA/2017 dated 16.08.2017.

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

Yours faithfully,


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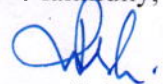
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- 2) Accountant General, Manipur, Imphal.
- 3) Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Manipur, Imphal.
- 4) Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Manipur, Imphal.
- 5) Principal Secretary, Department of Tribal Development, Government of Manipur, Imphal.
- 6) Commissioner, Department of Tribal Development, Government of Manipur, Imphal.

- 7) NITI Ayog, Plan Coordination Division, Yojana Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 8) NITI Ayog, BC Division, Yojana Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 9) NITI Ayog, State Plan Division, Yojana Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 10) The Principal Resident Commissioner, Government of Manipur, Manipur Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 11) Ministry of Finance (Department of Expenditure), PF-I Section, North Block, New Delhi.
- 12) National Commission for Scheduled Tribes, Lok Nayak, Bhawan, 5th Floor, New Delhi.
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