

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA

ABSTRACT

Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department - Operational guidelines under 15th Finance Commission to Local bodies -Orders-Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (GP.FIN) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.37

Dated:28 -10-2020
Read the following:

- Ref:-1) From the Joint Secretary, GOI, MoPR, New Delhi, DO No.G-39011 /2/2017-FD Dt.20.02.2020.
- 2) From the Joint Secretary, GOI, MoPR, New Delhi D.O No. M-11015 /192/2019-CB Dt.06.03.2020.
- 3) From the Secretary, Government of India, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Department of Drinking Water & Sanitation, New Delhi & the Secretary, Government of India, Ministry of Panchayat Raj, New Delhi No. S-11011/1/2020-SBM-DDWS Dt.17.03.2020.
- 4) From the Director (FCD), Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure (Finance Commission Division) No. 15 (2)FC- XV/FCD/2020-25 Dt.01.06.2020.
- 5) G. O. Rt. No. 215 PR&RD (GP-FIN) Dept. Dt.04.06.2020.
- 6) From the Commissioner, PR &RE, Hyd. Lr. No.CPRRE-G1/SCHM /1/2020-G-Section,dt.07-07-2020.

ORDER:

In the references 1st to 4th read above, the Ministry of Panchayat Raj, GOI, Ministry of Finance, GOI and Ministry of Jal Shakti, GOI have communicated certain Operational guidelines for the implementation of the recommendations in Local bodies for utilization of 15th Finance Commission grants.

2. In the reference 6th read above, the Commissioner has requested to issue Operational guidelines for utilization of 15th Finance Commission grants by Panchayat Raj Institutions.

3. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby order that the following guidelines are issued based on the recommendations of the 15th Finance Commission are as follows:

1. Grant to be distributed to all three tiers of Panchayats in the ratio of 85%:10%:5% to Gram Panchayats, Mandal Praja Parishads & Zilla Praja Parishads respectively.
2. The State Governments to transfer each installment to all the concerned entities (Gram Panchayat/Block Panchayat/Zilla Panchayat) without any deduction within ten working days of receipt from the Union Government.
3. Any delay beyond ten working days, will require the State Government to release the same with interest as per the effective rate of interest.

I) Modalities for Release of grants :-

- **Basic Grants :-** Basic grant i.e. 50% of the allocation to be released in two installments by the Ministry of Finance, Dept. of Expenditure after receipt of Grant Transfer Certificate and recommendation from the Ministry of Panchayat Raj, GoI.
- **Tied Grants :-** Tied Grants i.e. 50% of the allocation to be released in two instalments by the Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure after receipt of recommendation from the Ministry of Panchayat Raj, GoI, Department of Drinking Water & Sanitation and the Ministry of Jal Shakti, Govt. of India. Further Ministry of Panchayat Raj, GOI will access the following before recommending for release of grant.