To

The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Tribal Affairs,
Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi-110001.

Subject: Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub-Scheme (SCA to TSS) during 2019-20 to the State of Tamil Nadu (Creation of Capital Assets (Non-Recurring)).

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of Rs. 2,16,80,000/- (Rupees Two Crore Sixteen Lakh Eighty Thousand only), to the Government of Tamil Nadu towards Creation of Capital Assets (Non-Recurring) under Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub-Scheme (SCA to TSS) for the year 2019-20 to carry out the following activities approved/finalized by PAC in its meeting dated 12.02.2019 against the proposal received from them vide letter No. 1512/TD1(1)/2019-I dated 05.02.2019:

1.1 Committed Liabilities : Rs. 488.00 lakh against the approved proposals for 2018-19. (Total amount approved for release during 2018-19 – Rs. 803.00 lakh, Amount released: Rs. 315.00 lakh)

1.2. New Proposal:

(Rs. in lakhs)

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<td>1.</td>
<td>Providing 200 Milch Animals for tribals in 10 districts @ Rs.35000.</td>
<td>Project Officer/ DAD&amp;TWO</td>
<td>70.00</td>
<td>Approved an amount of Rs. 53.00 lakh.</td>
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The project be implemented in convergence with the State TSP and the relevant scheme of Central Ministry i.e. Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries.

Cost norms of line Department be followed.

No committed liability on the part of MoTA.
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<td>2.</td>
<td>Construction of 150 Houses for tribal people at the cost of Rs.3.00 lakh.</td>
<td>Project Officer/ DAD&amp;TWO</td>
<td>450.00</td>
<td>Approved an amount of <strong>Rs. 100.00 lakh.</strong>&lt;br&gt;The project be implemented in convergence with the State TSP and the relevant scheme of Central Ministry i.e. Ministry of Rural Development.&lt;br&gt;Cost norms delineated under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (Gramin) be followed.&lt;br&gt;No committed liability on the part of MoTA.</td>
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<td>3.</td>
<td>Implementation of Forest Right Act in Tamil Nadu.(for survey, awareness programme and documentation)</td>
<td>Director, Tribal Welfare</td>
<td>150.00</td>
<td>Approved an amount of <strong>Rs. 50.00 lakh.</strong>&lt;br&gt;Approve and implement the project within the given time frame.</td>
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<td>4.</td>
<td>Repair and Maintenance of GTR Schools and Hostels.</td>
<td>Project Officer/ DAD&amp;TWO</td>
<td>300.00</td>
<td>Deferred for proposal not being complete, as No. of schools / hostels not mentioned and unit cost is not clear.</td>
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<td>5.</td>
<td>Providing Infrastructure facilities like Drinking Water, Link Road etc. in tribal hamlets of Tiruvallur and Kancheepuram.</td>
<td>Project Officer/ DAD&amp;TWO</td>
<td>50.00</td>
<td>Approved an amount of <strong>Rs. 50.00 lakh.</strong>&lt;br&gt;The project be implemented in convergence with the State TSP and the relevant scheme of Central Ministry i.e. Ministry of Rural Development.</td>
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<td>6.</td>
<td>Providing Power Tiller, Borewells and deepening of Wells for tribal farmers</td>
<td>Project Officers concerned</td>
<td>50.00</td>
<td>Approved an amount of <strong>Rs. 50.00 lakh.</strong>&lt;br&gt;The project be implemented in convergence with the State TSP and the relevant scheme of Central Ministry i.e. Ministry of Rural Development.</td>
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<td>8.</td>
<td>Administration cost of 2% to Rs.1070 Lakhs</td>
<td>Director, Tribal Welfare</td>
<td>22.00</td>
<td>Approved an amount of <strong>Rs. 22.00 lakh.</strong>&lt;br&gt;The project be implemented in convergence with the State TSP and the relevant scheme of Central Ministry i.e. Ministry of Rural Development.</td>
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**Total=** 1092.00  **Rs. 325.00 lakh**
Summary of Release:

| A | Total Amount Approved by PAC for release during 2019-20 in the meeting dated 12.02.2019 | 813.00 |
| B | Amount concurred by IFD for release at this stage | 271.00 |
| C | Amount to be released under head of Grant-in-aid General (GG) | 54.20 |
| D | Amount being released under head of Creation of Capital Assets (CCA) | 216.80 |

2. You may please transfer the amount immediately to the Government of Tamil Nadu and advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the accounts of the State Government of Tamil Nadu 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 TSS Division of the Ministry.

3. No UC is due for rendition.

4. The expenditure to the tune of Rs. 2,16,80,000/- (Rupees Two Crore Sixteen Lakh Eighty Thousand only), is debitable to the :

   Major Head ‘3601’ - Grants-in-aid to State Governments
   Sub-major Head 06 - Grants for Centrally Sponsored Schemes
   Minor Head 794 - Special Central Assistance for Tribal Sub-Plan
   01 - Umbrella Programme for Development of Scheduled Tribes: Special Central Assistance
   01 - Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub Scheme
   01.01.35 - Grants for creation of capital assets (Charged)
   Demand No. - 96 for 2019-20 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs

5. Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub-Scheme (SCA to TSS) is an additive to State Plan funds and efforts for Tribal Development. Funds under SCA to TSS must be utilized for raising socio-economic level of Schedule Tribes commensurate with objectives enshrined in the guidelines dated 17.06.2016 as amended from time to time.

6. State Government shall ensure immediate transfer of funds to respective implementing agencies for implementation of activities to be approved by MoTA PAC / Competent Authority. Progress Reports of SCA to TSS 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), 2017 amended from time to time. Further, State Government shall also ensure that the beneficiaries are Aadhar linked.

7. 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.

8. 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. State Government shall also ensure that meetings of Gram Sabha are conducted on regular interval as per norms in such areas.
9. This sanction issues in exercise of the delegated powers in consultation with Integrated Finance Division vide Diary No. 14722 /JS&FA/2019 Dated 27.05.2019

10. Certified that this sanction has been noted at S. No.10 in the Register of Grants.

Yours faithfully,

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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

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2. Accountant General, Tamil Nadu, Chennai.
3. Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Chennai.
4. Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Chennai.
5. Principal Secretary, Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare, Government of Tamil Nadu, Chennai.
7. NITI Ayog, Plan Coordination Division, NITI Bhawan, New Delhi.
8. NITI Ayog, BC Division, NITI Bhawan, New Delhi.
9. NITI Ayog, State Plan Division, NITI Bhawan, New Delhi.
10. The Principal Resident Commissioner, Government of Tamil Nadu, Bhawan, New Delhi.
11. Ministry of Finance (Department of Expenditure), PF-I Section, North Block, New Delhi.
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