

F.No.11015/02(02)/2022-Grants

Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs

Jeevan Tara, New Delhi-110001

Dated: 03.03.2023

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Tribal Affairs,
Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi-11001.

Subject: Grants under Proviso to Article 275(1) of Constitution during 2022-23 to the State Government of Arunachal Pradesh (Grant-in-aid General).

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of **Rs. 1,00,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Only)**, to the State Government of **Arunachal Pradesh** towards **Grant-in-aid General for Grants under Article 275(1) of the Constitution** for the year 2022-23 to carry out the following activities approved/finalized in PAC meeting dated 26.12.2022:

Proposals in respect of committed liabilities for the FY 2022-23:

(Rs in lakh)

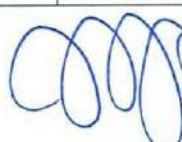
S. No.	Activity	Total fund approved	Funds Already released	Funds sought during 2022-23	Fund approved by PAC	Remarks
1.	Establishment of large cardamom garden at Saken, under Tirbin circle, Lower Sian District (2018-19)	100.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	For s.no. 1 The garden should be utilized for common purpose and be maintained under government supervision. PAC approved the release of the balance amount for the sanctioned activities.
2.	Integrated fish farming at Badi Deke village in Lower Siang District. (2018-19)	100.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	
3.	Additional Infrastructure for EMRS, Lumla, West Kameng (Boys Hostel (60 Bedded Boys Hostel) (2016-17)	249.97	123.53	126.44	126.44	
4.	Additional Infrastructure for EMRS, Bana, East Kameng (50 Boarders Hostel -25 Boys& 25 Girl) (2016-17)	215.36	125.00	90.36	90.36	
	Total	665.33	348.53	316.80	316.80	


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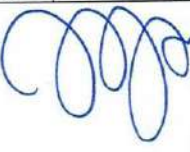
Annual Plan activities approved by PAC –

(Rs in lakh)

S. No.	Activity	Location	Funds sought during 2022-23	Fund approved by PAC	Remarks
A.	Proposals of last FY 2021-22 (not approved) re-recommended for approval during FY 2022-23:				
1.	Construction of Secondary School building at Korunu, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh	Lower Dibang Valley District	100.00	100.00	
PAC approved the project with the condition that State will 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 is executed by Govt. agency in a transparent manner. PAC instructed the State to ensure that all facilities should be owned by the Government. PAC further instructed that the recurring cost of the school is to be borne by the State.					
	Total A		100.00	100.00	
B.	New Proposals recommended for FY 2022-23				
2.	Construction of Sub-Centre at Kathan, Lohit District, Arunachal Pradesh	Lohit	40.00	40.00	As given below:
3.	Construction of Operation Theatre and strengthening of wards at Community Health Centre at Mebo, East Siang District, Arunachal Pradesh	East Siang	41.00	41.00	
4.	Construction of New School Building for Government Secondary School (GSS) Namsai, Namsai District, Arunachal Pradesh	Namsai	125.00	125.00	
5.	Construction of School Building at Govt. Upper Primary School (UPS), Yallang under Sagalee circle of Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh	Papum Pare	62.50	62.50	
6.	Construction of School Building at Seru Secondary School, Tawang District, Arunachal Pradesh	Tawang	125.00	125.00	
7.	Construction of School building at New Kothung village, Tirap District, Arunachal Pradesh	Tirap	31.25	31.25	
8.	Construction of Ten Additional Classroom for primary schools under Nari circle, Lower Siang District, Arunachal Pradesh	Lower Siang	125.00	125.00	
9.	Construction of Foot Suspension Bridge over Sieriver to connect Bege Primary School to Yordo village, Tirbin circle, Leparada District, Arunachal Pradesh	Leparada	100.00	100.00	
10.	Construction of Infrastructure Development in Community Health Centre Kamba, West Siang District, Arunachal Pradesh.	West Siang	41.50	41.50	
11.	Construction of Primary Health Centre at	Kamle	125.00	125.00	


