No. P-17017/3/2017-RC (FMS No. 354084)

Government of India Ministry of Rural Development Department of Rural Development (Rural Connectivity Division)

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi Dated the 28 th February, 2019

To,

The Pay & Accounts Officer, Ministry of Rural Development, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.

Subject: Release of Financial Incentive under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana to the State of Karnataka (PMGSY) for the year 2018-19.

Sir,

- 1.1 I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India to the payment of Grants-in-aid amounting to Rs. 46,63,00,000/- (Rupees Forty Six Crore Sixty Three Lakh only) to the State of Karnataka for "Financial Incentive" as Central assistance under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) for the Financial Year 2018-19.
- 1.2 These funds are exclusively meant for periodic maintenance of roads already constructed under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana.
- 1.3. The State Government must transfer these funds to Karnataka Rural Road Development Agency (KRRDA) within 3 working days positively from the date of receipt of these funds. In case of non-transfer beyond this period, Central Government may be constrained to stop further releases. The State Government is required to endorse a copy of the release order to the Government of India at the following address:

Dr. Surabhi Rai, Deputy Secretary (RC), Ministry of Rural Development, Room No. 361-B, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi-110001, Tel. No.- 011-23383006.

- 1.4. The funds released by the State Government shall be kept in a separate Savings Bank Account No.04362170000018 in Syndicate Bank, J-652, 1st Floor, Near Navrang Junction, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar 2nd Stage, Banglore-560010 (IFSC Code No. SYNB0000436), Karnataka. It shall be ensured by the Karnataka Rural Road Development Agency (KRRDA) that the Programme Implementing Units (PIUs) in the districts have access to the funds and the funds held in the specified account are allowed to be utilized only by the Executing Agency/Agencies for the purpose of approved works under the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana-II. The Chief Operating Officer of Karnataka Rural Road Development Agency (KRRDA) shall communicate to the bank the names of the Authorized Signatories, who will be issuing cheques on the Agency's said bank account for the purpose of this sanction.
- 1.5. The State Governments are requested to credit matching State Share against the funds released vide this letter in respective SRRDA's accounts as per PMGSY guidelines and update the satus on OMMAS.
- 1.6. The Empowered officer shall issue standing instructions to the Bank regarding the names of Authorised Payees and their designated account details and the amounts admissible to each payee. He will also specify limits on monthly payment as per the agreed work programme for the respective package.

- 1.7. Karnataka Rural Road Development Agency (KRRDA) has nominated Shri Bisse Gowda T as Chief Operating Officer of KRRDA.
- 1.8. No Utilization Certificate is pending from the agencies indicated in column 4 of table in para 1.2 above.
- The Accounts of the grantee institution will be audited by the Comptroller and Auditor General of 1.9. India and the internal Audit of the Principal Accounts Office of the Ministry in terms of Rule 211 (1) of the General Financial Rules (GFR).
- The expenditure is debitable to the following Head of Account under Demand No. 82 of the Department of Rural Development during the current financial year 2018-19:-

3601 Grants-in-aid to State Government (Major Head)

06 Centrally Sponsored Schemes

101 Central Assistance Share

30 Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana

30.01 **Program Component-PMGSY**

30.01.35 -Grants for creation of capital assets

- The Assistant Director, PMGSY, Ministry of Rural Development, New Delhi (208139) will be the Drawing & Disbursing Officer for the purpose. The amount mentioned in Para-1 above will be transferred to State Government of Karnataka.
- 1.12. This issues under the powers delegated to this Ministry and in consultation with the Integrated Finance Division vide their U.O No.1243/Finance/2018-19 dated 28.02.2019.

Yours faithfully.

(Dr. Surabhi Rai) Deputy Secretary (RC)

Copy to: -

- 1. The Chief Secretary, Government of Karnataka, III Floor, Vidhana Soudha. Bengaluru 560001.
- 2. The Principal Secretary, Rural Development & Panchayat Raj Department, Government of Karnataka, Karnataka Government Secretariat, M.S. Building, 3rd Floor, Gate No.3, Bengaluru-560001.
- 3. The Chief Operating Officer, Karnataka Rural Road Development Agency (KRRDA), 3rd Floor, Grameenabhivruddi Bhavan, Anandrao Circle, Bengaluru-560009.
- 4. The Manager, Syndicate Bank, J-652, 1st Floor, Near Navrang Junction, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560010.
- 5. Accountant General, Karnataka, Park House Road, Bengaluru-560001.
- The Director of Audit, Economic and Service Ministries, AGCR Building, I.P. Estate, New Delhi-110002.
- The Principal Director General, Media & Communication, Press Information Bureau, Room No. Swel: Qu 101, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.
- 8. Chief Controller of Accounts, Ministry of Rural Development.
- 9. Finance Division-I.
- 10. Sanction Register/All Directors NRIDA.

(Dr. Surabhi Rai)

Deputy Secretary (RC) डॉ सुरनि राय/DR. SURABHI RAI उप सचिव / Deputy Secretary भारत सरकार/Government of India ग्रामीण विकास मंत्रालय/M/o Rural Development कृषि भवन, नई दिल्ली/Krishi Bhawan, New Dalhi