

No. 1/19/2015-SBM  
Government of India  
Ministry of Urban Development

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated 18<sup>th</sup> January, 2017  
19<sup>th</sup>

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer (Sectt.)  
Ministry of Urban Development  
New Delhi-110011

Subject: Release of funds to Govt. of Himachal Pradesh in respect of IEC and Public Awareness activities under Swachh Bharat Mission during 2016-17

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of competent authority for payment of **₹2,95,22,000/- (Rupees Two crore ninety five lakh and twenty two thousand only)** to **Govt. of Himachal Pradesh** towards release of funds for **IEC and Public Awareness** activities under Swachh Bharat Mission (U) **during 2016-17**.

2. The sanction will be regulated in accordance with the provisions of GFR, 2005.
3. The expenditure is debitable to Major Head 3601 – Urban Development (Plan) – 04 – Grants for Centrally Sponsored Plan Schemes – 314 - Sewerage & Sanitation - Sanitation Service – 03 – Swachh Bharat Mission – 02-IEC to State Govt. for Swachh Bharat Mission – 31 - Grant-in-Aid General under Demand No.95 for the year 2016-17 of the Ministry of Urban Development.
4. The amount will be credited to the State Government's account to RBI as per procedure laid down by Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure vide O.M. No. F-II (45/76/SC) dated 22.02.1977.
5. In addition to the entire Scheme being governed by the Guidelines of the Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) which is available at [www.moud.gov.in](http://www.moud.gov.in) and following the same while releasing funds to the beneficiaries/ULBs, the release of funds for the ~~for~~ Public awareness and IEC Activities Component will be restricted to and governed by the guidelines given in paragraph 8 of the SBM guidelines.
6. Entry has been made at Sl. No. **95** of Grant-in-aid Register for the year 2016-17.
7. No U.C. is pending for this project from Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.
8. This issues with the approval of Finance Division vide their Dy. No. **110/IFD/17** dated **12/01/2017**.

Yours faithfully,



(Gopal Jha)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India  
Tel: 23062565

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1. Director General, Audit Central Revenue and Expenditure, Near ITO, AGCR Building, New Delhi-110002
2. Principal Accounts Officer, Ministry of Urban Development, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. Chief Secretary, Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla.
4. Capt. J M Pathania, Director, Urban Development, HP. Palika Bhawan, Talland, Shimla-171002
5. Finance Division
6. Sanction file



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