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Government of India  
Ministry of Tribal Affairs  
(TRI & Media Division)

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi- 110 001

Dated: 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2025

To,

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

**Subject:-** Release of Grants-in-Aid General (Charged) under Centrally Sponsored Scheme of “Support to Tribal Research Institutes (TRIs)” to Arunachal Pradesh for the year 2024-25.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for releasing an amount of **₹1,50,00,000 (Rupees One Crore Fifty Lakh Only)** as 1<sup>st</sup> instalment as Grant-in-Aid – General (Charged) under Centrally Sponsored Scheme of “Support to TRIs” to Government of Arunachal Pradesh for the year 2024-25 to carry out the activities approved by APEX Committee of the Ministry in its meeting dated 21.10.2024 and dated 18.02.2025. The details of the activities are as under:

**1.1 Committed Liability of previous years:**

Amount (₹) in lakh

Project	Year of Approval	Amount Approved	Amount Released	Balance Amount	Amount to be released during 2024-25	Remarks
Construction of TRI Building	2017-18	2794.64	1782.55	1012.09	0.00	
Regular TRI Activities	2020-21	225.00	103.88	121.12	121.12	Approved
Regular TRI Activities	2022-23	112.90	0.00	112.90	0.00	
Regular TRI Activities	2023-24	25.00	0.00	25.00	25.00	Approved
		<b>3157.54</b>	<b>1886.43</b>	<b>1271.11</b>	<b>146.12</b>	

**1.2 New Project Proposals of TRI, Arunachal Pradesh (FY 2024-25):**

Amount (₹) in lakh

S.N.	Activities	Amount sought	Amount approved	Remarks of the Division
1	Documentation and making of documentaries on tribal cuisines of 5 tribals of the State	500.00	15.00	Approved. Adjunct work for Aadi Sanskriti – vetting of content and documentation/curation for digital repository not taken up by vendor may be allowed for all TRIs.
2	Documentation and audio visual on various tribal art	500.00	15.00	The TRIs are required to coordinate

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	and craft for 5 tribes of the State			with the vendor and enable him to shoot videos and photograph on site with the tribal communities as also to mentor the vendor on the sensitivities and sensibilities of the tribal culture. Further, they must provide additional material for the Aadi Sanskriti portal.
3	Documentation, development of books and audio-visuials on folklores and folktales of 5 tribes	500.00	15.00	
4	Development of Dictionary for tribal languages for 5 Tribes	500.00	3.00	<b>Approved.</b> The budget appears to be on the higher side. This will help preserve the language, develop its own literature and encourage the youth to know their own language and culture in depth.
5	National level Seminar in collaboration with Rajiv Gandhi University on tribal related issues and way forward	200.00	15.00	<b>Approved.</b> TRI Arunachal Pradesh to make a <b>specific theme-based proposal.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Detailed report and Proper Documentation including photos and videos of high quality of the event must be ensured.</li> <li>Janjatiya Gaurav Varsh (JJGV) and Ministry logo must be displayed prominently during the festival.</li> <li>TRI Arunachal Pradesh to invite officials of the Ministry and other TRI to attend the festival.</li> </ul>
6	Cross sectional study on prevalence and determinants of Substance use and misuse among various tribes of the State	50.00	0.00	<b>Not Approved.</b> M/o Social Justice provides financial assistance for such initiatives.
7	i. Poetry Singing Competition among students ii. Essay writing/telling competition in 1	50.00	10.00	<b>Approved.</b> TRI Arunachal Pradesh to conduct inter-school competition among the EMRS students. Such an initiative will encourage and motivate the talented youth to pursue their potential. Further, the best amongst them may also be tied up with institutions which hone such talents so as to enable the tribal

	tribal language among students			youth to make a livelihood out of their potential.
8	Purchase of books on various tribal related issues, culture, traditions etc for 20 libraries @Rs 5 Lakh each	100.00	5.00	<b>Approved.</b> The Apex Committee in its meeting held on 27-28, November, 2024 had resolved as below:  <b>Library Development:</b> Projects for libraries of TRIs should be limited to the procurement of books, magazines, and the preservation of rare books, with a budget cap of ₹5.00 lakh. Further, TRIs should integrate with online library networks like LIBNET.
9	Awareness camp on various facilities and schemes run by Government for tribal students/NGO/Grams Panchayat members/etc	100.00	0.00	<b>Not Approved.</b>
10	Career Guidance Program for tribal students of Higher Secondary Schools and EMRS (5 in numbers) etc in the state of Arunachal Pradesh.	100.00	0.00	<b>Not Approved.</b>
11	Organizing annual cultural festivals of Adi and Singhpho Tribe of the State i. Lutor Festival – Adi Tribe ii. Shapwang Yaawng Manaupoi Festival – Singhpho Tribe (50 lakhs each)	100.00	0.00	<b>Not Approved.</b>  Detailed proposal may be submitted.
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>2700.00</b>	<b>78.00</b>	

