F.No.11015/ 03(16)/2023-Grants
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs

Jeevan Tara, New Delhi-110001
Dated: 29.02.2024

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 2023-24 to the State Government of Mizoram as Creation of Capita Assets (CCA).

Sir,

In continuation of this Ministry's letter even dated 06.09.2023, I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of **Rs. 2,52,32,000/- (Rupees Two Crore Fifty Two Lakh Thirty Two Thousands Only),** to the Government of **Mizoram** towards Creation of Capita Assets for **Grants under as Article 275(1) of the Constitution** for the year 2023-24 to carry out the following activities:

Annual Plan under Article 275(1) for financial year 2023-24

Committed Liability:

(Rs. In lakhs)

S. No.	Activity	Location	Funds Already released	Funds sought during 2023-24	Fund approved by PAC	Remarks
1	Augmentation and Upgradation of AH & Vety. Farm Complex **Sanction Year-2022-23 Total cost-250**	Mampui	39.85	90.15	90.15	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 90.15 lakhs** and CL of Rs. 120.00 lakh for subsequent years
2	Construction of Mara Tribal Girl's Hostel **Sanction Year-2022-23 Total cost-700**	Kaushik Enclave New Delhi	100.00	80.00	80.00	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 80.00 lakhs** and CL of Rs. 520.00 lakh for subsequent years
3	Improvement of Approach Road RCC Pavement to	Kelsih	80.00	100.00	100.00	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 100.00 lakhs**

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	Tribal Freedom Fighter Ropuiliani Museum via Tribal Research Institute **Sanction Year-2022-23 Total cost-333.53**					and CL of Rs. 153.53 lakh for subsequent years
4	Construction of Centre of Excellence for Women and Child Development **Sanction Year-2022-23 Total cost-300.00**	Tlangnuam	80.00	90.00	90.00	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 90.00 lakhs** and CL of Rs. 130.00 lakh for subsequent years
5	Construction of Multi-purpose Community **Sanction Year-2022-23 Total cost-300.00**	Hall Darlawn	80.00	70.00	70.00	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 70.00 lakhs** and CL of Rs. 150.00 lakh for subsequent years
6	Construction of Brick wall Boundary Fencing (Block 1 & 2) for protective Home **Sanction Year-2022-23 Total cost-125.31**	Maumual	60.00	65.31	65.31	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 65.31 lakhs** and No CL for subsequent years
7	Construction of Auditorium **Sanction Year-2022-23 Total cost-523.00**	Pukpui	70.00	73.00	73.00	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 73.00 lakhs** and CL of Rs. 380.00 lakh for subsequent years
8	Construction of Tribal Hostel **Sanction Year-2022-23 Total cost-320.00**	Suangpuilawn, Saitual	70.00	70.00	70.00	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 70.00 lakhs** and CL of Rs. 180.00 lakh for subsequent years
9	Construction of hostel for ST girls **Sanction Year-2022-23**	Champhai	80.00	82.75	82.75	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 82.75 lakhs** and CL of Rs. 300.00

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	Total cost-462.75					lakh for subsequent years
10	Vertical Extension of Serchhip sub-Hqrs. YMA Community Centre **Sanction Year-2022-23 Total cost-98.00**	Serchip	50.00	48.00	48.00	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 48.00 lakhs** and No CL for subsequent years
11	Multi-disciplinary Centre Meisavaih **Sanction Year-2022-23 Total cost-600.00**	Saiha	80.00	80.00	80.00	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 80.00 lakhs** and CL of Rs. 440.00 lakh for subsequent years
12	Construction of Community Hall Chamring, **Sanction Year-2022-23 Total cost-70.00**	Aizawl	50.00	20.00	20.00	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 20.00 lakhs** and No CL for subsequent years
13	Construction of Tribal Art Development Centre **Sanction Year-2022-23 Total cost-98.50**	Lengpui	40.00	58.50	58.50	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 58.50 lakhs** and No CL for subsequent years
14	"Development of Farkawn Travelers' Inn" **Sanction Year-2022-23 Total cost-70.00**	Farkawn	40.00	30.00	30.00	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 30.00 lakhs** and no CL for subsequent years
15	Construction of Saitual ITDA building for staff quarters under SW&TA **Sanction Year-2022-23 Total cost-59.55**	Saitual	40.00	19.55	19.55	PAC approved an amount of **Rs. 19.55 lakhs** and No CL for subsequent years
Total			**959.85**	**977.26**	**977.26**	

