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

Subject: Release of funds under Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub-Scheme (SCA to TSS) to the State Government of Rajasthan – Grant-in-aid General (Recurring) –reg.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of Rs.6,16,70,000/- (Rupees Six Crore Sixteen Lakh Seventy Thousand Only), to the Government of Rajasthan towards Grant-in-aid General (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:

1.1 Committed Liabilities for 2019-20:

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<th>S. No.</th>
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<th>Year of first approval</th>
<th>Location</th>
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<td>1.</td>
<td>Construction of water harvesting structures for recharging of ground water. Total Project cost: Rs.800.00</td>
<td>2018-19</td>
<td>Banswara, Dungarpur, Udaipur and Pratapgarh District</td>
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<td>Approved an amount of Rs. 200.00 lakh.</td>
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<td>2.</td>
<td>Strengthening of Existing Canal system Total Project cost: Rs.500.00</td>
<td>2018-19</td>
<td>Banswara, Dungarpur, Udaipur And Pratapgarh District</td>
<td>500.00</td>
<td>400.00</td>
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1.2. New Proposals:

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<td>1.</td>
<td>Agriculture Development Project (i) Hybrid Cotton Seed mini kit distribution - 96.00 lakh (12000 beneficiaries) (ii) Hybrid Caster mini kit distribution</td>
<td>2000.00</td>
<td>Approved an amount of Rs. 2000.00 lakh.</td>
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<td>- 22.50 lakh (3000 beneficiaries) (iii) Pulse &amp; Oil seed mini kits distribution - 886.62 lakh (iv) Movable plastic sheet threshing floor - Rs. 252.64 lakh (8200 beneficiaries) (v) Metallic Seed Storage bins - Rs. 262.50 lakh (10500 beneficiaries) (vi) Distribution of plants protection equipment - Rs. 85.40 lakh (1260 beneficiaries) (vii) Subsidy on irrigation pipeline (@ Rs.100 / meter) - Rs. 433.30 lakh (1800 beneficiaries) (viii) Monitoring / mobility / administration / Extension Activity - Rs. 12.20 lakh</td>
<td>250.00 lakh. Approved an amount of Rs. 250.00 lakh. State to furnish itemized cost estimate for each component alongwith no. of beneficiaries to be covered.</td>
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<td>2 Horticulture Development Project (i) Distribution of high yielding vegetable crop (ii) Distribution Plant protection equipment (iii) Monitoring / mobility / administration / Extension Activity</td>
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<td>3 Animal Husbandry Project - Doubling farmers’ income through Artificial Insemination (Al) and Strengthening veterinary institutions for productivity enhancement (i) Procurement of cryo jars for Al (ii) Procurement of Al kits (iii) Ration balance programme for cattle and buffalo (purchase of tablet / computer) (iv) Procurement of castrator (small and large) (v) Procurement of travis with installation (vi) Strengthening of veterinary institutions (vii) Health coverage (procurement of vaccine / medicine) (viii) Monitoring / mobility / Misc. expenses Total Cost: Rs. 900.00 lakh</td>
<td>700.00 lakh. Approved an amount of Rs. 700.00 lakh. Remaining balance of Rs. 200.00 lakh will be considered for sanction during 2020-21 based on progress of work. State to furnish itemized cost estimate for each component along with no. of beneficiaries to be covered.</td>
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<td>4 Dairy Development Project (i) Setting up of dairy plants at Dungarpur capacity 50000 liter per day Duration of completion of project: Three years (ii) Revival plan of Banswara Chilling Centre with capacity 30000 liter per day. Duration of completion of project: Three years (iii) Formation of new milk societies (DCS of Udaipur, Pali and Sirohi Districts) (a) Installation of AMCU at different dairy societies</td>
<td>800.00 lakh. Approved an amount of Rs. 800.00 lakh. Remaining balance of Rs. 200.00 lakh will be considered for sanction during 2020-21 based on progress of work. State to furnish itemized cost estimate for each component along with no. of beneficiaries to be covered.</td>
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| 5 | Forestry Scheme (Enhancement of income generation activities through bamboo plantation and establishment of MFP process Centres for livelihood among tribals)  
   (i) Plantation of herbal plant and bamboo in forest area  
   (ii) Training and extension work  
   (iii) Establishment of well-equipped process centers for value addition | 400.00  | Approved an amount of Rs. **400.00 lakh**. Remaining balance of Rs. 400.00 lakh will be considered for sanction during 2020-21 based on progress of work. State to furnish itemized cost estimate for each component along with no. of beneficiaries to be covered. The project be implemented in convergence with State TSP fund and under relevant schemes of Central Ministry. |
| 6 | Proposal to Conduct Screening for "Sickle Cell Anaemia" among Tribal ST persons with medicine, IEC and follow up to be covered: 4 lakh                                                                                   | 200.00  | Approved an amount of Rs. **200.00 lakh**.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 7 | Skill Development Programme, Establishment of Career counselling centre at TRI and organization of job fairs  
   (j) Skill training of 4000 tribal youth  
   (k) Establishment of Career Counselling Centre at TRI  
   (l) Three Job Fairs                                                                               | 800.00  | Approved an amount of Rs. **800.00 lakh**. State to furnish itemized cost estimate for each component along with no. of beneficiaries to be covered.                                                                                                                                                     |
| 8 | Construction of water harvesting structures for recharging of ground water  
   Total cost: Rs. 1000.00 Lakh  
   Total unit: 14 new Anicuts  
   Beneficiary: 550 tribal farmers’ families  
   Area to covered: 1426 Ha                                                                          | 600.00  | Approved an amount of Rs. **600.00 lakh** for release during 2018-19. Remaining balance of Rs. 400.00 lakh will be considered for sanction during 2020-21 based on progress of work. The project be implemented in convergence with State TSP fund and under relevant schemes of Central Ministry. |
| 9 | Strengthening of existing canal system  
   Area to covered: 1880 Ha                                                                               | 500.00  | Approved an amount of Rs. **500.00 lakh**.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 10| Construction of Solar based Community LIFT irrigation project/ Renovation of defunct LIFTs  
   Total unit: 40 new solar Community Lift Irrigation  
   Total Cost: Rs. 1400.00 lakh  
   Beneficiary: 1857 tribal farmers’ families  
   Area to covered: 1744.48 Ha                                                                           | 1000.00 | Approved an amount of Rs. **1000.00 lakh**. Remaining balance of Rs. 400.00 lakh will be considered for sanction during 2020-21 based on progress of work.                                                                                                                                        |
11. Strengthening (incl. repairing, new construction and equipments) of CHCs/PHCs/Sub Centres and Medical College, Dungarpur
- Total cost: Rs. 838.15 Lakh
- Total unit: 2CHC, 8 PHC, 46 SHC in tribal Districts

