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Government of India Ministry of Minority Affairs (PMJVK Division)

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To

The Pay & Accounts Officer, Ministry of Minority Affairs, Pt. Deen Dayal AntyodayaBhavan, New Delhi

Subject: Release of Grant in aid under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Pradhan Mantri Jan VikasKaryakram (PMJVK) to Government of Sikkim in the Financial Year 2024-25- reg.

Sir,

Sanction of the Competent authority is hereby conveyed for release of an amount of ₹19,73,00,000/- (Rupees Nineteen Crore Seventy Three Lakh Only) to the Govt. of Sikkim during the Financial Year 2024-25 for implementation of ongoing projects under "Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakram (PMJVK)" in the State of Sikkim.

- 2. The sanction is being issued as per para 12 of Ministry of Finance O.M. No. 1 (13)PFMS/FCD/2020 dated 23.03.2021 regarding "Procedure for release of funds under the Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS) and monitoring utilization of the funds released.
- 3. The expenditure is debitable to Demand No.70, Ministry of Minority Affairs Major Head- "3601" Grant-in-aid to State Government, 06- Grants for State Plan Schemes (Sub Major Head), 101 -General-(Welfare of Schedule Casts/Schedule Tribes, Other Backward Classes and Minorities) -other grants (Minor Head), 64-Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakram for minorities, 64.00.35 Grant for creation of capital assets the year 2024-25.
- 4. The above release of funds to State of Sikkim is subject to the following condition:
 - i. The funding pattern between Centre and State is 90:10 for PMJVK.
 - ii. Funds in the bank account of SNA will not be tied to any project and will form a common pool. The Expenditure from the bank account of SNA will be as per MoMA's guidelines issued vide letter No. MsDP-21/47/2020-MsDP-MoMA dated 06.12.2022.
 - iii. The State Government should ensure to minimize the unspent balance for all projects under the scheme, to upload the QPRs and UC on the PMJVK Portal and to update MIS regularly. State shall ensure geo-tagging of all projects on PMJVK-Bhuvan app.
 - iv. Funds should be released by the State Govt. to the implementing agencies as per the guidelines of Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, Govt. of India issued from time to time and; parking of funds at any level is strictly prohibited.

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- PMJVK being Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS), the State Government should strictly follow the revised procedure of funds flow issued by the DoE, M/o Finance's vide OM No. 1(13)PFMS/FCD/2020 dated 23.03.2021 and the relevant instruction issued time to time thereafter.
- vi. Utilization of the above mentioned amount by the State Government is subject to the terms and condition at Annexure-I.
- vii. The State Govt. will ensure completion of the oldest ongoing projects on priority. State is advised to submit details of all the project units pending for completion beyond three years with confirmed time-lines for completion of their project units (specifically units wise).
- 5. The State Government/UTs shall transfer these funds along with the corresponding State Share to the bank account of State Nodal Agency for PMJVK immediately under intimation to this Ministry.
- Utilization Certificate for this grant should be submitted by the State Govt. on PMJVK portal in the prescribed format as per the scheme guidelines and as per the timelines prescribed under General Financial Rules 2017 (G.F.R. 2017).
- 7. The funds will be utilized for the purpose for which these are sanctioned and as per the revised PMJVK scheme guidelines; otherwise funds will have to be remitted along with the interest as per provision in GFR 2017.
- This is to certify that the present sanction/ expenditure is covered under Monthly Expenditure Plan (MEP) for the month of March, 2025 and Integrated Finance Division (IFD) has concurred with the expenditure during the 4th quarter of the financial year 2024-25.
- The amount will be credited to the State Government/UTs account in RBI as per 9. procedure laid down by Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure vide OM. No. 1(13)PFMS/FCD/2020 dated 23.03.2021.
- This sanction issues with concurrence of IFD Note No. 333 dated 24.03.2025 of E-File No. 13/49/2021-MsDP-MOMA (e file No.128610). It is noted at S. No. 25 in the Grantin-aid Register of 2024-25.

Yours faithfully,

(Ashok Kumar Gupta) Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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Copy to:-

1. The Accountant General, Govt. of Sikkim.

2. Controller of Accounts of the Ministry of Minority Affairs, New Delhi.

3. Manager Reserve Bank of India, Central Account Section, Nagpur-440001.

4. Secretary, Minority Welfare Department, Govt. of Sikkim

5. Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Sikkim

6. Director General of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, New Delhi-2.

7. Sanction folder.

8. MoMA-NIC Cell for website updation.

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Utilization of the above mentioned amount by the grantee is subject to the following terms and conditions:

- i. Grantee will maintain a separate account of the funds released by this Ministry under this scheme/programme.
- ii. All release by the State should be made through PFMS and EAT module only.
- iii. The expenditure incurred by the grantee shall be open for inspection by the sanctioning authority/ Comptroller & Auditor General of India/Internal Audit by the Chief Controller of Accounts of the Ministry of Minority Affairs.
- iv. The grantee will ensure that it has not obtained or applied for grants for the same purpose or activity from any other Ministry or Department of the Government of India or State Government.
- v. Grantee shall not divert any part of the grant to any other activities.
- vi. Grantee shall be governed by all the terms and conditions of the grant as prescribed in the scheme/programme and in GFR.
- vii. Grantee shall endeavor to achieve the quantified and qualitative targets.
- viii. Grantee will ensure that there is no duplication of work.
 - ix. Grantee shall ensure that priority be given to villages/locations with substantial percentage of minority population.

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