

Jeevan Tara Building, New Delhi-110001

Dated: 14.01.2022

To

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

**Subject: Grants under Proviso to Article 275(1) of Constitution during 2021-22 to the State Government of Himachal Pradesh (Creation of Capital Assets Non-Recurring).**

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India to release an amount of **Rs. 15,00,00,000/- (Rupees Fifteen Crore Only)**, to the Government of **Himachal Pradesh** towards Creation of Capital Assets (CCA) for **Grants under Article 275(1) of the Constitution** for the year 2021-22 to carry out the following activities approved in the PAC meeting held on 17.12.2021 which are as follows:

**Committed liability**

(Rs. in lakh)

S. No.	Activity & Location	GoI share & Approval year	Amount Already Released	Committed liability	Amount sought for 2021-22	Amount approved	Remarks
1.	Construction of GSSS Thirot, Lahaul No of beneficiaries: 117 Total cost Rs. 305.00 lakh State share- 279.00 lakh	26.00 2020-21	16.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	No further liability on the part of this Ministry.
2.	Construction of Civil Hospital at Bharmour No of beneficiaries: 10000 Total cost Rs. 1957.00 lakh State share- 1457.00 lakh	500.00 2020-21	400.00	100.00	400.00	400.00	PAC observed that the amount sought for these activities is more than the committed amount by MoTA. State Govt.
3.	Construction of Doctor Residence and Staff Quarter at Civil Hospital Killar, Pangi No of beneficiaries: 18868 Total cost Rs. 461.00 lakh State share- 227.00 lakh	234.00 2020-21	164.00	70.00	100.00	100.00	explained that this is due to less release of funds by the state Govt. as state share. Therefore, PAC approved the amount with the condition that no further fund to be released by MoTA for these activities.
4.	Construction of Parking at R/Peo, Kinnaur No of beneficiaries: 1950 Total cost Rs. 200.00 lakh State share- 150.00 lakh	.50.00 2020-21	25.00	25.00	250.00	25.00	PAC approved the amount to the extent of committed liability.

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5.	Construction of SaraiBhawan at Bhabhanagar, Kinnaur No of beneficiaries: 1200 Total cost Rs. 175.00 lakh State share- 155.00 lakh	20.00 2020-21	10.00	10.00	10.00	<b>10.00</b>	No further liability on the part of this Ministry.
6.	Construction of Ice Skating rink/Ice Hockey Ground at Kaza, Spiti No of beneficiaries: 432, Total Cost: 75.00 State Share: 15.00	60.00 2020-21	50.00	10.00	150.00	<b>150.00</b>	PAC observed same as per remarks at Sl. No. 2 & 3 above.
7.	Construction of Stadium at Bhabhanagar, Kinnaur No of beneficiaries: 1200 Total cost Rs. 200.00 lakh State share- 173.00 lakh	27.00 2020-21	17.00	10.00	10.00	<b>10.00</b>	No further liability on the part of this Ministry.
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>689.00</b>	<b>245.00</b>	<b>1150.00</b>	<b>705.00</b>	

**New Proposals under Article 275(l) of the constitution for the year 2021-22:**

(Rs. In lakh)

S No.	Activity	Amount Sought for 2021-22	Amount Approved	Remarks
1.	C/o GHS Building at Asrang, Kinnaur No. of beneficiaries-338	50.00	<b>50.00</b>	PAC directed the State to ensure that technical scrutiny of estimates for the work is done by competent authority as per provisions of DFPR applicable in the state and project to be implemented by Govt. agency. State also to share a list of all such schools/buildings so far constructed by funding from MoTA with exact location and LGD code and actual physical and financial progress of work.
2.	C/o Addl. Block in GSSS Rarang,Kinnaur No. of beneficiaries-848	100.00	<b>100.00</b>	
3.	C/o Science Block in GSSS Kanam,Kinnaur No. of beneficiaries-527	50.00	<b>50.00</b>	
4.	C/o GSSS Buidling at Kothi,Kinnaur No. of beneficiaries-1638	100.00	<b>100.00</b>	
5	C/o Govt High School, Bari Location- ITDP Kinnaur Total cost- Rs. 117.98 lakh	20.00	<b>20.00</b>	PAC directed the State to ensure that technical scrutiny of estimates for the work is done by competent authority as per provisions of DFPR applicable in the state and project to be implemented by Govt. agency in a transparent manner. State also to share a list of all such schools/buildings so far constructed by funding from MoTA with exact location and LGD code.
6	C/o GovtSr. Sec. School, Nigualsari, Location- ITDP KinnaurTotal cost- Rs. 169.73 lakh	20.00	<b>20.00</b>	
7	C/o Boys Hostel at GSSS Kaza Location- ITDP Kaza Total cost- Rs. 250.00 lakh	55.00	<b>55.00</b>	
8	C/o Additional rooms for GovtModel Sr. Sec. School, Kaza, Location- ITDP KazaTotal cost- Rs. 95.00 lakh	45.00	<b>45.00</b>	
9	C/o Additional rooms for Govt Sr. Sec. School, Sach, Location- ITDP Pangi, Total cost- Rs. 49.57 lakh	30.00	<b>30.00</b>	
10	C/o Science Block at GSSS Runukothi Location- ITDP Bharmaur Total cost- Rs. 147.86 lakh	30.00	<b>30.00</b>	
11	C/o Science Block at GSSS Mandha Location- ITDP Bharmaur Total	20.00	<b>20.00</b>	



	cost- Rs. 147.86 lakh			
12	C/o Govt High School, Lamu Location- ITDP Bharmaur Total cost- Rs. 31.49 lakh	20.00	20.00	
13	C/o Additional accommodation for Govt High School, Lohgarh, Distt- Sirmour, Total cost- Rs. 24.51 lakh	24.51	24.51	
14	C/o Additional Building for Govt Sr. Sec. School, Bhaido, Distt- Sirmour Location- Sirmour Total cost- Rs. 60.00 lakh	30.49	30.49	
15	C/o Civil Hospital at Killar (New Block) Location- ITDP, Pangi Total Cost- Rs. 1800.38 lakh	200.00	200.00	
<b>Total (New Project)</b>			<b>795.00</b>	
<b>Total ( Committed Liabilities and New Project)</b>			<b>1500.00</b>	

### Summary of Release

(Rs. in lakh)

A	Total Amount approved by PAC for release during 2021-22	1500.00
B	Amount concurred in by IFD for release at this stage	1500.00
C	<b>Amount being released under the head of Creation of Capital Assets (CCA)</b>	<b>1500.00</b>

2. You may please transfer the amount immediately to the Government of **Himachal Pradesh** and advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above-mentioned amount to the accounts of the State Government of **Himachal Pradesh** 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. 15,00,00,000/- (Rupees Fifteen Crore Only)**, is debitible 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. -	99 for 2021-22 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs

5. The State Government will implement the projects within the amount released by the Ministry during 2020-21 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. 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 Grants under Article 275(1) of Constitution of India 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. 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.

8. 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.

9. 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 after 12 months of the closure of the financial year by the State Government.

10. This sanction issues in exercise of the delegated powers in consultation with Integrated Finance of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs vide their **FTS No. 19561/JS&FA/2021 dated 07.01.2022.**

11. Certified that this sanction has been noted at **S. No. 15** in the register of grants.

Yours faithfully,

  
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4. The Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla
5. The Principal Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla
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