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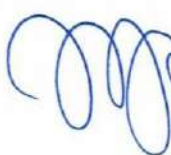
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	Nguri village, Kamle District, Arunachal Pradesh				
12.	Construction of Primary Health Centre at Mikkong village, East Siang District, A.P.	East Siang	50.00	50.00	
PAC approved the projects with the condition that State will ensure that technical scrutiny of estimates for the work is done by competent authority as per provisions of DFPR applicable in the state and project is executed by Govt. agency in a transparent manner. PAC also directed that for beneficiary-oriented project, selection of beneficiaries is to be ensured by the state in a transparent manner. For suspension bridge projects, PAC directed the State to obtain quality assurance certificate from the nearest IIT/NIT to ensure safety and security of the bridge, and the project should be implemented by the State government. PAC further directed the State to ensure that all facilities should be owned by Government agencies/Local bodies for public purpose.					
13.	Construction of Class room at Govt. ME School, Namsing in East Siang, AP	East Siang	100.00	100.00	As given below:
PAC approved the project with the condition that State will 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 is executed by Govt. agency in a transparent manner. PAC instructed the State to clarify the number of classrooms being constructed.					
14.	Construction of Suspension Bridge over Rem River at Nguri village under Gepen circle, Kamle District, A.P.	Kamle	100.00	100.00	As given below:
15.	Construction of OPD building with basic infrastructure at PHC Tarak Langdi, Kra Daadi District, Arunachal Pradesh	Kra Daadi	150.00	150.00	
16.	Construction of school building at Govt. Middle School, Rai Balo	Kra Daadi	150.00	150.00	
17.	Construction of wire rope suspension bridge over Palam river at vogba in between Tami and Hania village under Pipsorang, Kra Daadi District, A.P.	Kra Daadi	100.00	100.00	
18.	Infrastructure development at Primary Health Centre at Nade of Sarli CD Block, Kurung Kumey District, A.P.	Kurung Kumey	100.00	100.00	
19.	Infrastructure Development of primary Health Centre at Pinchi village under Phassang circle, Kurung Kumey District, A.P.	Kurung Kumey	200.00	200.00	
20.	Construction of Compound Wall Around Upper Primary School Yumlam at Yumlam, Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh	Kurung Kumey	100.00	100.00	
21.	Construction of wire rope suspension bridge over Kurung river to connect Yapak to Nyorik Takde in Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh	Kurung Kumey	150.00	150.00	
22.	Construction of wire rope suspension bridge	Kurung	150.00	150.00	


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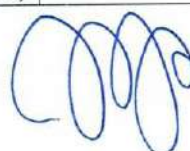
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	to Pabin river between Tongba to Keba village, Kurung Kumey District, A.P.	Kumey			
23.	Construction of School building at Govt. Residential School, Chulla under Paniasang Circle, Kurung Kumey District, A.P.	Kurung Kumey	80.00	80.00	
24.	Construction of Library Building, Extension of class room and Toilet for Boys and Girls at Govt. Middle School Chello, Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh	Kurung Kumey	100.00	100.00	
25.	Construction of Water Tank cum Toilet at Mabira for village, Namsai District, A.P.	Namsai	50.00	50.00	
26.	Construction of wire rope suspension bridge over Parang river between Silsango to Govt. Middle School, Kuch Kute, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh	Papum Pare	67.00	67.00	
27.	Construction of 70 Mtrs Suspension steel bridge over Chimpu river between Dorjee Khandu Badminton Stadium to Siring Colony Chimpu, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh	Papum Pare	150.00	150.00	
28.	Construction of Govt. Upper primary School Building at Moying, Upper Siang District, Arunachal Pradesh	Upper Siang	200.00	200.00	

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29.	Construction of Sub centre Medical Building at Paling Arunachal Pradesh	Upper Siang	80.00	80.00	As given below:
30.	Construction of 2 (two) Sub Centre Medical Building at Mopom and Sikko Bine Arunachal Pradesh	Upper Siang	120.00	120.00	
31.	Infrastructure development of PHC at Payeng Hq. Payeng Circle, Upper Subansiri District, Arunachal Pradesh	Upper Subansiri	150.00	150.00	
32.	Construction of Suspension Bridge over Kojen river in between Rigia to Duchok in Upper Subansiri District, A.P.	Upper Subansiri	150.00	150.00	
33.	Construction of wire rope suspension bridge connecting to Drazalok village of West Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh	West Kameng	150.00	150.00	


