

F.No.11015/17/2018-Grants/PVTG
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs

Additional

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi,
Dated: 28th December, 2018

To

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

Sub: Conservation-cum-Development (CCD) Plan of Govt. of West Bengal under the Scheme of Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs) - Grant-in-Aid (General) to Government of West Bengal for the year 2018-19.


Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President for release of an amount of **Rs. 4,15,00,000/- (Rupees Four Crore Fifteen Lakh only)** as additional grant to the State Government of West Bengal towards Grant-in-Aid (General) under the Scheme of "Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups" for the year 2018-19 to carry out the following activities approved/finalized by PAC in its meeting held on 17.12.2018:

Additional Proposal under Conservation Cum Development Plan for PVTGs for 2018-19

(Rs in Lakh)

SL	Activities	Amount sought	Remarks
1	Housing Construction of houses of Lodha Families(100) in Jhargram, Paschim Meiniipur, Bankura & purulia District @ PMAY norms (Rs 1,20,000 per house)	120.00	Approved an amount of Rs. 120.00 Lakh
2	Livelihood Animal rearing-Goatery, piggery-group based activities involving 50 SHGs@ Rs 1.50 lakh per group-Jhargram, Paschim Medinipur	75.00	Approved an amount of Rs. 75.00 Lakh
3	Artisan Cluster Development Development of Artisan cluster-household/ decorative product using babui rope(rope produced from Babui grass available in abundance)-design development, training, market linkage- 500 families of Jhargram and Paschim Medinipur for one year.	50.00	Approved an amount of Rs. 50.00 Lakh
4	Irrigation Creating irrigation sources - Installation of submersible pump (solar power) to boost up agri/horticulture activities @ Rs 8.00 lakhs per unit-15 units in Jhargram, Purulia Districts	120.00	Approved an amount of Rs. 120.00 Lakh
5	Health & Education Extension of existing ICDS centre to accommodate crèches, engagement of facilitators @ 2 per centre to	50.00	Approved an amount of Rs. 50.00 Lakh



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	provide basic education, nutritional support, looking after the kids when parents are away from home for livelihood- 10 centres @ Rs 5.00 lakh per centre which includes recurring cost for only year- Jhargram Purulia		
	Total	415.00	415.00 Lakh

Summary of Release

			(Rs. in lakh)
A	Total Amount Approved for 2018-19		
	(i) Annual Plan		428.42
	(ii) Additional proposal		415.00
	Total		843.42
B	Amount already released Upto 2 nd Installment(General & Capital)	428.42	
C	Amount being released now under General grant-in-aid(A-B)		415.00

2. The grant-in-aid shall be subject to provision of GFR, 2017.
3. The works/activities shall be taken up in accordance with an implementation schedule drawn by Tribal Development Department of the State and submitted to the Ministry.
4. The Utilization Certificate for non-recurring and recurring grant will be submitted by the State Govt. to the Ministry as per Rule 239 of the GFR 2017 in Form GFR-12-C.
5. The financial assistance as provided under the scheme has been approved by Ministry of Finance. It shall be utilized for the purpose it has been sanctioned and for the welfare of members of PVTGs only.
6. State Government shall ensure immediate transfer of funds to respective implementing agencies for implementation of activities approved by MoTA. Progress Reports of the grants released under the Scheme of PVTG 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 Rule 239 of General Financial Rules (GFR), 2017 amended from time to time.
7. You are requested to advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the account of the Government of West Bengal in accordance with procedure laid down in the Ministry of Finance's OM No.2(45)/76-Spl Cell dated 30.8.1976 as modified by OM of even number dated 16.9.1976 under intimation to this Ministry.
8. The implementing agency shall allow the representative of this Ministry or the independent agency appointed by this Ministry or the State Government to inspect actual working of the scheme.
9. No UC is due for rendition.
10. The expenditure to the tune of **Rs. 4,15,00,000/- (Rupees Four Crore Fifteen Lakh only)** is debitable to the:


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Major Head '3601' –Grants –in-aid to State Governments
Sub-major Head 06 –Grants for Centrally Sponsored Schemes
Minor Head 796 – Tribal Area Sub-Plan
37- Umbrella Programme for Development of Scheduled Tribes; Van Bandhu Kalyan Yojana
01- Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs)
37.01.31- Grant-in-aid-General (Charged)
Demand No- 96 for 2018-19 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs

11. The sanction is issued with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division of the Ministry vide **Dy. No. 12271/JS&FA/2018 dated 27/12/2018.**

12. The sanction has been noted at **S. No. 20** of the Sanction Register.

Yours faithfully,



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Copy to:-

1. Principal Secretary, Tribal Development Department, Government of West Bengal, Kolkata.
2. Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of West Bengal, Kolkatta.
3. Secretary, Planning Department, Govt. of West Bengal, Kolkatta.
4. Accountant General, West Bengal, Kolkatta.
5. National Commission for ST, Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi.
6. Director of Audit, AGCR Building, New Delhi.
7. NITI Aayog, New Delhi i) S.P. Division, ii) Plan Coordination Division, iii) BC Division.
8. Ministry of Finance, Deptt. of Expenditure (P.F.I.) North Block, New Delhi.
9. Dir(IFD)/B&C Section, Ministry of Tribal Affairs.
10. Director (NIC), Ministry of Tribal Affairs to upload it on the Ministry's Website.
11. PS to MTA/PPS to Secretary (TA)/PPS to JS(A).
12. Internal Audit Wing, Principal Account Office, New Delhi.



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