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Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs
(EMRS Division)**

Jeevan Tara Building, New Delhi
Dated: 6th September, 2019


To,
The Principal Secretary / Secretary-in-Charge
Tribal Development Department
(As per list attached)

Subject: Record of Video Conferencing with States on 23.08.19 - reg

Sir/ Madam,

Please find enclosed herewith record of the Video Conferencing held with States on 23.08.19 to review submission of DPRs, comments on draft MoU, pending UCs and other issues, for necessary action.

Yours faithfully



(M.K. Jha)

Under Secretary to the Govt of India
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Encls: As above

Record of Video Conferencing with States on 23.08.19

A video conference with States was held on 23.08.19 under the Chairpersonship of Smt. M R Tshering, Joint Secretary (Admn.), Ministry of Tribal Affairs. List of States that participated is at **Annexure I**. Following officers represented the Ministry of Tribal Affairs:

1. Dr. Anil Kumar Addepally, Director (STWG)
 2. Shri. P K Sahoo, Under Secretary (EMRS)
 3. Shri. M K Jha, Under Secretary (Grants)
2. Discussions were held on the following agenda:
- a. Requirements in DPRs for EMRS / EMDBS
 - b. Submission of DPRs for newly sanctioned EMRS / EMDBS.
 - c. Discussions with States regarding DPRs submitted
 - d. Submission of comments / suggestions on the draft MoU to be signed between National Education Society for Tribal Students and the State Government.
 - e. Pending UC / PPR under SCA to TSS, Grants under Article 275 (1), Scheme for Development of PVTGs.
 - f. Submission of Additional Proposal under SCA to TSS, Grants under Article 275 (1), Scheme for Development of PVTGs.
3. The following is the record of discussions and decisions taken:

A. Requirements in DPRs

States were informed that the schools have to be constructed through an Engineering, Procurement and Construction (EPC) based turnkey method with continuous monitoring at different level to ensure completion within stipulated timelines. For which Detailed Project Reports (DPRs) are important and the DPRs have to be prepared keeping the following things in view:

- i. The construction grant is a composite grant and therefore the grant should be utilized to make the schools ready to move by including all kinds of furnishings and equipment necessary for the classroom, hostel, labs, etc. needs to be in place.
- ii. The approved construction grant is meant for a total strength of 480 students only. Funding for any additional capacity has to be done by the State Government from its own resources. This contribution of the Government has to be then clearly mentioned in the DPR.

- iii. Minimum number of classrooms, hostel rooms, toilets, bathrooms should be in place to cater to the sanctioned strength of 480 students. The norms of CBSE to be read along with that of JNVs should be adhered to.
- iv. Adequate staff quarters should be in place to cater to teaching and non-teaching staff of the school.
- v. Safety arrangements including boundary wall, fire safety equipment and other mandatory requirements necessary for CBSE affiliation should be adhered to.
- vi. Since funds will be release in phases, a pragmatic timeline with regard to requirement of funds (tied to stage of construction) should be included mandatorily. Phasing of fund requirement should be realistic to avoid unnecessary parking of funds at the State / Implementing agency level.

B. Submission of DPRs for newly sanctioned EMRS / EMDBS.

- i. DPRs have been received from Assam, Mizoram, Nagaland, Jharkhand, Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh, Manipur, Telangana and Maharashtra.
- ii. The remaining States were advised to submit the DPR at the earliest.

C. Discussions regarding DPRs already submitted

- i. States were advised to review DPRs submitted by them with reference to the requirements as discussed and recorded in pre paras. States were requested to submit revised DPRs on or before the PAC meeting scheduled for 3.09.19 and 4.09.19.
- ii. The States were requested to keep in mind the norms of CBSE and those of JNV for construction of schools.

D. Submission of comments on the Draft MoU:

- i. Comments on the draft MoU to be signed between National Education Society for Tribal Students and the State Government have been received from Andhra Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Telangana and Tripura.
- ii. The remaining States were advised to submit their comments at the earliest.