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New Proposals approved by the PAC –

(Rs. In Lakh)

S. No.	Name of Activity	Location with LGD Codes	Funds sought for FY 2023-24	Fund Approved by PAC for 2023-24	Remarks
1.	Improvement of high school Building, **@49.02, Units-1**	Ramhlun Vengthar	49.02	49.02	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.
2.	Improvement of Chhuanthar Baktawng water supply **@12.50, Units-1**	Chhuanthar Tlangnuam (271382)	12.50	12.50	
3.	Construction of Rural Animal Health centre **@30.00, Units-1**	Tlungvel (271283)	30.00	30.00	
4.	Construction of Care home for Senior Citizens Affected with Alzheimer's/ Dementia **@323.681, Unit-1**	Ainawn Veng, Aizawl	113.00	113.00	
5.	Construction of Multi-Service Centres for Senior Citizen in Mizoram, **@290.00, Units-1**	Zemabawk	100.00	100.00	
6.	Construction of Darlawng High School building **@25.00, Units-1**	Darlawng	25.00	25.00	
7.	Construction of PPC flooring towards slaughterhouse at Mualpui **@7.589, Units-1**	Mualpui, Aizawl	7.589	7.589	
8.	Construction of Higher Secondary School building **@25.00, Units-1**	Chhiahtlang North (916414)	25.00	25.00	
9.	Construction of Health & Wellness Officer Quarter **@19.19, Units-1**	Hriangtlang (271396)	19.90	19.90	
10.	Construction of PCC flooring of Agriculture Link Road from Zote Main Road to Thingmaldin Zau **@25.49, Units-1**	Champhai, (935480)	25.49	25.49	
11.	Construction of Waiting Shed near Police Check Point, **@10.00, Units-1**	(B-6520 V-271338)	10.00	10.00	
12.	Construction of Health Clinic Centre, **@2.50, Units-1**	Lungphunlian (B-6520 V-271342)	2.50	2.50	
13.	Construction of Rural Animal Health Centre Cum Surveillance Check Gate, **@50.00, Units-1**	Kanhmun (271013)	50.00	50.00	

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14.	Construction of water storage tank,**@7.00, Units-1**	Zawlnuam (935428)	7.00	7.00	
15.	Renovation/Repair of VFA Qtrs, **@1.50, Units-1**	Lungdai (931585)	1.50	1.50	
16.	Renovation /Repair of VFA Qtrs, **@1.50, Units-1**	Kawnpui III, (935393)	1.50	1.50	
17.	Renovation/Repair of IV Grade Quarter **@1.50, Units-1**	Vairengte II (935387),	1.50	1.50	
18.	Renovation/Repair of VFA Quarter, @1.50, Units-1	Thingdawl (271142)	1.50	1.50	
19.	Renovation/Repair of RAHC, **@1.50, Units-1**	Hortoki (271147)	1.50	1.50	
20.	Renovation/Repair of Vety Dispensary, **@2.00, Units-1**	Bukpui (271151)	2.00	2.00	
21.	Renovation of Calf Shed, Calf Rearing Farm **@2.50, Units-2**	Thingdawl (271142)	5.00	5.00	
22.	Renovation of Vety Surveillance Office **@1.50, Units-1**	Saiphai (271159)	1.50	1.50	
23.	Water Supply Scheme for Eklavya Model Residential School (EMRS) Tuipang Solar Pumping Scheme **@315.69, Units-1**	Siaha, (267)	115.69	115.69	
24.	Construction of Playground in Eklavya Model Residential School, **@76.40, Units-1**	Chawhnu, Lawngtlai, (264)	76.40	76.40	
25.	Providing Water Connection in Eklavya Model Residential School, **@39.22, Units-1**	Chawngte, (264)	39.22	39.22	
26.	Construction of Water Reservoir in Eklavya Model Residential School **@24.22, Units-1**	Lawngtlai, (264)	24.22	24.22	
27.	Construction of Side Drain from Dillui to Khenkhupa house, **@2.00, Units-1**	Teikhang	2.00	2.00	
28.	Construction of slab culvert near Lalnuntluanga house **@5.00, Units-1**	Pawlrang	5.00	5.00	

