To

The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Tribal Affairs,
Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi-110115.

Subject: Release of Grant under Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub-Plan during 2015-16 to the State Government of Bihar as Non-recurring grants 2nd Installment.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of Rs.1,68,70,000/- (Rupees One Crore Sixty Eight Lakh Seventy Thousand Only) as Non-recurring Grants, 2nd installment to the Government of Bihar under Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub-Plan for the year 2015-16 to carry out the activities as detailed by the State Government and finalized/approved by the Project Appraisal Committee(PAC) in its meeting held on 09.04.2015 and proposal of State Govt. vide letter No. SS-6/D-Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub-Plan (SCA to TSP)-02/2014-6469 dated 18.12.2015:

(Rs. in Lakh)

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<th>Sl. No.</th>
<th>Activities Approved by PAC</th>
<th>Amount Approved by PAC</th>
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<td>1</td>
<td>Awareness Programme</td>
<td>32.00</td>
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<td>(State Govt. should ensure that activities being taken up for tribal welfare / development through Gram Sabha)</td>
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<td>2</td>
<td>Cultivation of Herbs &amp; Medical Plants</td>
<td>50.00</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>Training Programme for different Income Generating Trades</td>
<td>750.00</td>
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<td>(i) Beauty culture and hair styling -level 1</td>
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<td>(ii) Plumbing</td>
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<td>(iii) Driving (light Commercial Vehicles)</td>
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<td>(iv) Office Assistance cum Steno (v) Masonary (vi) Bedside Attendant (vii) Vermi Compost Making Training (viii) Mushroom Culture</td>
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<td>• 50% of the sanctioned amount be expended for women beneficiaries.</td>
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<td>At least 70% of the trainees should have placement within 3 years.</td>
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<th>months of completion of training programmes.</th>
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<td>4. Backyard poultry</td>
<td>200.00</td>
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<td>5. Dairy farming</td>
<td>400.00</td>
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<td>6. Fishery development</td>
<td>200.00</td>
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<td>A. Total amount approved by PAC</td>
<td>1632.00</td>
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<td>B. Less: Amount already release as 1st installment</td>
<td>313.30</td>
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<td>C. Less: Unspent balance with the State for the year 2011-12</td>
<td>263.74</td>
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<td>D. Amount to be release at this stage (A-B-C)</td>
<td>1054.96</td>
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<td>E. Less: amount to be released as Recurring grants (D-F)</td>
<td>886.26</td>
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<td>F. Amount to be released as Non-recurring grants (D-E)</td>
<td>168.70</td>
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2. No UC is due for rendition.

3. You are requested to advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the account of the Government of Bihar in accordance with procedure laid down in the Ministry of Finance's OM No. 2(45)/76-Spl Cell dated 30.8.1976 as modified by OM of even number dated 16.9.1976.

4. The expenditure to the tune of ₹.1,68,70,000/- (Rupees One Crore Sixty Eight Lakh Seventy Thousand Only) is debitable to the:

- Major Head ‘3601’ - Grants-in-aid to State Governments
- Sub-major Head 02 - Grants for State Plan Schemes
- Minor Head 796 - Tribal Area Sub-Plan
- 02 - Welfare of Scheduled Tribes – Grants under Proviso to Article 275 (1) of the Constitution.
- 01 - Scheme under Tribal Sub-Plan (Charged)
- 02.01.35 - Grants for creation of capital assets (Charged)
- Demand No. - 98 for 2015-16 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs

5. The entire assistance is subject to adjustment on the basis of the audited figures of expenditure for the State Annual Plan 2015-16.

6. The State Government will implement the projects within the amount released by the Ministry during 2015-16 and keeping in view the spirit of the provisions contained under Operational Guidelines for formulation, implementation and monitoring of TSP and Article 275(1) funds, issued by Ministry of Tribal Affairs during March, 2014 and Revised Guidelines for Implementation of TSP issued by erstwhile Planning Commission during June 2014 and other relevant instructions issued from time to time.
7. The State Government will adhere to the instructions contained in the minutes of PAC meetings pertaining the State(s) concerned scrupulously. A copy of the projects implemented by the State Government is required to be sent to the Ministry. The State Government would ensure that:

i. construction component of the project is based on the schedule of rates of CPWD/PWD or any other scheduled of rates approved by a competent authority.

ii project(s) has the clearance of the State Government from the technical / financial / administrative angles.

8. The State Government is to transfer fund immediately within 30 days to the project implementing agencies and a copy of the fund transfer order may also be sent to this Ministry. It may be ensured that the grants are used for the purpose for which they are sanctioned after following the due procedure in a transparent manner and obtaining all necessary clearances as required under the various Central/State Acts, Rules and Regulations etc.

9. The progress reports of every quarter should be furnished indicating the physical and financial progress as per prescribed format already circulated. A Certificate of actual utilization of the grants received for the purpose for which it was received, may be furnished to the Ministry within 12 months of the closure of the financial year by the State Government.


10. Certified that this sanction has been noted at S.No.31. in the register of grants. Yours faithfully,

Yours faithfully,

(Nadeem Ahmad)

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F.No.11015/04(04)/2015-SG-II

Dated: 31.12.2015

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

1. Director of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, I.T.O., New Delhi.
2. Accountant General, Bihar, Patna.
3. The Principal Secretary, Tribal & Social Welfare Department, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
4. The Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
5. The Principal Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
6. The Principal Resident Commissioner, Government of Bihar, Bihar Bhawan, New Delhi.
7. NITI, Plan Coordination Division, NITI Bhavan, New Delhi.
10. Ministry of Finance (Deptt. of Expenditure), P.F. - I Section, North Block, New Delhi.
11. Secretary, National Commission for STs, Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi.
12. JS (SG)/DS (IFD)/NIC/ Hindi Section/ Folder.

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