No. K-11053(5313)/17/2016-LH Government of India

Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries

Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi Dated, the 18 March, 2018

To,

The Pay and Accounts Officer (Sectt.), Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries, Jeevan tara Building, Sansad Marg, New Delhi 110001.

Sub: Release of Additional Funds to State of Tamil Nadu for implementation of Foot and Mouth Disease Control Programme (FMD-CP), under Centrally Sponsored Scheme "Livestock Health & Disease Control" during 2017-18 –regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for the payment of Grants-in-Aid amounting to Rs. 170.328 lakh (Rupees One Crore and seventy lakh thirty-two thousand and eight hundred only) as Central Grants to the Department of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services of State Government of Tamil Nadu as additional funds of 60% Central share for procurement of FMD vaccine and towards meeting expenditure on logistics for carrying out vaccination under Foot and Mouth Disease Control Programme (FMD-CP) during 2017-18 with the condition that matching 40% State share is to be provided by the State Governments so as to carry out vaccination of all eligible animals as envisaged under the programme as per schedule of vaccination.

- 2. The Grants-in-Aid of Rs. 170.328 lakh (Rupees One Crore and seventy lakh thirty-two thousand and eight hundred only) have been released in accordance with the approved pattern of financial assistance under the Scheme. The release to the J Tamil Nadu State Government is subject to the condition that the next instalment for release will be considered only after obtaining the information relating to fund-utilization and submission of Utilization Certificate by the Tamil Nadu State Government.
- 3. The expenditure is debitable to the following Head of Accounts during the year 2017-18: Demand No. 3

3601 : Grants-in-Aid to State Govt. (Major Head)

06 : Centrally Sponsored Scheme (Sub-Major Head)

101 : Central Assistance/Share

56 : White Revolution- Rashtriya Pashudhan Vikas Yojana

02 : Livestock Health and Disease Control

31 : Grants-in-Aid-General

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4. The amount sanctioned is subject to adjustment on the basis of audited figures of expenditure in terms of Ministry of Finance letter No. 2(19)/ F.II/60 dated 09.10.1964. The Utilization Certificate / actual figures of expenditure duly audited by the Accountant General may be furnished to this office as early as possible.

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- The central funds may be utilized strictly as per approved activities & Budget for the year. If any inter component re-appropriation becomes necessary, prior approval of the Govt. of India should be obtained.
- 6. This Sanction is issued in exercise of delegated powers and with the concurrence of Finance Division of Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries vide their Diary No. 1078/AS&FA dated 27.03.2018.
- 7. It is certified that the expenditure of Rs. 170.328 lakh (Rupees One Crore and seventy lakh thirtytwo thousand and eight hundred only) has been duly noted in the Expenditure control register at Serial No. 27 on Page No. 15 as stipulated in GFR rule 212(4)(b).
- 8. It is certified that no Utilization Certification is pending with the above-mentioned States as due for rendition under the Rules under the Scheme.
- The Accounts regarding release of funds and their utilization shall be open to inspection by the sanctioning authority and audit, both the Comptroller and Auditor General of India and Internal Audit of the Principal Accounts Officer of this Ministry.
- 10. The receipt of this letter may please be acknowledged.

Yours faithfully,

(Harbans Lal) 18 Under Secretary to the Govt. of India-

Copy to:

- 1. Secretary, Department of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services of the State Govt of Tamil Nadu.
- Tamil Nadu.

 2. Director, Department of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services of the State Govt of Tamil Nadu.
- 3. Finance Commissioner / Secretary, Department of Finance of the State Govt of Tamil Nadu.

4. Accountant General of the State Govt of Tamil Nadu.

5. PAO Office, 16-A, Akbar Road, New Delhi.

6. Director (LH) / US (Finance) / DC (LH), DAHDF, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.

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