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F.No.53(1)/PF-S/2018-1748 Government Of India Ministry of Finance Department Of Expenditure Public Finance-State **Most Immediate**

New Delhi, 11/03/2019

To, The Pay & Accounts Officer, Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, New Delhi

Subject: Payment of Grant Component of Additional Central Assistance For Externally Aided Projects for the States Annual Plan 2018-2019 under the **Direct Payment Procedure** for projects classified as **category 'B'** BY CAA&A.

Sir.

The undersigned is directed to convey the sanction of the President of India to the payment of Rs. 1205.53 Lakh (Rupees Twelve Crore Five Lakh Fifty Three Thousand Only) to the respective State Governments being the Loan/Grant component of Additional Central Assistance payable for Externally Aided Projects during the year 2018-2019 under Direct Payment Procedure to the following state's:

(Rs in lakh)

S.No.	State	Loan	Grant	Total
1	Assam	0	952.3	952.3
2	Himachal Pradesh	0	253.23	253.23
	Grand Total	0.00	1205.53	1205.53

- 2. The amount sanctioned above of Rs.1205.53 Lakh towards Loan/Grant may be first credited to the account of the respective State Governments and thereafter the entire amount may be recovered and credited to the accounts of the Controller of Aid Accounts(Deptt.of Economic Affairs) under the Head K-Deposits and Advances-8443-Civil Deposit towards the adjustment of the rupee equivalent of funds dues from the State Governments.
- 3. The payments are adjustable in the account of the Central Government in the books under the sub-head indicated as under:-

GRANT

<u>Demand NO. 40</u>

3601-GRANT-IN-AID TO STATE GOVERNMENTS

06-CENTRALLY SPONSERED SCHEMES

102-EXTERNALLY AIDED

05-GRANTS FOR CENTRALLY SPONSERED SCHEMES

0035-GRANTS FOR CREATION OF CAPITAL ASSET

- 4. The terms and conditions of the loan will be as follows:-
- (a) The loan will carry interest @ 9.00% per annum.
- (b) This loan represents a part of the block loans for State Plan Schemes and should be consolidated and deemed to have been paid on 1st October in each year. The maturity period of the loan will be 20 years and repayments being made in 20 annual equal installments together with interest on the outstanding balance commencing from the following year, subject

Sno.	ACA No.	Loan /Credi t No.	Name Of The Project	Amount (Rs. In Lakhs)	Appl No.	Disb. Date	Remarks
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STATEMENT-B

STATE-WISE DISBURSEMENT RECEIVED FOR RELEASE OF ACA FOR THE WEEK ENDING 08/03/2019 UNDER DIRECT PAYMENT PROCEDURE

ASS	AM						
ADB	(Asian Develo	pment Bank	k)				
1	2018002552	3200-IND	Assam Power Sector Enhancement Investment Program -Project 4(Assam Power Distribution Company Limited)	1,005.66	WA-61	04/02/2019	
2	2018002553	3200-IND	Assam Power Sector Enhancement Investment Program -Project 4(Assam Power Distribution Company Limited)	52.46	WA-62	21/02/2019	
			State Total:	1,058.12			
HIM	ACHAL PRAD	ESH					
GOD	E(Germany)						
3	2018002558	9950643E	Shongton-Karcham Hydropower Project-HP(Himachal Pradesh Power Corporation Limited)	3.87	WA-23	21/02/2019	
4	2018002556	7354672E	Shoogtong-Karcham Hydropower Project- HP(Himachal Pradesh Power Corporation Limited)	9.58	WA-25	21/02/2019	
5	2018002557	7354672E	Shoogtong-Karcham Hydropower Project- HP(Himachal Pradesh Power Corporation Limited)	178.12	-	21/02/2019	
6	2018002555	17806654E	Himachal Pradesh Forest Ecosystem Climate Proofing (Himachal Pradesh Forest Department)	7.46	WA-1	08/02/2019	
7	2018002554	15586494E	Himachal Pradesh Forest Ecosystem Climate Proofing (Himachal Pradesh Forest Department)	82.35	WA-8	08/02/2019	
			State Total:	281.38			
			Grand Total:	1339.5			



to consolidation under the award of Twelfth Finance Commission(TFC). However,50% of these loans will enjoy a 5 year initial grace period, after which repayment of these loan will be effected in 15 annual equal installments. The amounts annually payable (by way of principal and interest) would be recovered in ten equal installments commencing 15th June, subject to debt waiver under the award of TFC.

(c) In the event of default of the repayment of principal and/or interest, @11.75% would be chargeable on all such overdue installments.

(d) The Assistance is subject to adjustment on the basis of audited figures of expenditure for the state's annual plan 2018-2019.

5. The progressive totals of central assistance released to the State Governments under the sub-head at para 3 above in the current financial year 2018-2019 so far including amount released in this sanction letter is as follows:

(Rs in lakh)

SI.No	State	Block Grant	Block Loan	
1.	Assam	79519.54	8779,48	
2.	Himachal Pradesh	50302.91	5589,28	

6. The action taken on this letter may be acknowledged and correctness of the progressive totals be confirmed.

The statement showing details of the Projects against which the above amounts stand sanctioned to state is enlosed as Annexure.

Yours faithfully,

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Accountant General(A&E), States concerned.

3. DEA: Budget Division. (States Branch), New Delhi.

4. NITI Aayog : SP Divn./ FR Divn. , New Delhi.

Secy. RBI, Central Office, Mumbal/Manager, RBI, CAS, Nagpur.

6. Resident Commissioner, Govts. concerned, New Delhi.

7. Joint Secretary(TC&ADB),DEA, North Block, New Delhi (2 Copies).

8. Dept. of Economic Affairs, Director/Dy. Dir. FB, EC, FT, PMU, North Block

9. Controller of Aid Accounts and Audit, DEA, 5th Floor, B Wing, Janpath Bhavan, New Delhi

10. Deputy Director, Project Monitoring Unit, 2nd Floor, Yojana Bhavan, Jaipur.

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