

F.No.11015/02(16)/2021-Grants
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs

Jeevan Tara, New Delhi-110001
Dated: 17.01.2022

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 of Mizoram (Grants-in-aid-General-Recurring).

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of **Rs. 5,18,64,000/- (Rupees Five Crore Eighteen Lakh Sixty-Four Thousand Only)**, to the Government of **Mizoram** towards Grant-in-aid-General for **Grants under Article 275(1) of Constitution** of India for the year 2021-22 to carry out the following activities approved in the meeting held on 17.12.2021: -

Committed Liability: -

(Rs. In lakh)

S. No.	Activity	Location	Year of approval	Amount already released	Amount sought for 2021-22	Amount approved for 2021-22	Remarks
Committed Liabilities under SCA to TSS							
1.	Establishment of Tribal Girls Hostel Total Cost: 200.00 lakh	West Phaileng, Mamit	2019-20	50.00	150.00	150.00	PAC agreed to consider the committed liability of SCA to TSS under the scheme of Article 275 (1) during 2021-22 due to transformation of SCA to TSS to SCA for TD from current year.
2.	Establishment of Tribal Girls Hostel at Govt. T Romana College Total Cost: 200.00 lakh	Aizawl	2019-20	50.00	150.00	150.00	
3.	Establishment of Tribal Girls Hostel at Pachhunga University College Total Cost: 200.00 lakh	Aizawl	2019-20	50.00	150.00	150.00	
4.	Establishment of Tribal Girls Hostel Total Cost: 200.00 lakh	Luangmual, Aizawl	2019-20	50.00	150.00	150.00	
5.	Rural Tribal Youth Development Centre Total Cost: 100.00 lakh	Ngopa, Saitual	2019-20	50.00	50.00	50.00	
				250.00	650.00	650.00	
Committed Liabilities under Article 275(1)							
6.	Construction of Multipurpose Community Centre Total Cost: 500.00 lakh	Siaha	2019-20	300.00	100.00	100.00	PAC approved the amount to the extent of demand made by the state and
7.	Construction of Tipa-V	Tipa, Siaha	2019-20	100.00	75.00	75.00	

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	Centenary Higher Secondary School Building Total Cost: 250.00 lakh	District					remaining amount to be carried forward as committed liability for next year.
8.	Establishment of Community Handloom House Total Cost: 250.00 lakh	Sialhau Village, Serchhip RD Block	2019-20	150.00	50.00	50.00	
9.	Reconstruction of Primary Health Centre (PHC) Total Cost: 200.00 lakh	Farkawn under Champhai Dist.	2019-20	150.00	50.00	50.00	
					275.00	275.00	
	Total Committed Liabilities(SCA and Article 275)				925.00	925.00	

New Proposals

Sl. No	Project Activity	Location	Total Cost	Funds Sought for 2021-22	Funds approved for 2021-22	Remarks
I.	EDUCATION SECTOR					
1.	Sanitary Pad Vending Machine	Aizawl	12.75	12.75	12.75	Procurement of materials should be done in a transparent and cost effective manner; an expert committee will prescribe technical specifications, works should be implemented by State Govt. agencies.
2.	Solar Power Plant at Tuipang, Siaha District	Tuipang, Siaha	87.68	87.68	87.68	
	Total of Education Sector :		100.43	100.43	100.43	
III.	AGRI & ALLIED SECTOR					
1.	Rural Animal health Centre at Sailam	Sailam, Aizawl	25.00	25.00	25.00	
2.	Promotion of Community Piggery Project for Sihhmui Village	Sihhmui, Sairang, Aizawl	60.00	60.00	60.00	
3.	Rural Animal Health Centre at Hauruang	Hauruang, Lunglei	25.00	25.00	25.00	
4.	Rural Animal Health Centre at Vaseitlang	Vaseitlang, Lawngtlai	25.00	25.00	25.00	
5.	Construction of RCC Rain Water harvest Tank at Sericulture Complex cum muga seed farm	Mamit	21.00	21.00	21.00	
6.	Rural Animal Health Centre at N.Hlimen	N. Hlimen, Kolasib	25.00	25.00	25.00	
7.	Dispensary at E.Lungdar	E. Lungdar, Serchhip	50.00	50.00	50.00	
8.	Sericulture farm at 33 KV Station Siaha	Siaha	8.95	8.95	8.95	