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29.	Construction of village internal road, **@12.00, Units-1**	Hliappui	12.00	12.00	
30.	Construction of Resource Centre, **@13.00, Units-1**	Chawngtlai Phai Veng	13.00	13.00	
31.	Construction of Resource Centre, **@13.00, Units-1**	Khawzawl Darngawn	13.00	13.00	
32.	Construction of Resource Centre, **@5.00, Units-1**	Khualen	5.00	5.00	
33.	Construction of Anganwadi Centre-III building **@13.00, Units-1**	Chaltlang, Aizawl	13.00	13.00	
34.	Renovation of Anganwadi Centre Building **@9.71, Units-1**	Shalom Veng, Bawngkawn	9.71	9.71	
35.	Reconstruction of 4 Anganwadi Centre **@6.00, Units-4**	Saron Veng (271405), Lalmual Veng (271377), Serchhip (935403), Kanghmun (271541)	24.00	24.00	
36.	Construction of 3 Anganwadi Centre **@6.00, Units-3**	Rawpuichhip AWC (V264587) Parvatui (1271097) Mamit-XI (935424)	18.00	18.00	
37.	Reconstruction of 4 Anganwadi **@6.00, Units-4**	Pangbalkawn (271169) Bairabi VIII935390Kawnpui AWCVI (264626) N.Hlimen AWCI (264648)	24.00	24.00	
38.	Reconstruction of 2 Anganwadi Centres **@6.00, Units-2**	Khawhri (271596), Rawpui (271589)	12.00	12.00	
39.	Reconstruction of 2 Anganwadi Centres **@6.00, Units-2**	Ngopa IV (264438) Ngopa (264438)	12.00	12.00	
	Total		**911.24**	**911.24**	-

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Additional Plan received from State Govt. under Article 275(1) for financial year 2023-24.

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1.	Construction of Aizawl Tribal Residential coaching and career planning centre at Durtlang Unit cost-400.00, Unit-1	Durtlang, Aizawl	135.00	135.00	PAC approved the above projects with the condition that the State will ensure that technical scrutiny of estimates for the work is done by competent authority as per provision of DFPR applicable in the State and project is executed by Govt. agency in a Transparent manner with complete control over cost-benefit analysis plus M&E.
2.	Construction of Rainwater Harvesting Structure at Mualthuam South Village Unit cost-42.80, Beneficiary- 127 Households	Mualthuam South Lunglei District	42.80	42.80	
3.	Construction of Rainwater Harvesting Structure at Thlengtlang village Unit cost-24.52, Beneficiary- 59 Households	Thlengtlang, Lunglei District, 271584	24.52	24.52	
4.	Construction of Office Building, govt Middle School Unit cost-50.00, Unit-1	Thingsai, 271601	50.00	50.00	
	Total (C)		**252.32**	**252.32**	

Summary of Release

(Rs. In lakh)

A	Share of allocation for 2023-24 under Article 275(1)	**2522.61**
B	Previous years pending UC (-)	0.00
C	Admissible amount (A-B)	2522.61
D	Amount approved by PAC dated 28.08.2023	1888.50
E	Amount approved by PAC dated 23.02.2024	252.32
F	Total fund approved by PAC for 2023-24	2140.82
G	Fund already released (sanction order dt 06.09.2023)	1888.50
H	**Amount being released under the head of Creation of Capital Assets (CCA) (F-G)**	**252.32**

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 TSS Division of the Ministry.

3. No UC is due for rendition.

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4. The expenditure to the tune of **Rs. 2,52,32,000/- (Rupees Two Crore Fifty Two Lakh Thirty Two Thousands 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)
05.01.35	-	Grants for Creation of Capital Assets (Charged)
Demand No.	-	100 for 2023-24 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs

5. The State Government will implement the projects within the amount released by the Ministry during 2023-24 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.

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. 25539/JS&FA/2023 dated 29.02.2024.**

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11. Certified that this sanction has been noted at **S. No. 21** in the register of grants 2023-24.

Yours faithfully,

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4. Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Mizoram, Aizawl.
5. Principal Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Mizoram, Aizawl
6. Resident Commissioner, Government of Mizoram, Mizoram Bhawan, New Delhi.
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