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Approved an amount of Rs. 400.00 lakh.

Remaining balance of Rs. 438.15 lakh will be considered for sanction during 2020-21 based on progress of work.

The project be implemented in convergence with State TSP fund and under relevant schemes of Central Ministry.

12. Improvement in Road Connectivity in Tribal area (Roads, culverts and small bridges)
- Total cost: Rs. 2500.00

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<td>Improvement in Road Connectivity in Tribal area (Roads, culverts and small bridges)</td>
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Approved an amount of Rs. 1500.00 lakh.

Remaining balance of Rs. 1000.00 lakh will be considered for sanction during 2020-21 based on progress of work.

The project be implemented in convergence with State TSP fund and under relevant schemes of Central Ministry.

Total= 9150.00

Rs. 9150.00 Lakh

Summary of Release:

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<td>Total Amount Approved by PAC for release during 2019-20</td>
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<td>B</td>
<td>Amount already released to the state government so far</td>
<td>7087.50</td>
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<td>Amount to be released under head of Creation of Capital Assets (CCA)</td>
<td>5670.00</td>
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<td>D</td>
<td>Amount to be released under the head of Grant-in-Aid General (GG)-Charged</td>
<td>761.12</td>
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<td>Amount being released under the head of Grant-in-Aid General (GG)-Voted</td>
<td>616.70</td>
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2. You may please transfer the amount immediately to the Government of Rajasthan and advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above-mentioned amount to the accounts of the State Government of Rajasthan 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. 6,16,70,000/- (Rupees Six Crore Sixteen Lakh Seventy 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
    01.01.31 – Grant-in-aid General (Voted)
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.

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.


10. Certified that this sanction has been noted at S. No. 29 in the Register of Grants(GG) for the year 2019-20.

Yours faithfully,

(M.K. Jag)
Under Secretary to the Government of India
Phn No: 011-23340483

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

1. Director of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, ITO, New Delhi.
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4. Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
5. Principal Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Rajasthan, Jaipur
6. Resident Commissioner, Government of Rajasthan, Rajasthan Bhawan, New Delhi.
7. Niti Aayog, Plan Coordination Division, Niti Aayog, New Delhi.
8. Niti Aayog, BC Division, Niti Aayog, New Delhi.
9. Niti Aayog, SP Division, Niti Aayog, New Delhi.
10. Director, PF-I Division, Ministry of Finance (Dept. of Expenditure), North Block, New Delhi.
11. The Secretary, National Commission for STs, Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi.
12. JS(A)/ DIR (IFD)/ Hindi Section / Sanction Folder/ NIC.
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