

F.No. 53-72(Punjab)/2010-LDT (LH) Pt.1
Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare
Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries

Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi
Dated the 22nd February, 2018.

To

The Pay and Accounts Officer (Sectt.),
Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers welfare,
Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries,
Jeevan Tara 3rd Floor, Sansad Marg,
New Delhi 110001

Sub: Release of central assistance for LH&DC Scheme (component "Brucellosis-control programme") during the year 2017-18 to the State Government of Punjab – regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the subject cited above and to convey the sanction of the President of India for the payment of Grants-in-Aid amounting to Rs.12 Lakh (Rupees Twelve Lakh only) to Punjab State Government towards expenditure on the "Brucellosis Control Programme" (BCP), a component of 'Livestock Health and Disease Control' as first instalment of central assistance for the current Financial Year (2017-18). The funds have been released to implement the Special Component Plan for Scheduled Caste.

2. The Grants-in-Aid of Rs.12 Lakh (Rupees Twelve Lakh only) have been released in accordance with the approved pattern of financial assistance under the Scheme. The release to the Punjab State Government is subject to the condition that the next instalment for release will be considered only after obtaining the information relating to fund-utilization and submission of Utilization Certificate by the Punjab State Government.

3. The expenditure will be debited to the following Head of Accounts:

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3601 : Grants-in-aid to State Governments (Major Head)
06 : Grants for State Plan Schemes (Sub-major Head)
789 : Special Component Plan for Scheduled Castes (Minor Head)
41 : White Revolution- Rashtriya Pashudhan Vikas Yojana
01 : Livestock Health and Disease Control
31: Grants-in-aid-General

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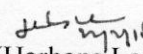
4. The payment of the amount during the Financial Year 2017-18 is subject to adjustment on the basis of audited figures of expenditure in terms of Ministry of Finance letter No. 2(19)/ F.II/60 dated 09.10.1964. The actual figures of expenditure duly audited by the Accountant General may be furnished to this Ministry as early as possible.

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Under Secretary
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5. The Grant-in-aid is sanctioned on the conditions that this will be utilized for the Scheme as specified in *para* 1 above and the estimate of the expenditure is treated as maximum and every effort is made to effect such economy as possible and also that expenditure is incurred in accordance with the ceiling approved by the Government of India under different Heads.
6. This Sanction is issued in exercise of delegated powers and with the concurrence of Finance Division of Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries vide their Diary No. 6565/AS&FA dated 16.02.2018.
7. The audited figures of expenditure of the current financial year as well as previous years may please be furnished.
8. It is certified that no Utilization Certification is pending with the above-mentioned State as due for rendition under the Rules under the Scheme.
9. It is certified that the expenditure of Rs. 48.00 Lakh (Rupees Forty-eight Lakh only) have been duly noted in the Register of Grants at Serial No.05 Page No.121 for 2017-18.
10. The Accounts regarding release of funds and their utilization shall be open to inspection by the sanctioning authority and audit, both by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India under the provision of CAG (DPC) Act, 1971 and Internal Audit of the Principal Accounts Office of this Ministry, whenever the Institution or Organization is called upon to do so.
11. The receipt of this letter may please be acknowledged.

Yours faithfully,

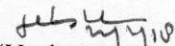

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3. Finance Commissioner/Secretary, Department of Finance, Govt. of Punjab.
4. Accountant General, Govt. of Punjab.
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