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9.	Construction of Cocoon Godown at Saitual	Saitual	25.00	25.00	25.00	
10.	Establishment of Nutritional Garden	Khawzawl	6.00	6.00	6.00	
11.	Dispensary at Pangzawl	Pangzawl	25.00	25.00	25.00	
	Total of Agri. & Allied Sector :		510.95	510.95	295.95	
IV.	Other Income Generating Scheme					
1.	Maintenance of VTC Total Cost: 30.00 lakh	Lunglei	30.00	30.00	30.00	As per comments below-
2.	Maintenance of VTC Total Cost: 30.00 lakh	Champhai	30.00	30.00	30.00	
3.	Maintenance of VTC Total Cost: 30.00 lakh	Kolasib	30.00	30.00	30.00	
4.	Maintenance of VTC Total Cost: 30.00 lakh	Serchhip	30.00	30.00	30.00	
5.	Maintenance of VTC Total Cost: 30.00 lakh	Siaha	30.00	30.00	30.00	
	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 VTCs so far constructed by funding from MoTA with exact location and LGD code and actual physical and financial progress of work.					
	Total of Other Income Generating Scheme :		150.00	150.00	150.00	
V.	Adm./Inst. Research & Studies Sector					
1.	Construction of Stone masonry retaining wall to uphold Directorate Office building, SW&TA Aizawl	Chaltlang	15.00	15.00	15.00	As per comments below-
2.	Construction of ITDA Bldg (DSWO Office) Lunglei	Lunglei	95.00	55.00	55.00	
3.	Improvement of Development of Approach Rd to Opalbagan Village, KamalanagarChawngte 'C' - 4kms	Kamalanagar	70.00	70.00	70.00	
4.	Construction of ITDA Bldg (DSWO Office) Kolasib	Kolasib	95.00	55.00	55.00	
5.	Renovation of Creche Centre	Ngopa	1.00	1.00	1.00	
6.	Construction of Creche Centre	NE Khawdungs ei	8.94	8.94	8.94	
7.	Refurbishment of Godown roof of Ngopa ICDS Project	Ngopa	1.00	1.00	1.00	
8.	Construction of CDPO Office cum Nutrition Godown	Khawzawl	80.00	40.00	0.00	
9.	Construction of Bethany Road	Chhingaven g	224.00	70.00	70.00	
	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 buildings so far constructed by funding from MoTA with exact location and LGD code and actual physical and financial progress of work.					
	Total Adm./Inst. Research & Studies		589.94	315.94	275.94	


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Sector					
VI. Promotion of Sports & Games Sector					
1. Construction of viewing gallery at MFA Football ground at Sairang Dinthar Total Cost: 70.00 lakh	Sairang	70.00	70.00	70.00	
Total of Promotion of Sports & Games Sector :		190.00	130.00	70.00	
TOTAL OF NEW PROPOSALS :		1652.84	1318.84	892.32	
Liabilities under SCA to TSS:			650.00	650.00	
Committed Liabilities of Article :			275.00	275.00	
GRAND TOTAL :			2243.84	1817.32	

Summary of Release

	(Rs. in lakh)
A Total Amount approved by PAC for release during 2021-22	1817.32
B Amount concurred in by IFD for release at this stage	1817.32
C Amount to be released under the head of Creation of Capital Assets (CCA)	1298.68
D Amount being released under the head of Grant-in-aid General (GG)	518.64

2. You may please transfer the amount immediately to the Government of **Mizoram** and advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the accounts of the State Government of **Mizoram** 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. 5,18,64,000/- (Rupees Five Crore Eighteen Lakh Sixty-Four thousand 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)
05.01.31 - Grants-in-aid -General (Charged)
Demand No. - 99 for 2021-22 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs

5. The State Government will utilize the funds 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


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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 within 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. 19570/JS&FA/2021 dated 11.01.2022.

11. Certified that this sanction has been noted at S. No. 10 in the register of grants for the year 2021-22.

Yours faithfully,

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5. Principal Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Mizoram, Aizawl
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