

F.No.11015/4(23)/2018-Grant  
 Government of India  
 Ministry of Tribal Affairs

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110115  
 Dated: 19<sup>th</sup> December, 2018

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 2018-19 to the State of Tripura as 2<sup>nd</sup> installment (Capital-Non-Recurring).**

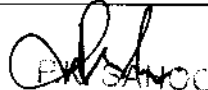
Sir,

In continuation of this Ministry's sanction letter dated 07.05.2018 and 30.06.2018, I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of **Rs. 7,44,62,000/- (Rupees Seven Crore Forty Four Lakh and Sixty Two Thousand Only)**, as 3<sup>rd</sup> installment to the Government of Tripura towards Creation of Capital Assets (CCA) for **Grants under Article 275(1) of the Constitution** for the year 2018-19 to carry out the following activities approved/finalized by PAC in its meeting dated 13.06.2018:

**New Proposals:**

(Rs. in Lakh)

SLN o	Activity	Location	Fund approved for release
1.	Construction of 10 new EMR schools (1 <sup>st</sup> Instalment)	Dhalai(3), North(1), Khowai(1), West(1), Sepahijala(1) Gomati(2), South (1)	250.00
2.	Recurring expenditure of EMR schools (1680 students)	Unakoti Khowai West South	1033.20
3.	Up gradation of JB/SB schools in TTAADC	Dhalai Khowai West South	77.00
4.	Re-construction of ST hostels	Dhalai North, Unakoti Sepahijala, Gomati South	200.00
5.	Supply of safe drinking water to ST hostels (Installation and commissioning of Sub-Merssible Pumps including IRP)	Dhalai North, Unakoti Khowai West Sepahijala Gomati South	149.00
6.	Infrastructure supports to field level officers (supply of computer desks, printers, scanners etc.)	Dhalai North, Unakoti Khowai, West Sepahijala Gomati South	6.20
7.	Up-gradation of Planning, Monitoring & evaluation Cell, IT Section, Grievance Cell, Special Cell under Directorate of Tribal Welfare (supply of IT enabled devices viz.	-	5.00

  
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	computers, laptops, computers desks, printers, scanners etc.)		
8.	Setting up of State Level Monitoring Cell for CSTC (Central Scheduled Tribes Component) in TW Directorate	-	10.20
9.	Financial support to field level offices (SDWOs & DWOs) for supervision & monitoring of TW schemes	Dhalai North, Unakoti Khowai, West Sepahijala Gomati South	18.60
10.	Socio-economic impact study with concurrent evaluation involving third party on different TW schemes/programmes viz. Employment linked Skill Development Programme, Agri/horti based Schemes (Research Studies)	-	11.00
	<b>Total</b>		<b>1760.20</b>

### Summary of Release

(Rs. in lakh)

A	Total Amount approved for 2018-19 (including music competition)		1759.93
B	Amount already released as 1 <sup>st</sup> installment Grant-in-aid – General	989.25	
C	Fund already released for music competition	0.86	
D	Previous year unspent balance	25.20	
E	<b>Amount to be released now under the head of Creation of Capital Assets</b>		<b>744.62</b>

2. You may please transfer the amount immediately to the Government of Tripura and advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the accounts of the State Government of Tripura 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. 7,44,62,000/- (Rupees Seven Crore Forty Four Lakh and Sixty Two 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)
    - 05.01.35 - Grants for creation of capital assets (Charged)
- Demand No. - 96 for 2018-19 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs



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5. The State Government will implement the projects within the amount released by the Ministry during 2018-19 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 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. 12001/JS&FA/2018 dated 18.12.2018.**



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13. Certified that this sanction has been noted at S. No. <sup>38</sup> in the register of grants.

Yours faithfully,



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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

- 1) Director of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, ITO, New Delhi.
- 2) Accountant General, Tripura, Agartala.
- 3) Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Tripura, Agartala.
- 4) Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Tripura, Agartala.
- 5) Principal Secretary, Tribal Welfare Department, Government of Tripura, Agartala.
- 6) Commissioner, Tribal Welfare Deptt, Government of Tripura, Agartala.
- 7) Niti Aayog, Plan Coordination Division, Niti Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 8) Niti Aayog, BC Division, Niti Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 9) Niti Aayog, State Plan Division, Niti Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 10) The Principal Resident Commissioner, Government of Tripura, Tripura 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, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, New Delhi.
- 13) JS(A)/Dir(IFD)/ Hindi Section/ Sanction folder/NIC.
- 14) Internal Audit Wing, Principal Account Office, New Delhi.

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