

Dated: 1st October, 2019

To

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

Sub: Release of 1st instalment of Programme Fund to the State Government of Kerala under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) for the year 2019-20.

Sir,

1.1 I am directed to convey the sanction of the President to the payment of Grants-in-aid amounting to **Rs.41,02,35,000** (*Rupees Forty One Crore and Two Lakh Thirty Five Thousand only*) to the State Government of Kerala as Central assistance under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) during the Financial Year 2019-20.

1.2 The amount of **Rs.41.0235 crore** is being released under PMGSY-II as follows:-

| (Rs. in crore) | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|--|-----------------|------------------------------|
| Phase | Original MoRD Share | Funds released earlier | Interest adjustment | Present release | Balance funds to be released |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| PMGSY-II, Batch-I (2016-17) | 164.34 | Nil | 2.964 (60% of Interest of the FY 2018-19) | 41.0235 | 120.3525 |

2. **The State Government must transfer these funds to Kerala State Rural Roads Development Agency 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.**

3. Kerala State Rural Roads Development Agency (KSRRDA) has nominated **Shri K.S Abdul Saleem** as the Empowered Officer of KSRRDA. The State Government is required to endorse a copy of the release order to the Government of India at the following address:-

**Ms. Mamta, Joint Director (RC),
Ministry of Rural Development, Room No.379
Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi, 110001. Tel. No. 011-23073702**

4. The funds released by the State Government shall be kept in a separate **Savings Bank Account No.10347397270 (IFSC Branch Code No.SBIN0007898), State Bank of India, Nanthencode Branch, P.B. No.6508, LMS Compound, Vikas Bhawan, P.O., Thiruvananthapuram-695033, Kerala**. It shall be ensured by the Kerala State Rural Roads Development Agency 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. The Empowered Officer of Kerala State Rural Roads Development Agency (KSRRDA) 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.

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5. The Empowered Officer shall issue standing instructions to the bank regarding the names of authorized payees and their designated account details and the amounts admissible to each payee. He will also specify limits on monthly payments as per the agreed work programme for the respective package.

6. No Utilization Certificate is pending from Kerala State Rural Roads Development Agency (KSRRDA).

7. 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 the Ledger Account maintained for the purpose.

8. The accounts of the grantee institutions will be audited by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India and the Internal Audit of the Principal Accounts Office of the Ministry in terms of Rule 211 (1) of the General Financial Rules.

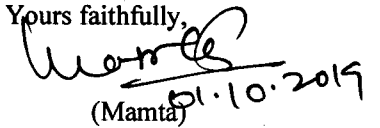
9. The expenditure is debitable to the following Head of Accounts under **Demand No.84 Department of Rural Development (2019-20)**.

| | | |
|----------|---|---|
| 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 | - | Programme Component (PMGSY) |
| 30.01.35 | - | Grants for creation of Capital assets |

10. The Assistant Director, PMGSY, Ministry of Rural Development will be the Drawing & Disbursing Officer for the purpose. The amount mentioned in Para-1 above will be transferred to State Government of Kerala.

11. This issues under the powers delegated to this Ministry and in consultation with the Integrated Finance Division vide their U.O. No.612/Finance/2019-20 dated 01-10-2019.

Yours faithfully,


(Mamta) 01.10.2019

Joint Director (RC)
Phone 011-23073702

Copy to:-

1. The Chief Secretary, Government of Kerala, Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram-695001
2. The Accountant General, Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram-695036.
3. The Principal Secretary, Local Self Government Department, Government of Kerala, Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram -695001.
4. The Commissioner, Rural Development, Kerala State Rural Roads Development Agency, 4th Floor, Swaraj Bhavan, Nanthencode, Kowdiar P.O, Thiruvananthapuram -695003
5. Shri K.S Abdul Saleem, Empowered Officer, Kerala State Rural Roads Department Agency (KSRRDA), 5th Floor, Swaraj Bhavan, Nanthencode, Kowdiar P.O, Thiruvananthapuram -695003.
6. The Manager, State Bank of India, Nanthencode Branch, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala-695033.
7. The Principal Director General, Media & Communication, Press Information Bureau, Room No.101, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
8. The Chief Controller of Accounts, Ministry of Rural Development.
9. The Director of Audit, Economic & Service Ministries, I.P. Estate, AGCR Building, New Delhi-110001.
10. All Directors of NRIDA
11. Finance Division-I/Guard File/Sanction Register.

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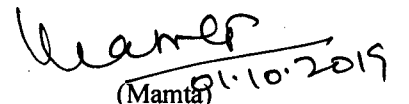
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