

F.No.11015/01(29)/2021-SCA
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs
(SCA to TSS Division)

Cabin No.2, Jeevantara building,
New Delhi, Dated: 29.03.2023

To

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

Subject: Release of funds under Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub-Scheme (SCA to TSS) during 2022-23 to the Union Territory of Ladakh.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of **Rs.62,92,500/- (Rupees Sixty Two Lakh Ninety Two Thousand Five Hundred only)** (including Rs.25.17 lakh as General) approved for the Union Territory of Ladakh as Central Assistance under the scheme of 'Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub- Scheme (SCA to TSS)', now renamed as Pradhan Mantri Aadi Adarsh Gram Yojana (PMAAGY) for the year 2022-23 to carry out activities for the welfare and development of Scheduled Tribes best suited to the need of the identified villages in the larger interest of tribal people as per the scheme guidelines as per following break-up:

		(Rs. in lakh)
A	Total Villages identified under PMAAGY	132
B	No. of Villages to be taken up against sanctioned fund as share of allocation for the year 2021-22	28
C	Admissible Central Assistance under PMAAGY @ 50% of Rs.20.38 lakh per village (Rs. in lakh) out of B above.	285.32
D	No of Villages to be taken up against sanctioned fund as share of allocation for the year 2022-23	24
E	Amount eligible for release under PMAAGY @ 50% of Rs.20.38 lakh per village (Rs. in lakh) for villages out of D above.	244.56
F	Admissible Central Assistance under PMAAGY @ 25% of Rs.20.38 lakh per village (Rs. in lakh) as one installment for villages out of D above.	122.28
G	Total Amount concurred by IFD for release vide Comp. No. 21426/JS&FA/2021 Dated 23.09.2022	527.73
H	Amount already released vide sanction order dated 23.09.2023	407.60
I	Remaining amount to be released	120.13
J	Amount being released at this stage	62.925

2. You may please transfer the amount immediately to the UT administration of Ladakh and advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above-mentioned amount to the accounts of the UT administration of Ladakh 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.

3. No UC is due for rendition.


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अवर सचिव/Under Secretary
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4. The expenditure to the tune of **Rs.62,92,500/- (Rupees Sixty Two Lakh Ninety Two Thousand Five Hundred only)**, is debitable to the:

- Major Head '3601' - Grants-in-aid to State Governments
- Sub-major Head 06 - Grants for Centrally Sponsored Schemes
- Minor Head 794 - Special Central Assistance for Tribal Sub-Plan
 - 02 - Programme for Development of Scheduled Tribes (PM Vanbandhu Kalyan Yojna)
 - 01 - Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub Scheme (SCA to TSS)
 - 02.01.35 - Creation of Capital Assets (Charged)
- Demand No. - 100 for 2022-23 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs

5. The sanctioned funds is an additive to UT Plan funds and efforts for Tribal Development. These funds must be utilized for welfare and development of Schedule Tribes commensurate with objectives enshrined in the scheme guidelines as amended from time to time.

6. UT administration shall ensure immediate transfer of funds to respective implementing agencies for implementation of activities to be approved by MoTA PAC / Competent Authority. The UT administrations shall maintain the details regarding progress of implementation of the scheme and utilization of the Central Assistance in appropriate format prescribed in the guidelines and as and when provided by MoTA from time to time. 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. UT administration 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 UT administration should be followed.

8. UT administration shall ensure that concerned Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs) should be duly informed about the projects / programmes relating to Tribal Development to be implemented in the area of jurisdiction. UT administration shall also ensure that meetings of Gram Sabha are conducted on regular interval as per norms in such areas.

9. The UT administration shall ensure that guidelines issued by the Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance vide O.M. No. 1(33)/PFMS/FCD/2020 dated 23rd March 2021 and further relevant instructions issued from time to time are complied with.

10. This sanction issues in exercise of the delegated powers in consultation with Integrated Finance Division vide Comp. No. **21426/JS&FA/2021 Dated 23.09.2022**

11. Certified that this sanction has been noted at S. No. 23 in the Register of Grants (CCA) for the year 2022-23.

Yours faithfully,

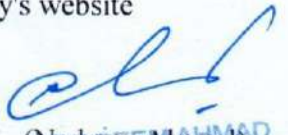
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1. The Secretary, Social and Tribal Welfare Department, UT Administration of Ladakh.
2. The Research Officer, Tribal Welfare, UT Administration of Ladakh.
3. The Secretary, Finance Department, UT Administration of Ladakh.
4. The Secretary, Planning Department, UT Administration of Ladakh.
5. The Secretary, National Commission for STs, Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi
6. The Director General of Audit, Central Revenue, I.P. Estate, New Delhi
7. The NITI Aayog, Yojna Bhawan, New Delhi.
8. The Chief Controller of Accounts, Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Room No. 403, 'C'-wing, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
9. Internal Audit, Ground Floor, D-Wing, Wing, M/o HRD, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi- 110001
10. Resident Commissioner, UT Administration of Ladakh, Ladakh Bhawan, New Delhi.
11. PS to AS (Sch), US (IFD) Guard File, Spare copy
12. Director (NIC) — with a request for uploading copy of sanction on the Ministry's website


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