

F. No. 11031/21/2018-TRI  
Government of India  
Ministry of Tribal Affairs  
(TRI Division)

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Room No. 217-F,  
Shastri Bhawan,  
New Delhi- 110 001  
Dated: 27.06.2018

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

**Subject :-** Release of grants-in-aid for the year 2018-19 under Centrally Sponsored Scheme of "Support to Tribal Research Institutes (TRIs)" to Sikkim for the year 2018-19 (Grants for creation of capital assets (Charged))

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of **Rs. 52,00,000/- (Rupees Fifty Two Lakh only)** towards Grants for creation of capital assets (Charged) for the year 2018-19 under Centrally Sponsored Scheme of "Support to TRIs" to the Government of Sikkim for the year 2018-19 to carry out the activities approved by APEX committee of the Ministry in its meeting dated 24.05.2018. The details of the activities are as under:

Sr. No	Activity	Remarks /Decision /Discussion
<b>1.</b>	<b>Research and Documentation</b>	
1.1	Compilation and printing of dictionary in Bhutia, Lepcha, Tamang, Lomboo and Sherpa tribal language	An amount of <b>Rs. 15.00 lakh</b> Approved
1.2	Documentation and printing of Lepcha tribal folklores and cuisines	An amount of <b>Rs. 10.00 lakh</b> Approved
1.3	Video-documentation on folk dance forms of Bhutia, Lepcha, Tamang, Limboo and Sherpa tribes of Sikkim	An amount of <b>Rs. 20.00 lakh</b> Approved
1.4	Empirical study on tribal women in Sikkim with special focus on education, healthcare and economic activities practices by the tribal women of Sikkim	An amount of <b>Rs. 10.00 lakh</b> Approved
1.5	Documentation of success story on promotion of tribal language in Sikkim	An amount of <b>Rs. 15.00 lakh</b> Approved
2.	Evaluation study of State TSP funds and Central Ministries TSP project for period 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18 in	An amount of <b>Rs. 5.00 lakh</b> Approved

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	randomly selected villages in few tribal majority districts.	
<b>3.</b>	<b>Training and capacity Building</b>	
3.1	i. Training of TRI official outside the state on implementation of FRA ii. Training of Trainers to district official on FRA iii. Development of training modules and literature on FRA in local language iv. Awareness on FRA to all the panchayats of the state	An amount of <b>Rs. 20.00 lakh</b> Approved
3.2	Week long capacity building programme on Lepcha tribal folk theatre/drama	An amount of <b>Rs. 10.00 lakh</b> Approved
3.3	Capacity building/training of Lepcha Hat weaving (A dying Art) including awareness on patent registration/geographical indication/bar-coding/packaging	Video documentation may also be do. An amount of <b>Rs. 15.00 lakh</b> Approved
3.4	One day seminar on value addition and market linkage of products of tribal artisans	An amount of <b>Rs. 5.00 lakh</b> Approved
<b>4.</b>	<b>Exchange of visit by the tribals:</b> Exchange of visit by tribal to learn about socio-economic development achieved by the best performing states in the country	An amount of <b>Rs. 10.00 lakh</b> Approved (Visit of Manav Sangrahalaya, Bhopal, Tribal University Amarkantak, TRI, Bhubaneswar be included)
<b>5.</b>	<b>Tribal Festival</b> Four day state level Tribal festival, food, dance, folk arts, music, exhibition and sports, photo exhibitions, felicitation of tribal achievers.	An amount of <b>Rs. 25.00 lakh</b> Approved
<b>6.</b>	<b>Development of web-portal for Tri Sikkim</b> Development of independent Web-portal for TRI Sikkim	An amount of <b>Rs. 5.00 lakh</b> Approved
<b>7.</b>	<b>Tribal sports talent</b> Mapping of Tribal Sports talent including documentation.	An amount of <b>Rs. 10.00 lakh</b> Approved
<b>8.</b>	Review-cum-consultation with North Eastern States on Tribal Development held at Gangtok on 18 <sup>th</sup> -19 <sup>th</sup> May, 2018.	Actual expense being <b>Rs. 19.50 lakh</b> may be sanctioned.
	<b>Grand total</b>	<b>194.50</b>

  
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**Summary of Release:**

		(Rs. in lakh)
A	Total Amount Approved for 2018-19	194.50
B	UC due	Nil
C	Total amount approved by IFD for release (1 <sup>st</sup> Instalment)	155.60
D	(-) Amount already released under the head of Grant-in-aid General (Charged)	103.60
E	Amount being released under the head of Grant for creation of capital assets (Charged)	<b>52.00</b>

2. You may please transfer the amount immediately to the Government of Sikkim and advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the accounts of the State Government of Sikkim 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 TRI Division of the Ministry.
3. No UC is due for rendition.
4. The grant should be utilized for the purpose for which it has been sanctioned and should not be diverted for any other activities.
5. As per Rule 236(1) of GFR-2017, the accounts of the Organizations shall be open to inspection by the sanctioning authority and audit, both by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India under the provision of CAG(DPC) Act 1971 and Internal audit by the Principal Accounts Office of the Ministry or Department, whenever the Institution or Organization is called upon to do so.
6. The payment of **Rs. 52,00,000/- (Rupees Fifty Two Lakh only)** to the Government of Sikkim will be made by a bank Draft in favour of Secretary, Department of Finance, Gangtok. The Drawing & Disbursing Officer of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs will present a bill of Rs. 52,00,000/- to the pay & Accounts Officer, Ministry of Tribal Affairs to enable him to issue a Draft.
7. The expenditure is debitable to the Major Head-3601 Grants in aid to State Governments, 06- Grants for Centrally Sponsored Scheme (Sub Major Head), 796- Tribal Area Sub Plan (Minor Head)- 34 – Umbrella Programme for Development of Scheduled Tribes: Support to Tribal Institution, 02- Support to Tribal Research Institutes, 34.02.35 - Grants for creation of capital assets (Charged) Under Demand No. 96 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs for the year 2018-19.
8. The financial assistance sanctioned is provisional subject to final adjustment on the basis of audit figures of expenditure.
9. The sanction is issued in concurrence with the Integrated Finance Division, Ministry of Tribal Affairs vide their FTS No.12193/2018 dated 25/06/2018.

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10. Certified that this sanction order has been noted at S. No.- 24 in the register of grant for the year 2018-19.

Yours faithfully,

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To,

- 1) Director of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, IP Estate, New Delhi-110 002.
- 2) Ministry of Finance (Deptt. of Expenditure) PF-I Section, New Delhi - 110 001.
- 3) Commissioner-Cum-Secretary, Social Justice & Empowerment & Welfare Department, Government of Sikkim, Samal Kalyan Bhawan, Lumsay, 5th Mile, Tadong, Gangtok-737102.
- 4) Secretary, Finance Government of Sikkim, Samal Kalyan Bhawan, Lumsay, 5th Mile, Tadong, Gangtok-737102
- 5) Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Sikkim, Samaj Kalyan Bhawan, Lumsay, 5th Mile, Tadong, Gangtok-737102
- 6) DDO, Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 7) IFD / Sanction Register.
- 8) NIC: - with a request to upload the Sanction letter on the Ministry's Website.

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