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Government of India
Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment
Department of Social Justice and Empowerment

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated : 29.02. 2024

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment,
New Delhi.

Subject: - Release of Central Assistance under the Adarsh Gram Component under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of PM AJAY to the Government of Maharashtra for the year 2023-24 -reg

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of **Rs. 2,16,40,623/-** (Rupees Two Crore Sixteen Lakh Forty Thousand Six Hundred and Twenty Three) only as 1st installment to the **Government of Maharashtra** as Central Assistance under the Adarsh Gram component of Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Pradhan Mantri Anusuchit Jaati Abhyuday Yojana (PMAJAY) for the villages selected since 2018-19(including the villages selected in 2022-23 as per 40% SC criteria) for implementation of scheme for the year 2023-24. The detailed calculation is at Annexure-I

2. The amount is debitible to the Major Head "3601"; Grants-in-aid to State Governments (Major Head); 06-Centrally Sponsored Schemes (Sub Major Head); 789 – Special Component Plan For Scheduled Castes (Minor Head); 34.12- Pradhan Mantri Anusuchit Jaati Abhyuday Yojana(PM AJAY); 34.12.31- Grants-in-aid-General; Demand No.93 of the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment for 2023-24 (Plan), a component of Pradhan Mantri Adarsh Gram Yojana (PMAGY) under the scheme of Pradhan Mantri Anusuchit Jaati Abhyuday Yojana (PMAJAY).

3. Arrangements may please be made to credit this amount to State Government in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Ministry of Finance O.M. No. 2(45)/76 Special Cell, dated 30.8.1976, as modified vide O.M. of even number dated 16.09.1976 under intimation to us.

4. The sanction of the above Central Assistance amounting to **Rs. 2,16,40,623/-** under the scheme is for undertaking the 'gap-filling' activities as well as incurring administrative expenses during the course of implementation of scheme as per the scheme guidelines.

5. The Central Assistance shall be utilized within a period of two years from the date of this sanction order and on the activities contained in the guidelines of the scheme.



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6. The State Government would update the relative progress in respect of implementation of the scheme and utilization of the Central Assistance through the online MIS portal developed for the purpose.

7. As per the instructions contained in Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure's Circular No. 7 (1) E. Coord/2008 dated 5.6.2008, no amount shall be released to any State which has defaulted in furnishing Utilization Certificates for grants-in aid release by the Central Government in the past. It is certified that no UC is pending under this scheme against the above State Government.

8. The State Government would ensure that the guidelines as issued by the Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance with regard to revised procedure for flow of funds under Centrally Sponsored Schemes by adopting SNA and subsequent instructions are followed.

9. This issues with the concurrence of the Integrated Finance Division of this Ministry vide their **JS&FA E-office Dy. No. 25792 dated 23.02.2024.**

Yours faithfully,



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3. The Secretary, Department of Finance, **Govt. of Maharashtra, Mumbai-400032.**
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Annexure -I

Details of funds admissible under the Adarsh Gram Component under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of PMAJAY.

Total funds admissible against eligible villages selected from 2018-19 to 2021-22:

(i) Admissible Ist & 2nd installment that can be released for the villages selected in FY 2018-19, 2019-20 & 2021-22 has been worked out as under :

Financial Year	No. of New villages selected and found eligible (A)	Total No. of VDP/VDP Generated (B)	Eligible Ist installment (C)=(A)*10.80 lakh	Eligible IInd installment (D)=(B)*10.00 lakh	(Rs. in lakh)		
					Total funds to be released (E)=(C)+(D)	Funds already released (F)	Balance funds to be released (G)=(E)-(F)
2018-19	140	140	1512.00	1400.00	2912.00	2897.60	14.40
2019-20	62	61	669.60	610.00	1279.60	1269.60	10.00
2021-22	70	54	756.00	540.00	1296.00	745.60	550.40
Total	272	255	2937.60	2550.00	5487.00	4912.80	574.80

(ii) Admissible 1st & IInd Instalment for the villages selected in 2022-23 :

Financial Year	No. of villages selected and found eligible	Total number of VDP generated	(Rs. in lakh)		
			Eligible Ist installment	Eligible IInd installment	Total funds to be released
2022-23	247	22	197.60	440.00	637.60
Total	247	22	197.60	440.00	637.60

- Total admissible funds to be released in 2023-24 = Rs. 12,12,40,000
- 25% of total admissible funds to be released = Rs. 3,03,10,000
- Unspent balance lying in SNA A/c = Rs. 86,69,377
- **Amount to be released = Rs. 2,16,40,623**

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