

FM-11/5/2020-DS Part-3
Government of India
Ministry of Food Processing Industries
Panchsheel Bhawan, August Kranti Marg
New Delhi-110049

Dated: **18.03.2021**

To,
The Pay and Accounts Officer,
M/o Food Processing Industries,
10/11 Jam Nagar House,
New Delhi-110011.

Subject: Sanction for release of Grant-in-Aid to the State Government of **Himachal Pradesh** for implementation of PMFME scheme as per the scheme guidelines.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India to the payment of **Rs.68,10,000/- (Rupees Sixty Eight Lakh Ten Thousand Only)** as Grant-in-Aid-General to the State Government of Himachal Pradesh for implementation of PMFME scheme as per the scheme guidelines.

2. This amount is released subject to the conditions laid down in the Scheme guidelines. The State Govt. is requested to furnish the utilization Certificates (UCs) in the prescribed proforma new GFR-12-C to this Ministry at the end of the financial year. It is also requested to submit Quarterly Progress Reports for both Physical and financial achievements regularly.
3. The payment of grant sanctioned above may be debited to the above mentioned sub-head under intimation to this Ministry and the Finance Department of the concerned State Government.
4. The Grant-in-Aid shall be utilized exclusively for the purpose(s) for which it is sanctioned. The funds released for SC/ST/General Category have to be utilized for respective category only. The funds earmarked for SC/ST cannot be diverted for General category.
5. The further use of Grants in Aid being released by this sanction order, is to be done through Expenditure, Advance and Transfer (EAT) module of Public Financial Management System (PFMS). The Utilization Certificate not supported by the EAT module data is likely to be rejected and expenditure is not to be treated as regular. The State/Agency would be forced to refund the amount received as the expenditure incurred in accordance with the terms and conditions of this sanction order.
6. The State Govt. is also requested to ensure registration of all the implementing agencies till last levels and use of Expenditure, Advance and Transfer (EAT) module of Public Financial Management System (PFMS) for flow of funds so

that effective monitoring of funds utilization can be done as per Rule 232(v) of GFR,2017.

7. It is certified that the Grant-in-Aid conforms to the pattern of assistance prescribed in the PMFME Scheme guidelines

8. The utilization of Grant-in-Aid being released by this Sanction Order is to be recorded through EAT module of PFMS. In compliance of GFR 230 (7), utilization of Grants –in –Aid will be monitored through EAT module of PFMS by the Ministry. Therefore, utilization of funds otherwise than on the EAT module of PFMS will not be acceptable. The expenditure not found appearing in EAT Module of PFMS will not be taken as eligible expenditure.

9. A detailed account of expenditure incurred out of the Grant-in-Aid shall be maintained by the State Government/Agency.

10. Department of Economic Affairs vide OM No. 4 (8)-B(P&A)/2020 dated 12.03.2021 has approved for incurring excess expenditure of Rs.255 crore under PM-FME Scheme using provisions of Appendix-10 of GFR, 2017.

11. The assets, permanent or semi-permanent, acquired wholly or substantially out of this grant-in-aid shall not without prior concurrence of the Ministry of Food Processing Industries be disposed off or encumbered or utilized for purpose other than those for which this grant has been sanctioned. A register may also be maintained by the State Government in the prescribed format of such assets and audited along with the other accounts and Utilization Certificate.

12. An achievement-Cum-Performance report along with the statistical summary or the targets (a) achieved during the last years (b) up to the end of current year and (c) proposed targets of the project for which the grant-in-aid has been sanctioned shall be submitted to the Government of India at the close of the year or at such earlier dated as the Government requires.

13. The account of all grantee Institutions or organizations 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 by the O/o Chief Controller of Accounts, Ministry of Food Processing Industries, whenever the Institution or /organization is called upon to do so.

14. The grantee institution/bodies shall be required to maintain subsidiary accounts of the Government grant and furnish to the Accounts Officer of Audited statement of Accounts together with a copy of their constitution. These audited statements of accounts will also be required to be furnished after utilization of Grant-in-Aid or wherever called for.

15. The know-how and all other aspects of Intellectual property generated as result of the project will be owned wholly by Ministry of Food Processing Industries.

16. The expenditure involved is debit to the following Heads of Account under Demand No. 41 of the Ministry of Food Processing Industries for the year 2020-21:

S.No.	A/c. Head No.	Amount (Rupees in lakhs)
i)	Grants-in-Aid – General 3601.06.101.76.10.31	5,771,938/-
ii)	Grants-in-Aid - General – SC Component 3601.06.789.65.10.31	8,60,467/-
iii)	Grants-in-Aid – General – ST Component 3601.06.796.68.10.31	1,77,595/-
	Total	68,10,000/-

17. This issues with the concurrence of the Integrated Finance Division vide their Dy. No. **1688/IFD/2021** dated **12.03.2021**.

18. This sanction has been noted at serial **No. 69** in Grants-in-Aid Register.

Yours faithfully,

(V P Bhatt)

Under Secretary to the Government of India;

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Copy to:-

- i. Additional Chief Secretary, Industries Department, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh
- ii. Directorate of Industries, Udyog Bhawan, Bemloe, Shimla – 1 Shimla, Himachal Pradesh. It may be ensured that the MoFPI grant is spent only for the purpose for which it has been sanctioned.
- iii. The Principal Director of Audit, Economic and Services, AGCR Building, IP Estate, New Delhi.
- iv. Sr.PAO, FPI with the request to take note of expenditure under General/SC/ST components under respective heads.
- v. DDO, FPI.
- vi. Budget Division.
- vii. IFWing
- viii. Sanction folder