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

Sub: Conservation-cum-Development (CCD) Plan of Govt. of Andhra Pradesh under the Scheme of Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs) – Grant-in-aid-General (GGA) for the year 2019-20.

Sir,

In continuation of this Ministry’s sanction letter dated 30.05.2019 and 14.08.2019, I am directed to convey the sanction of the President for release of an amount of **Rs. 9,45,00,000/- (Rupees Nine Crore Fourty Five Lakh only)** as 3rd installment to the State Government of Andhra Pradesh towards Grant-in-aid-General (GGA) under the Scheme of “Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups” for the year 2019-20 to carry out the following activities approved/finalized by PAC in its meeting held on 11.02.2019:

(Rs. in lakh)

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<td>1</td>
<td>Habitat Development Towards construction of Multipurpose community halls, village resource centers, flood protection walls, repairs to damaged houses etc.</td>
<td>880.15</td>
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**New Proposals:**

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<td>Developing last mile connectivity to remote, inaccessible PVTG habitation through ee approach roads</td>
<td><strong>PAC approved Rs. 1400.00 lakh</strong>&lt;br&gt;State to indicate location of these projects.&lt;br&gt;There shall be no committed liability.&lt;br&gt;State Government must ensure that there is no Environment clearance required for the activity.</td>
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Summary of Release

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<td>2100.18</td>
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<td>B</td>
<td>Amount already released as 1st and 2nd installment</td>
<td>906.13</td>
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<td>C</td>
<td>Amount to be release under the head of Creation of Capital Assets</td>
<td>249.05</td>
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<td>D</td>
<td>Amount to be release now under head of Grant-in-aid General</td>
<td>945.00</td>
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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 PAC/Competent Authority. 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 Andhra Pradesh 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. The expenditure to the tune of Rs. 9,45,00,000/- (Rupees Nine Crore Fourty Five Lakhs only) is debitable to:

   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 Grants-in-aid-General (Charged)
Demand No- 96 for the year 2019-20 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs


11. The sanction has been noted at S. No. 16 of the Sanction Register.

(M K Jha)
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Copy to:-

1. Secretary, Tribal Welfare Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
2. Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
3. Secretary, Planning Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
4. Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
6. Director of Audit, AGCR Building, New Delhi.
7. NITI Aayog, New Delhi i) S.P. Division, ii) Plan Coordination Division.
9. US(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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