

F.No.11015/02(17)/2021-Grants
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs

Jeevan Tara, New Delhi-110001
Dated: 31.03.2022

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Tribal Affairs,
Jeevan Tara Building,
New Delhi-110001.

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

Sir,

In continuation of this Ministry's letter of even no. dated 03.03.2022, I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of **Rs. 1,44,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Forty Four Lakh Only)**, to the Government of Nagaland towards Creation of Capital Assets (CCA) for **Grants under Article 275(1) of Constitution of India** for the year 2021-22 to carry out the following activities approved/finalized by PAC in its meeting 30.03.2022:

Additional Proposal/activity approved under Article 275(1) for the year 2021-22:

(Rs in lakh)					
Sl. No	Activity	Location	Amount sought	Amount approved for release during 2021-22	Remarks
1	Construction of Kohima Village Multipurpose Building at Ziekiezou	Ziekiezou, Kohima	1129.00	144.00	As per comments below: -
PAC approved an amount of Rs 500.00 lakh for the project and agreed to release an amount of Rs. 144.00 lakh during the current financial year and remaining amount Rs (500-144=356 lakh) to be released in subsequent years. Any additional expenditure beyond Rs 500.00 lakh as committed by MoTA will be borne by State Govt. State government also to ensure that the cost of land if any will not incurred from the grant given by the Ministry. PAC also did not approve the cost escalation. State to ensure that technical scrutiny of the project is done by the competent authority as per DFPR and work is executed by Govt. agency following transparency procedure. Further, land to be transferred in the name of village council/Govt. and Building to be owned and managed by the Govt. of Nagaland.					
Total				144.00	

Summary of Release

(Rs. in lakh)		
A	Amount approved as additional grant 2021-22	144.00
B	Amount being released under the head of Creation of Capital Assets (CCA)	144.00


(MANOJ KUMAR JHA)
उप सचिव/Under Secretary
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2. You may please transfer the amount immediately to the Government of Nagaland and advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above-mentioned amount to the accounts of the State Government of Nagaland 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. 1,44,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Forty Four Lakh Only)**, is debitable 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 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 (Voted)
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 2021-22 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 closure of the financial year by the State Government.


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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. 19571/JS&FA/2021 dated 31.03.2022.

11. Certified that this sanction has been noted at S. No. 39 in the grants register 2021-22.

Yours faithfully,



(M K Jha)

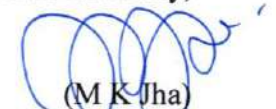
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2. Accountant General, Nagaland, Kohima.
3. Additional Secretary, Department of Tribal Affairs, Government of Nagaland, Kohima
4. Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Nagaland, Kohima.
5. Principal Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Nagaland, Kohima
6. Resident Commissioner, Government of Nagaland, Nagaland Bhawan, New Delhi.
7. Niti Aayog, Plan Coordination Division, Niti Aayog, New Delhi.
8. Director, PF-I Division, Ministry of Finance (Deptt. of Expenditure), North Block, New Delhi.
9. The Secretary, National Commission for STs, Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi.
10. JS(NJK)/ Dir (IFD)/ Hindi Section / Sanction Folder/ NIC.
11. Internal Audit Wing, Principal Account Office, New Delhi.

Yours faithfully,



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