

F.No.K-16015/13/2016-AMRUT-II  
Government of India  
Ministry of Urban Development  
AMRUT Division

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 26<sup>th</sup> July, 2016

To,

The Pay & Account Officer (Sectt.)  
Ministry of Urban Development  
Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi

Subject: Release of first instalment of Central Assistance (CA) amounting Rs.24,00,000/- (20% of the approved Central Share towards project fund of Rs.1.20 Cr.) to Govt. of Lakshadweep under Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT).

I am directed to convey the sanction of the Competent Authority for the release of an amount of Rs 24,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty Four Lakh only) to the Government of Lakshadweep. This amount is being released as 1<sup>st</sup> instalment 20% of the approved Central Assistance towards project fund of Rs. 1.20 Cr. under Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT) for implementation of projects related to Water Supply, Urban Transport and Parks/Green spaces. The total approved size of State Annual Action Plan (SAAP) of Lakshadweep is Rs.1.20 Cr for 2016-17.

2. The first instalment is being released on the basis of estimated project cost and any excess or shortfall in the first instalment shall be adjusted while releasing the second instalment of Central Assistance based on approved cost.
3. Diversion of Central Grants for purposes other than the Mission projects is not allowed and shall entail levy of penal interest on the amount and any other action by the Apex Committee and may include adverse effect on release of grants.
4. This release will be governed in terms of provisions of GFR. The amount of Central Assistance should be kept in separate account and be open to inspection/Audit as per provisions.
5. Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT) is a new Mission and presently no utilization certificate is pending from the State under the Mission.
6. UT Govt may take necessary action in respect of observations/ comments made by Apex Committee and recorded in the Minutes of 11<sup>th</sup> meeting of Apex Committee.

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7. The expenditure involved is debitable to the Major Head 2217 - Urban Development, 05 – Other Urban Development Schemes, 191-Assistance to Municipal Corporations, 16-Urban Rejuvenation Mission- 500 Habitations, 16.01.35-Grants for creation of capital assets under grant No. 95 -Ministry of Urban Development of the year 2016-17 (Plan).
8. Principal Account Office, Ministry of Urban Development may issue Letter of Authority in favour of Pay & Account Officer of Union Territory of Lakshadweep.
9. This issues with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division vide their Dy. No. 1207/IFD/2016 dated 25.07.2016.
10. The sanction has been enter at Sl.No. 06 of the sanction register.

Yours faithfully  
राजेन्द्र प्रताप सिंह/RAJENDRA PRATAP SINGH  
अवर सचिव/Under Secretary  
शहरी विकास मंत्रालय  
Ministry of Urban Development  
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Under Secretary to the Government of India

**Copy to:-**

1. Administrator of UT of Lakshadweep.
2. Principal Secretary (UD), Union Territory of Lakshadweep. The amount released be utilised for the purpose for which it has been sanctioned and utilization status be furnished as per Guidelines of Mission.
3. Accountant General of Union Territory of Lakshadweep.
4. The Principal Director of Audit, Economic & Service Ministries, AGCR Building , I.P. Estate, New Delhi-110002.
5. PAO, MoUD, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi.
6. Cash Section ,MoUD
7. Budget and Account Section, Ministry of Urban Development.
8. Finance Division, MoUD
9. Guard File of the Section.

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