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

New Delhi: Dated the 15th June, 2018

Subject: Centrally Sponsored Scheme “Peste des Petits Ruminants – Control Programme” (PPR-CP), a component of ‘Livestock Health and Disease Control’ – Release of Central Assistance during the year 2018 – 19 to the State Govt. of Himachal Pradesh – regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the subject cited above and convey the sanction of the President of India for payment of Grant-in-Aid amounting to Rs 26.95/- lakhs (Rupees Twenty six Lakh ninety five thousand only) to the State Govt. of Himachal Pradesh towards expenditure on the Centrally Sponsored Scheme “Peste des Petits Ruminants – Control Programme” (PPR-CP), a component of ‘Livestock Health and Disease Control’ for the current financial year 2018-2019 with the condition that 40% share will be provided by the State Government.

2. The Grants-in-aid of Rs 26.95/- lakhs (Rupees Twenty six Lakh ninety five thousand only) have been released in accordance with the approved pattern of financial assistance under the scheme. The release to the State Government of Himachal Pradesh has been made with condition that the next installment for release will be considered only after obtaining the information relating to fund utilization and submission of Utilization Certificate by the State Government of Himachal Pradesh.

3. The expenditure is debited to the following Head of Account during the year 2018-19.

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3601 : Grants-in-Aid to State Govt. (Major Head)
06 : Centrally Sponsored Scheme (Sub-Major Head)
101 : Central Assistance/Share
56 : White Revolution- Rashtriya Pashudhan Vikas Yojana
02 : Livestock Health and Disease Control
31 : Grants-in-Aid-General

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4. The payment of the amount during the Financial Year 2018-19 is subject to adjustment on the basis of audited figures of expenditure in terms of Ministry of Finance letter No. 2(19)/ F.11/60 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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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. 439/AS&FA office dated 11.06.2018.

7. The receipt of this letter may please be acknowledged.

8. The audited figures of expenditure of the current financial year as well as previous years may please be furnished.

9. It is certified that no Utilization Certification is pending with the above-mentioned State as due for rendition under the Rules under the Scheme.

10. It is certified that the expenditure of Rs 26.95/- lakhs (Rupees Twenty six Lakh ninety five thousand only) to the state of Himachal Pradesh have been duly noted in the Register of Grants at serial No.03 Pg No. 59 as stipulated in GFR rule 212(4)(b)

11. 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 and Internal Audit of the Principal Accounts Office of this Ministry.

Yours faithfully,

Under Secretary to the Government of India

(Deepak Sethi)

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