

F.No.K-16015/25/2016-AMRUT-II
Government of India
Ministry of Urban Development
AMRUT Division

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated 28th September, 2016

To,

The Pay & Account Officer (Sectt.)
Ministry of Urban Development
Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi

Subject: Release of first instalment of Central Assistance (CA) amounting Rs.72,00,000/- (20% of the approved Central Share towards project fund of Rs.3.60 crore) to Govt. of Andaman & Nicobar Islands under Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT).

I am directed to convey the sanction of Competent Authority for the release of an amount of Rs 72,00,000/- (Rupees Seventy Two Lakh only) to the Government of Andaman & Nicobar Islands. This amount is being released as 1st instalment 20% of the approved Central Assistance towards project fund of Rs.3.60 crore under Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT) for implementation of projects related to Water Supply and Parks/Green spaces. The total approved size of State Annual Action Plan (SAAP) of Andaman & Nicobar Islands is Rs.3.60 crore for 2016-17.

2. The first instalment is being released on the basis of estimated project cost and any excess or shortfall in the first instalment shall be adjusted while releasing the second instalment of Central Assistance based on approved cost.
3. Diversion of Central Grants for purposes other than the Mission projects is not allowed and shall entail levy of penal interest on the amount and any other action by the Apex Committee and may include adverse effect on release of grants.
4. This release will be governed in terms of provisions of GFR. The amount of Central Assistance should be kept in separate account and be open to inspection/Audit as per provisions.
5. Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT) is a new Mission and presently no utilization certificate is pending from the State under the Mission.
6. UT Govt may take necessary action in respect of observations/ comments made by Apex Committee and recorded in the Minutes of 13th meeting of Apex Committee.

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7. The expenditure involved is debitable to the Major Head 2217 - Urban Development, 05 – Other Urban Development Schemes, 191-Assistance to Municipal Corporations, 16-Urban Rejuvenation Mission- 500 Habitations, 16.01.35-Grants for creation of capital assets under grant No. 95 -Ministry of Urban Development of the year 2016-17 (Plan).
8. Principal Account Office, Ministry of Urban Development may issue Letter of Authority in favour of Pay & Account Officer of Union Territory of Andaman & Nicobar Islands.
9. The sanction has been enter at Sl.No. 09 of the sanction register.
10. This issues with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division vide their Dy. No. 1724/IFD/2016 dated 28.09.2016.

Yours faithfully
राजेंद्र प्रताप सिंह / RAJENDRA PRATAP SINGH
अवर सचिव / Under Secretary
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Ministry of Urban Development
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Copy to:-

1. Administrator of UT of Andaman & Nicobar Islands.
2. Principal Secretary (UD), Union Territory of Andaman & Nicobar Islands. The amount released be utilised for the purpose for which it has been sanctioned and utilization status be furnished as per Guidelines of Mission.
3. Accountant General of Union Territory of Andaman & Nicobar Islands.
4. The Principal Director of Audit, Economic & Service Ministries, AGCR Building , I.P. Estate, New Delhi-110002.
5. PAO, MoUD, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi.
6. Budget and Account Section, Ministry of Urban Development.
7. Finance Division, MoUD
8. Guard File of the Section.

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