**1.3 Amount approved for JJGD – 2024 and IEC Awareness campaign for PM DAJUGA (FY 2024-25):**

**Amount (₹) in lakh**

Sl. No.	Activities	Amount Sought	Amount Approved	Remarks
<b>A</b>	<b>Amount Sought for JJGD 2024 IEC Awareness campaign for PM DAJUGA</b>			
1.	State Level Event	44.42	10.00	As per MoM dated 03.03.2025 (para 3)

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2.	District Level Event for JJGD 2024 (₹15.00 lakh x 27 District)	405.00	54.00	As per MoM dated 03.03.2025 (para 4 Sl. No.4) (₹2.00 lakh x 27)
3.	Event Celebration and activities at EMRS schools (₹5.50 lakh x 5 schools)	27.50	27.50	As per MoM dated 05.11.2024 (para 5 Sl. No.1)
	<b>Total</b>	<b>476.92</b>	<b>91.50</b>	

**1.4 Total amount approved for release during 2024-25:**

		<b>Amount (₹) in lakh</b>
A	Committed liability for regular TRI Activities 2020-21	121.12
B	Committed liability for regular TRI Activities 2023-24	25.00
C	Amount approved for JJGD – 2024 and IEC Awareness campaign for PM DAJUGA (FY 2024-25)	91.50
D	New Proposal approved by Apex Committee	78.00
<b>E</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>315.62</b>

**1.5 Summary of Release:**

		<i>Amount (₹) in Lakh</i>
A	Committed Liabilities for regular TRI Activities for the year 2020-21	121.12
B	Committed Liabilities for regular TRI Activities for the year 2023-24 for JJGD-2023	25.00
C	Amount approved for JJGD – 2024 and IEC Awareness campaign for PM DAJUGA (FY 2024-25)	91.50
D	New proposal approved for FY 2024-25	78.00
E	Total Funds to be released under GIA-Gen (A+B+C)	315.62
F	(-) UC Due	0.25
G	Funds to be released under GIA-Gen (E-F)	315.37
<b>H</b>	<b>Funds being released under GIA-Gen during 2024-25 as 1<sup>st</sup> instalment</b>	<b>150.00</b>

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 TRI Division of the Ministry.

3. The grant should be utilized for the purpose for which it has been sanctioned and should not be diverted for any other activities.

  
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4. As per Rule 236(1) of GFR-2017, the accounts of the Organizations shall be open to inspection by the sanctioning authority and audit, both by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India under the provision of CAG (DPC) Act 1971 and Internal audit by the Principal Accounts Office of the Ministry or Department, whenever the Institution or Organization is called upon to do so.

5. The expenditure is debitable to the Major Head - 3601 Grants in aid to State Governments, 06- Centrally Sponsored Scheme (Sub Major Head), 796- Tribal Area Sub Plan (Minor Head), 85 – Programme for Development of Scheduled Tribes (PM Vanbandhu Kalyan Yojna), 03- Support to Tribal Research Institutes, 85.03.31 – Grant-in-aid General (Charged) Under Demand No. 100 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs for the year 2024-25.

6. Fund being released vide this sanction shall be immediately released in favour of TRI, Arunachal Pradesh.

7. The sanction is issued in concurrence with the Integrated Finance Division, Ministry of Tribal Affairs vide their FTS No 29209/JS&FA/2025 dated. 11.03.2025.

8. Certified that this sanction order has been noted at S. No.- 44 in the register of grant for the year 2024-25.

Yours faithfully,



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- 2) Ministry of Finance (Deptt. of Expenditure) PF-I Section, New Delhi - 110 001.
- 3) Director, Social Justice, Empowerment & Tribal Affairs, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh – 791120.
- 4) Accountant General, Itanagar, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh.
- 5) DDO, Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 6) IFD / Sanction Register.
- 7) Internal Audit Wing, Principal Accounts Office, New Delhi.
- 8) NIC: - with a request to upload the Sanction letter on the Ministry's Website.

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