

No. 08/01/2022-Livelihood
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs

New Delhi
Dated: 28.03.2022

To,
The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Tribal Affairs,
Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi – 110 001

Subject: Assignment sanction to TRIFED for release of Rs. 36,00,00,000/- (Rupees Thirty Six Crores only) as Grant-in-aid to Tribal Cooperative Marketing Development Federation of India Ltd. (TRIFED), New Delhi for the year 2021-22 under the Scheme "Marketing and Logistics Development for promoting tribal products from North Eastern Region".

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India to the Grant-in-Aid of 36,00,00,000/- (Rupees Thirty Six Crores only) for the financial year 2021-22 to Tribal Cooperative Marketing Development Federation of India Ltd. (TRIFED), New Delhi under the Scheme "Marketing and Logistics Development for promoting tribal products from North Eastern Region".

2. The approved sanction for the year 2021-22 under General Head is to be utilized for the implementation of the scheme as per the following breakup:

S. No.	Activity	Amount in crores
Marketing activities		
1	Procurement	27.39
2	Execution of marketing, branding, and publicity strategy of Tribes India products	2.68
3	Promotion in the international markets through trade consultants and partners, setting up e-marketplace for NER in international languages, participating in key trade events, organizing G2B and B2B events and knowledge tours; Sponsorship of key international activities	0.52
Logistics activities		
4	Strengthening of Postal Road network	0.26
5	Maintenance and operations of the transport network	0.78
6	Consultancy of the project (logistics component)	0.13
7	Managing the project office	1.29
8	OE/TA/Misc/PMU	0.13
Incubation activities		


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9	Setting up of 8 incubation and aggregation centers (1 in each of the North-Eastern State)	0.50
10	Packaging, Standardization and management of the collection Centres and warehouse	1.03
11	Selection & Extension Work for empanelment of Artisans and Suppliers	0.10
12	Capacity building of artisans,	1.19
13	Advocacy workshops,	
14	Financial linkages,	
15	Implementation of Quality checks	
	Total	36.00

3. The Expenditure involved will be met from within the Sanctioned Budget Grant of Ministry of Tribal Affairs under the Demand No. 99, Ministry of Tribal Affairs, for the financial year 2021-22 (Plan):

Major Head -2225 – Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes and Minorities,
Sub Major Head 02 – Welfare of Scheduled Tribes,
Sub Minor Head - 796 – Tribal Area Sub Plan,
17 – Support to Tribal Institutions,
06- Marketing and Logistics Development for promoting tribal products from North Eastern Region
17.06.31 – Grants-in-aid General

4. The instant grant of Rs. **36,00,00,000/- (Rupees Thirty Six Crores only)** will be drawn by the Drawing and Disbursing Officer, Ministry of Tribal Affairs on the prescribed Performa of Grants-in-Aid Bill by presenting to the Pay & Accounts Officer and will be paid to the Tribal Cooperative Marketing Development Federation of India Limited (TRIFED), 2nd Floor, NCUI Building, 3, Siri Institutional Area, August Kranti Marg, New Delhi-110 016, by Electronic Clearing System (ECS) as per the following details :-

Name of the Bank	Branch	SB A/c No.	IFSC Code	MICR Code
Reserve Bank of India	RBI Sansad Marg, Delhi	10693701001	RBIS0PFMS01	

5. The Grants-in-aid will be regulated in accordance with the provisions contained in the Scheme guidelines.


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6. The Grants-in-aid is also subject to the Chapter 9 of the General Financial Rules, 2017 (GFRs), as amended from time to time, read with the Government of India's decisions incorporated there-under, and any other guidelines which may be issued in this regard, and in particular to conditions under GFR-232, along with the following:

- i) Certified that the pattern of assistance of rules governing such grants-in-aid have received the approval of the Ministry of Finance, as required under Govt. of India Decision No.(1) under DFPR-Rule 20.
- ii) Assets acquired wholly or substantially out of Government Grants shall not be disposed off without obtaining the prior approval of the sanctioning authority of Grant-in-aid.
- iii) The accounts of the grantee organization shall be audited by the Comptroller & Auditor-General of India (C&AG) or by any person authorized by him on his behalf in accordance with the provisions laid down in Section 14 of the C&AG (Duties, Powers & Conditions of Service) Act, 1971 as amended from time to time.
- iv) The accounts of the grantee organization shall be open for inspection by the sanctioning authority and audit, both by the Comptroller & Auditor General of India under the provisions of C&AG (DPC) Act, 1971 and Internal Audit by the Principal Accounts Office of the Ministry or Department whenever it is called upon to do so.
- v) The grantee organization will spend the Grants-in-aid exclusively in pursuance of the objectives envisaged in the scheme for the purpose it is being sanctioned.
- vi) Grants-in-aid to the grantee organization is subject to the economy instructions issued from time to time by the Ministry of Finance or by the Competent Authority.
- vii) The grantee organization has no utilization certificates as due for rendition under the rules.
- viii) In the event of the grantee organization failing to comply with the conditions, it shall be liable to refund to the sanctioning authority the whole of the amount of the grant with interest at 10% per annum thereon.
- ix) The grantee organization will maintain a separate account of the Government grant as per guidelines of the scheme.
- x) The grantee organization has to forward an inspection-cum-commencement report in respect of the activities within the period of six months.
- xi) TRIFED shall properly design the Output - Outcome Monitoring Framework to assess the progress and impact of the scheme in coordination with DEMO, NITI Aayog.
- xii) The Scheme shall end after two years. TRIFED shall ensure that there is no committed liability at the end of the second year.


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xiii) TRIFED shall ensure that there is no duplication of expenditure on any work under this scheme, which is being carried out under any other scheme of Government of India.

7. The Utilization Certification for the grant received for the purpose, for which it was sanctioned is to be furnished by the grantee organization as per rule of 238 of GFR along with progress report (both physical & financial) and Audited Statement of Accounts.

8. TRIFED must provide the Ministry with a Physical Progress Report with respect to the instant grant-in-aid before seeking next installment.

9. This sanction issues with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division of Ministry of Tribal Affairs vide their **FTS/22976/JS&FA/2022** dated **25.03.2022**.

10. Certified that this sanction has been noted at **Sl. No. 1** in the Register of Grants.

Yours faithfully,



(Nadeem Ahmad)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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2. The Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, North Block, New Delhi
3. The NITI Ayog, Niti Bhavan, New Delhi
4. Secretary, Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region, New Delhi.
5. CCA, Ministry of Tribal Affairs, New Delhi.
6. The Drawing & Disbursing Officer, Ministry of Tribal Affairs, New Delhi.
7. The Comptroller & Auditor General of India, New Delhi.
8. The Managing Director, TRIFED, 2nd Floor, NCUI Building, 3, Siri Institutional Area, August Kranti Marg, New Delhi-110 016
9. The Planning Commission (BC Division), Plan Coordination, Yojana Bhavan, New Delhi
10. Director (Fin)/NIC/Hindi Section/Sanction Folder.
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