

No.16-15/2014-DD-I
Government of India
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment
Department of Disability Affairs

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi-110 115
Dated the 12th September, 2014

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment
Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi.

Subject: Release of Grant-in-aid (non-recurring) to National Institute for Visually Handicapped , Dehradun for establishment of Simulation Centre and Demonstration Lab of Access Technologies and Assistive Devices for Researchers, Scholars, Employers, Industry and Visually Impaired Persons under the SIPDA Scheme during 2014-15

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India to release an amount of Rs.1,76,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore and Seventy Six Lakh only) i.e. 50% of the amount of Rs.3,52,00,000/- (Rupees Three Crore Fifty Two Lakh only) as 1st instalment of grant-in-aid to National Institute for Visually Handicapped , Dehradun for establishment of Simulation Centre and Demonstration Lab of Access Technologies and Assistive Devices for Researchers, Scholars, Employers, Industry and Visually Impaired Persons under the SIPDA Scheme during 2014-15. The balance 50% of amount of grant-in-aid will be released after satisfactory physical and financial progress of utilization of the 1st installment of grant-in-aid.

2. **Purpose for which this grant is sanctioned:** For establishment of Simulation Centre and Demonstration Lab of Access Technologies and Assistive Devices for Researchers, Scholars, Employers, Industry and Visually Impaired Persons

3. Certified that this sanction has been noted at Sl. No. 11 in Register of Grants (maintained in Form GFR-39) for the year 2014-15.

4. The Grants-in-aid will be regulated in accordance with the provisions contained in the General Financial Rules (GFR), 2005. The Grants-in-aid is also subject to the Chapter 9 of the General Financial Rules, 2005, as amended from time to time and read with the Government of India's decisions incorporated there-under, and any other guidelines which may be issued in this regard, and in particular to the following conditions: -

- i) All relevant information and documents /certificates as required under GFR 2009 have been received.
- ii) Certified that the pattern of assistance of rules governing such grants-in-aid have received the approval of the Ministry of Finance, as required under Govt. of India Decision No. (1) under DFPR-Rule 20.
- iii) The accounts of the National Institute for Visually Handicapped , Dehradun shall be open for audit by C&AG or by any person authorized by him on his behalf in accordance with the provisions laid down in Section 14 of the C&AG (DPC Act 1971) as amended from time to time.



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iv) The accounts of the National Institute for Visually Handicapped , Dehradun shall be open for inspection by the Sanctioning Authority and Audit, both by any other Comptroller & Auditor General of India under the provision of C&AG (DPC Act, 1971) and Internal Audit by the Principal Accounts Office of the Ministry or Department whenever it is called upon to do so.

v) Grants-in-aid to National Institute for Visually Handicapped , Dehradun is subject to the economy instructions issued from time to time by the Ministry of Finance or by any other Competent Authority.

(vi) National Institute for Visually Handicapped , Dehradun shall complete all work within the stipulated time period of the project and on completion of the work it will furnish Utilization Certificate and completion certificate to this Department. (b) Rules and Regulations as per GFR would be applicable.

(vii) *National Institute for Visually Handicapped , Dehradun has no utilization certificate as due for submission under the rules under the scheme and other programmes for Welfare of Handicapped of Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment.*

(viii) The funds allocated under this Scheme cannot be diverted to any other programmes without prior approval of Government of India. Further, it is also advised to strictly adhere to timelines without escalation in cost and delays.

(ix) National Institute for Visually Handicapped , Dehradun will confirm that the conditions mentioned in the letter are acceptable to them and they are exempted from executing the bond.

(x) The grant-in-aid is further subject to the following conditions:-

- (a) The payment may be restricted as per actual paid by National Institute for Visually Handicapped , Dehradun .
- (b) National Institute for Visually Handicapped , Dehradun will provide details of expenditure.
- (c) National Institute for Visually Handicapped , Dehradun will follow the time schedule approved by the Department of Disability Affairs/CPWD, Hyderabad for construction of the barrier free facilities.
- (d) National Institute for Visually Handicapped , Dehradun will furnish monthly progress report of the activities to the Department of Disability Affairs.
- (e) National Institute of Visually will ensure that the Institute will also utilize their share out of Rs.3.03 core from plan capital budget of the Institute.


5 The Expenditure involved will be met from within the Sanctioned Budget of Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment under Demand No 91, Major Head 2235: Social Security & Welfare 02- Social Welfare (Sub-Major Head), 101: Welfare of Handicapped, (Minor Head) 10-Other Schemes-10.15.31- Schemes for Implementation of Persons with Disabilities Act, 1995, Grant-in-aid for the year 2014-15 (Plan).

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6. Arrangement be made to credit the amount of Rs.1,76,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Seventy Six Lakh only) to National Institute for Visually Handicapped , Dehradun in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Ministry of Finance O.M. No.2 (45)/76-Spl. Cell dated 30.08.1976 as modified vide O.M. of even number dated 16.09.1976 under intimation to this Section.

7. This sanction issues with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division of Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment vide their Dy. No. 2432/JS&FA/2014 dated 11.9.2014.

Yours faithfully,


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Copy for information and necessary action to:

1. National Institute for Visually Handicapped , Dehradun - with the request to confirm acceptance of the terms and conditions of the sanction letter as mentioned above.
2. Executive Engineer, Office of Superintending Engineer, Central Public Works Department, 20, Subhash Road, Dehradun.
3. Director of Audit, Central Revenues, IP Estate, New Delhi.
4. The Office of the Chief Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities, 6, Bhagwan Das Road, New Delhi.
5. IF Wing/Co-ordination Section/ Budget Section/ Bill Copy/Sanction folder.
6. D.D.O., Ministry of SJ&E, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
7. Nodal Officer concerned


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