E. Pending UC / PPR under SCA to TSS, Grants under Article 275 (1), Scheme for Development of PVTGs.

- i. The issue of pending PPR / UC was discussed in details. Based on the pendency of UC /PPR under SCA to TSS, Grants under Article 275 (1), Scheme for Development

of PVTGs as given in **Annexure II**, States were advised to submit the pending documents at the earliest.

- ii. States were informed that in case UC / PPR are not submitted by 15th September 2019, the allocation may be given to other States that show better performance and they additional funds will not be given during current year.

F. Submission of Additional Proposals

- i. States were informed that the PAC meeting for considering additional proposals under SCA to TSS, Grants under Article 275 (1) and Scheme for Development of PVTGs is scheduled to be held on 03.09.19 and 04.09.19 as per the schedule at **Annexure III**.
- ii. States were advised to submit their proposals at least a week before the PAC meeting.

G. Other issues

- i. States with Tribal dominated Aspirational Districts particularly Korba (Chhattisgarh), Nabarangpur (Odisha) and Gajapati (Odisha) may submit proposals duly approved by Executive Committee pertaining to these Districts in the PAC.

Annexure I

List of Participating States in the Video Conference

Sl. No	State / UT
1	Andhra Pradesh
2	Assam
3	Bihar
4	Chhattisgarh
5	Gujarat
6	Himachal Pradesh
7	Madhya Pradesh
8	Maharashtra
9	Manipur
10	Mizoram
11	Nagaland
12	Rajasthan
13	Sikkim
14	Telangana
15	Tripura
16	Uttar Pradesh
17	West Bengal

Status of Pending UCs*(as on 23.08.19)*

Sl. No	State / UT	PVTG	SCA to TSS	Grants under Article 275 (1)
1	Andaman & Nicobar	243.00		
2	Andhra Pradesh	1194.05	0.00	0.00
3	Arunachal Pradesh		442.37	1993.02
4	Assam		3500.55	225.30
5	Bihar	480.31	2112.00	1025.59
6	Chhattisgarh		1202.08	475.85
7	Goa		911.40	826.81
8	Gujarat	124.61	1335.78	0.00
9	Himachal Pradesh		0.00	0.00
10	Jammu & Kashmir		576.36	0.00
11	Jharkhand	1719.90	9672.18	10419.12
12	Karnataka	234.00	1921.43	565.93
13	Kerala	162.00	1028.36	803.60
14	Madhya Pradesh	2348.13	13964.96	14490.49
15	Maharashtra	799.67	0.00	1000.00
16	Manipur	770.40	668.50	355.56
17	Meghalaya		486.60	2335.60
18	Mizoram		244.00	0.00
19	Nagaland		645.00	0.00
20	Odisha	2872.13	12993.38	11567.58
21	Rajasthan	655.20	0.01	0.00
22	Sikkim		5933.76	0.00
23	Tamilnadu	1012.20	177.10	1010.67
24	Telangana		0.00	529.00
25	Tripura	812.15	358.94	1334.40
26	Uttarakhand	100.86	563.41	1280.66
27	Uttar Pradesh	17.96	1485.78	1014.05
28	West Bengal	693.47	1166.68	1478.60
	Grand Total	14240.04	61390.63	52731.83

Schedule of PAC meeting for Additional Proposals

3rd September 2019:

1. Andhra Pradesh
2. Arunachal Pradesh
3. Assam
4. Bihar
5. Chhattisgarh
6. Goa
7. Gujarat
8. Himachal Pradesh
9. Jharkhand
10. Karnataka
11. Kerala
12. Madhya Pradesh
13. Maharashtra

4th September 2019:

1. Manipur
2. Meghalaya
3. Mizoram
4. Nagaland
5. Odisha
6. Rajasthan
7. Sikkim
8. Tamil Nadu
9. Telangana
10. Tripura
11. Uttar Pradesh
12. Uttarakhand
13. West Bengal