To

The Chief Controller of Accounts,
Principal Accounts Office,
Ministry of Women & Child Development
New Delhi

Subject: Release of First installment of Flexi Fund to Dadra and Nagar Haveli for 2017-18 under the Maternity Benefit Programme [(named as Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandana Yojana (PMMVY)) - regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President to the payment of ₹ 3,00,000/- (Rupees Three Lakhs) only to the UT Administration of Dadra and Nagar Haveli as Central Share of first installment of Flexi Funds for 2017-18 under the Maternity Benefit Programme [(named as Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandana Yojana (PMMVY))].

2. The above mentioned sanction is subject to the following conditions:

[a] Funds released shall be utilised strictly as per the guidelines issued by the Department of Expenditure vide its O.M. No. 55(S)/PF-II/2011 dated 06.09.2016 but within the overall limit of the budget provided under the Programme.

[b] Funds should not be used to substitute State’s own schemes and project expenditures.

[c] Funds should also not be used for construction/repair of offices/residences for Government officials, general publicity, purchase of vehicle/furniture for offices, distribution of consumer durables/non-durables, incentives/rewards for staff and other unproductive expenditure.

[d] The Union Territories, should constitute a State Level Sanctioning Committee (SLSC) to sanction projects or activities under the flexi-fund component. The participation of the MWCD would be mandatory in the SLSC before the flexi-funds facility is invoked under the Scheme.

3. The UT Administration will furnish Utilisation Certificate in respect of the grants-in-aid released as per the provisions contained in GFR, 2017. Further, the UT Administration will maintain separate records of expenditure incurred for implementation of Maternity Benefit Programme [(named as Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandana Yojana (PMMVY))] and furnish separate Statement of Expenditure and Utilization Certificate along with Physical Progress Report every quarter. The information on expenditure for the period 1st April to 30th June must be furnished by 15th July, for the period from 1st July to 30th September by 15th October, for the period 1st October to 31st December by 15th January and for 1st January to 31st March by 15th April to enable the Ministry to work out the entitlement of Central assistance of the State Government.
4. It is requested that a Letter of Authority (LOA) may be issued to Accounts officers, Pay & Accounts offices of the Union Territory Administration for drawing the amount from PAO, Ministry of Women & Child Development, New Delhi in accordance with prescribed procedure.

5. The expenditure of ₹ 3,00,000/- (Rupees Three Lakhs) only is debitable to the 2235 (Major Head)-Social Security and Welfare, 02-Social Welfare (Sub Major Head), 102-Child Welfare (Minor Head), 42-Integrated Child Development Scheme (ICDS), 04-Maternity Benefit Programme (Detailed Head), 31-Grants-in-aid General (Object Head) in Demand No. 99 Ministry of Women & Child Development 2017-18 (Plan). The Computer, PAO and SCCD Code Number etc. are as follows:-

(a) PAO Code No. 011450
(b) Computer Code No. 22352629
(c) Alfa Code No. 223502102420431

6. The pattern of grants has been approved by the Ministry of Finance. This sanction is being issued in conformity with the rules and principles of the scheme approved by the Competent Authority.

7. Certified that this sanction has been noted at Serial No. 50 in the Register of Grants.

8. This sanction issues with the concurrence of IFD in File No. 15/9/2017-PMMVY dated 22.11.2017.

Yours faithfully,

(V.C. Choudhary)

Under Secretary to the Government of India
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1. The Secretary WCD/SW/H&FW Department, concerned UT Administration.
2. The Secretary, D/o Finance, concerned UT Administration.
3. The Secretary, D/o Planning, concerned UT Administration.
4. Director dealing with PMMVY of the concerned UT Administration.
5. State/UT Nodal Officer, PMMVY of the concerned UT Administration.
6. The Accountant General of the concerned UT Administration.
7. The Director of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, I.P. Estate, New Delhi.
8. Ministry of Finance, D/o Expenditure, (Plan Finance Division), North Block, N. Delhi.
10. PS to MOS (I/C) MWCD/PPS to Secretary/ME Unit/US (Budget).
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