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Government of India
Ministry of Law and Justice
Department of Justice

Jaisalmer House, Mansingh Road,
New Delhi, Dated 21st May, 2018

To
The Principal Accounts Officer
Department of Legal Affairs,
Lok Nayak Bhavan, 3rd Floor,
'C' Wingh, Khan Market
New Delhi – 110003

Subject: **Central Assistance towards Recurring and Non-Recurring Expenditure for establishing and operationalising 30 Gram Nyayalayas in the State of Kerala—regarding.**

Sir,

In continuation of this Department's sanction order of even number dated 23.05.2017, conveying sanction of Rs. 3,75,00,000/- (Rupees Three Crore Seventy Five Lakh Only) (Rs. 3,65,40,000/- towards first installment of non recurring grants and Rs. 9,60,000/- towards first installment of recurring grants), to the State Government of Kerala, I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for the payment of **Rs. 99,00,000/- (Rupees Ninety Nine Lakhs only)** (Rs. 12,60,000/- towards non recurring and Rs. 86,40,000/- towards recurring) for establishing and operating 30 Gram Nyayalayas in the State of Kerala as intimated to this Department vide Government of Kerala's letter No. 73584/C3/2016/Home dated 24.01.2017 and dated 18/08/2017.

2. As per the guidelines, the Central Assistance for meeting the **non-recurring expenditure** is limited to Rs 18.00 lakhs per Gram Nyayalayas for provision of accommodation, vehicle, office equipment, furniture, computer etc., 70% of the Central Assistance of Rs 18.00 lakhs per Gram Nyayalaya is released / disbursed to the State Government as advance payment for meeting the cost of setting up of a Gram Nyayalaya. Central assistance for meeting the **recurring expenditure** is limited to Rs.3.20 lakhs per *completed year of operation* of a Gram Nyayalaya and released to the States for the first three completed years of operation of the Gram Nyayalaya. The detail of release of Rs. 99,00,000/- is as per below:

No of Gram Nyayalaya Notified	Notified and operational	70% of Non Recurring Grants to be released to State Government (Rs. 12.60 lakh per gram nyalayalaya) (in Rs. lakh)	1st Installment of recurring Grants for per operational Gram Nyayalaya (Rs. 3.2 lakh per gram nyalayalaya) (in Rs. Lakh)	Financial Assistance released towards non recurring grants (in Rs. Lakh)	Financial Assistance released toward recurring grant (in Rs. Lakh)	Balance being released towards non recurring grants (in Rs. lakh)	Balance being released towards recurring grants (in Rs. lakh)
30	30	378.00	96.00	365.40	9.60	12.60	86.40
Total		378.00	96.00	365.40	9.60	12.60	86.40

4. The expenditure involved is debit to Demand No. 61 during 2018-19 under Major Head – 3601-Grant-in-aid to State Governments, Sub Major Head -06-Centrally Sponsored Schemes, Minor Head – 06.101 – Central Assistance /Share Grant for Infrastructural for Judiciary, Detailed Head- 02. – Assistance to State Governments for establishing and Operating Gram Nyayalayas, Object Head-57.02.31- Grant-in-aid General.

5. The concerned State Government is requested to utilize this amount during the current financial year 2018-19. The details of amount spent by the State Government alongwith audit certificate, utilization certificate in the prescribed format (GFR-19A) duly signed by the competent authority and physical achievements may please be sent to this Department at the earliest & latest by the end of the stipulated period in this regard.
6. In respect of both recurring as well as non recurring expenditure to the State Governments, the Utilisation Certificate / Statement of Expenditure of the grant received for the purpose shall be furnished by the State Government before any further release of funds is made.
7. This sanction has been entered in the Register of Grants at Serial No. 02 at page No. 07-08.
8. This issues with the concurrence of IF Division, Ministry of Law and Justice vide their Dy. No. 1860 dated 16.05.2018

Yours faithfully,


(Z.A. Khan)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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