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34.	Construction of PHC Building with Compound wall at Nikte/Kodum circle in West Siang District, Arunachal Pradesh	West Siang	200.00	200.00	
35.	Construction of 10 unit Teacher Quarter at Govt. Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya (KGBV)- II Girls School Kembang, TarakLengdi Circle, KraDaadi District, Arunachal Pradesh.	KraDaadi	125.00	125.00	
36.	Construction of Approach Road at Duku (SSB) Gate, Ziro-1, Lower Subansiri District, Arunachal Pradesh.	Lower Subansiri	50.00	50.00	
37.	Construction of Road from Jara village to Divisional Commissioner Office, Ziro-II, Lower Subansiri District, Arunachal Pradesh	Lower Subansiri	50.00	50.00	
38.	Construction of De-addiction Centre at Jia, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh	Lower Dibang Valley	62.00	62.00	
39.	Construction of Infrastructure Development at Health and Wellness Centre (HWC) at Baliso, Pakke Kessang District, Arunachal Pradesh.	Pakke Kessang	125.00	125.00	
40.	Construction of Village link road at Makat village, Tirap District, Arunachal Pradesh	Tirap	31.25	31.25	
41.	Infrastructure Development of Community Health Centre (CHC) Kanubari, Longding District,	Longding	125.00	125.00	
42.	Furnishing of 100 bedded Girls Hostel at Miao, Changlang Distt.	Changlang	25.00	25.00	
43.	Construction of Hostel at New Dukpey Residential School, Changlang District, Arunachal Pradesh	Changlang	25.00	25.00	
44.	Construction of School Kitchen at LiyaMeorang residential School, East Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh	East Kameng	10.00	10.00	
45.	Construction of Girls Hostel at Pakoti Secondary School, East Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh	East Kameng	25.00	25.00	
46.	Construction of Link road from Lombung to puying under Rumgong circle, Siang District, Arunachal Pradesh	Siang	60.00	60.00	
47.	Construction of Teachers Quarter (Bachelor Barrack) of Govt. Upper Primary School (UPS) Lipu Bagra, West Siang District, Arunachal Pradesh	West Siang	42.00	42.00	
48.	Up-gradation of Primary Health Centre (PHC) at Monigong, Shi-Yomi District,	Shi-Yomi	125.00	125.00	

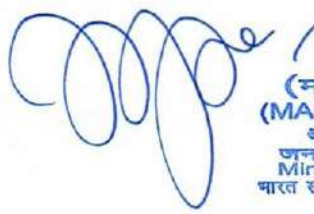

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	Arunachal Pradesh				
49.	Construction of Link road from Pangia PMGSY road to Lojo Agriculture field near Marjingla, East Kameng District, A.P.	East kameng	100.00	100.00	
50.	Construction of village Link Road with Culvert and Side Drain by connecting Anganwadi and Medical at Sika Tode village, East Siang District, A.P.	East Siang	150.00	150.00	
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51.	Construction of indigenous Faith Culture Centre (Multipurpose Hall) at Seppa, East Kameng Dist., AP	East Kameng	1000.00	300.00	As given below:
Approved in principle for Rs. 300.00 lakh with the condition that estimate to be approved by the technical & administrative competent authority as per provisions of DFPR applicable in the state and project is executed by Govt. agency in a transparent manner. PAC further instructed the State to ensure that the facility should be owned by Government agencies/Local bodies for public purpose.					
Total (A+B)			6043.50	5193.50	

Summary of Release

		(Rs. in lakh)
A	Amount approved for release during 2022-23	5510.30
B	Amount to be released under the head of Creation of Capital Assets (CCA) at this stage	2892.63
C	Amount being released under the head of Grant-in-aid-General (GGA)	100.00

2. You may please transfer the amount immediately to the Government of **Arunachal Pradesh** and advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above-mentioned amount to the accounts of the State Government of **Arunachal 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 TSS Division of the Ministry.


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3. No UC is due for rendition.

4. The expenditure to the tune of **Rs. 1,00,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore 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 to Article 275 (1) of the Constitution.
01	-	Grants under Proviso to Article 275(1) of the Constitution (Charged)
05.01.31	-	Grant-in-aid General (Charged)
Demand No.	-	100 for 2022-23 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs

5. The State Government will implement the projects within the amount released by the Ministry during 2022-23 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. 18015/06/2019-Grants dated 23.04.2020 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 2.1 and 2.2 of revised guidelines dated 23.04.2020.

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. Funds are being released to State Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh for the year 2022-23 subject to the following conditions:

- Report of technical scrutiny of estimates for the works by competent authority is obtained by the State Govt. and shared with this Ministry
- Compliance of directions of PAC for respective projects/activities,
- Compliance of usual terms & conditions of GFR/scheme.


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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 as per provision of GFR 2017.

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.23079/JS&FA/2022 dated 01.03.2023.**

11. Certified that this sanction has been noted at **S. No. 19** in the register of grants 2022-23.

Yours faithfully,

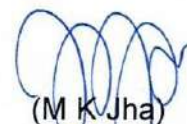


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2. Accountant General, Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar.
3. The commissioner –cum-secretary, ST and SC Development Department, Government of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar
4. Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar.
5. Principal Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar
6. Resident Commissioner, Government of Arunachal Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh 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.
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