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L-15060/01/2022-RE-VII/SI, No.77 Government of India Ministry of Rural Development (Department of Rural Development) (Mahatma Gandhi NREGA Division)

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The Pay & Accounts Officer. Government of India, Ministry of Rural Development, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi Date: 31.03.2023 अमरेंद्र प्रताप सिंह / Amrendra Pratap Singh निदेशक / Director भारत सरकार/Government of India ग्रामीण विकास मंत्रालय Ministry of Rural Development कृषि भवन, नई दिल्ली / Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi

Subject- Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA) - on account payment of 2nd installment of 2nd tranche of Central Assistance for financial year 2022-23 towards material component to the State Government of Andhra Pradesh.

Madam/Sir.

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India to the payment of Grants-in-aid amounting to Rs.506,70,00,000/- (Rupees Five Hundred Six Crore and Seventy Lakh Only) as material component to the State Government of Andhra Pradesh of Central assistance for implementation of the Mahatma Gandhi NREGA for Material component during the financial Year 2022-23.

The Central funds and the corresponding State share, from the State Treasury would be released by the 2 State to the concerned State Nodal Account (SNA) within a maximum period of 15 days from the receipt of Central funds in the State Treasury. The State Government is requested to endorse the copy of the release order to the Central Government addressed as under:-

Shri Amrendra Pratap Singh, Director (Mahatma Gandhi NREGA) Ministry of Rural Development, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi, 110001

The pending liabilities (Material & Administrative Component) must be cleared keeping in view the period of 3 pendency. The old pending liabilities should be cleared first. The status of clearance of old pending liabilities will be reviewed by the Ministry from time to time.

Accounting for Admin contingency should be maintained separately for assessing the matching State share 4. towards material component from the angle of central releases and to maintain the limit of expenditure on Admin contingency.

Further the following conditions shall be fulfilled in utilization of these funds: 5.

- a) Adherence to the time line indicated in the LB minutes of FY 2022-23 against various key activities.
- b) In all Electronic Fund Management system (eFMS) 'implemented' areas, the funds shall be maintained at the State level; and there shall be no intermediary accounts. All payments in these areas shall move directly from the State fund to the destination accounts based on the pay order generated at the Block/Gram Panchayat level. C)
- Where eFMS is not yet implemented, steps shall be taken to implement the same at the earliest. d)
- The detailed voucher-based data shall be available in the NREGASoft for all the expenditure done. e)
- The material component including wages of skilled and semi-skilled labour shall not exceed 40% at district level. f)
- This grant is towards plan expenditure and shall be utilized for approved items of works subject to the conditions laid down in the Mahatma Gandhi NREGA Guidelines. No deviation from the provisions of the Guidelines is permissible.
- The Expenditure of material component including wages of skilled and semi-skilled labour will be shared **g**) between Centre and State Government in the ratio of 75:25. h)
- The Utilization Certificate should be submitted within 12 (Twelve) months of the closure of financial year which shall include interest accrued. Interest accrued should be computed based on the details of ledger account maintained for the purpose. i)
- State should ensure that shortfall of state share should be released immediately
- No Utilization Certificate is pending against the Recipient Organization under the Scheme. 6.
- Funds towards admin contingency must be used against admin expenses (Salary etc.) 7.

The accounts of the grantee institutions will be audited by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India and 8 the Internal Audit of the Principal Accounts Office of the Ministry in terms of Rule 236 (1) of the General Financial Rules, 2017.

The State Nodal Agency shall ensure that the interest earned from the funds released should be mandatorily 9 remitted to the respective Consolidated Funds on pro-rata basis in term of Rule 230(8) of GFR, 2017. Interest earned should be clearly and separately depicted in PFMS, scheme- specific portals integrated with PFMS and in MIS provided by the banks.

The expenditure is debitable to the following Head of Accounts under Demand No. 87, Department of Rural 10. Development (2022-23).

3601	Grants-in-aid to State Governments (Major Head)
06	Centrally Sponsored Schemes
101	Central Assistance/Share
28	Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment
28.01	Programme Component-Mahatma Gandhi NREGA
28.01.35	Grants for creation of Capital Assets.

The DDO, Mahatma Gandhi NREGA (207172), will be the Drawing & Disbursing Officer for the purpose. The amount mentioned in Para -1 above will be transferred to the State Government of Andhra Pradesh:

Particulars
M/s 9219 PFMS SNA PRR MGNREGA AP123
013412010000297 (SB General)
Union Bank of India
Ring Road Branch, Vijaywada
UBIN0801348

Further fund would be released on compliance of all conditionalities prescribed at the time of previous release: submission of compliance on minutes of the Labour Budget meeting for FY 2022-23 at the earliest within the stipulated time.

This issues under the powers delegated to this Ministry and in consultation with the Integrated Finance 13 Division vide their U.O. No.1510/Finance/2022-23, dated 31.03.2023.

Yours faithfully,

(Amrendra Pratap Singh) Director (Mahatma Gandhi NREGA)

Copy to:

अमरेंद्र प्रताप सिंह/Amrendra Pratap Singh निदेशक/Director

- The Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada ACS/Principal Secretary, Rural Development Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh Vijayawada 3. The Accountant General, Govt, of Andhra Pradesh. Vijayawada आमाण विकास मंत्रालय
- The Accountant General, Govt, of Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
- The Commissioner (Mahatma Gandhi NREGA), Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawadans Reell / Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi 4.
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