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Government of India  
Ministry of Women & Child Development  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110 001,  
Dated: 20<sup>th</sup> June, 2017.

To

Chief Controller of Accounts,  
Principal Accounts Office,  
Ministry of Women & Child Development,  
New Delhi – 110 001.

**Subject: Release of first Instalment of recurring grant-in-aid to the UT Administration of Puducherry for running 65 crèches under the National Crèche Scheme (NCS) for the current financial year of 2017-18 – regarding.**

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of President of India to the payment of **Rs.23,19,525/- (Rs. Twenty Three Lakh Nineteen Thousand Five Hundred and Twenty Five Only)** to the UT Administration of Puducherry as first instalment grant-in-aid (90% GoI's share) for the year 2017-18 for running 65<sup>#</sup> crèches under the National Crèche Scheme.

2. The fund sharing pattern amongst the Central Government and organisation/institution running the crèches will be in the ratio 90:10 and sanction of funds is subject to the following conditions:

- i. The amount of the grant will have to be utilized for all components under the scheme as per the schematic norms.
- ii. The State/UTs shall also be required to contribute their share for implementation of the National Crèche Scheme.
- iii. State Government shall conduct a survey to verify the existence and functioning of crèches and to release funds only to those crèches found functional as per their survey report. Unspent grants, if any, will be adjusted during the release of next instalment grants of 2017-18.
- iv. Further, as per the scheme guidelines and NITI Aayog guidelines, State Governments shall ensure that the NGOs running the crèches are registered in the NGO-PS portal and have furnished details of Unique ID from NGO-PS portal, Aadhar number, PAN number, mobile number, E-mail ID of the office bearers before release of grants.

3. The grant is further subject to condition that the State Government will maintain separate records of expenditure incurred for implementation of National Crèche Scheme and furnish separate Statement of Expenditure and Utilization Certificate.

4. Details of progress of expenditure on National Crèche Scheme from 1<sup>st</sup> April to 30<sup>th</sup> September must be furnished by 15<sup>th</sup> October and for the period from 1<sup>st</sup> October to 31<sup>st</sup> March by 15<sup>th</sup> April to enable the Ministry of work out the entitlement of Central assistance of each State Government/UT Administration.

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(यु. एस. मेहता)  
(U. S. MEHTA)  
अवर सचिव/Under Secretary  
महिला एवं बाल विकास मंत्रालय  
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**# Note:**

Grants to Puducherry for 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2016-17 had been released for running 163 crèches. However, only 114 crèches have been taken over. Hence the grants for 1<sup>st</sup> quarter of 2017-18 have been released for 65 crèches only after adjusting unspent grants for 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2016-17.

5. The expenditure of **Rs.23,19,525/- (Rs. Twenty Three Lakh Nineteen Thousand Five Hundred and Twenty Five Only)** is debit to the 3602-Grants-in-aid to Union Territory Governments (Major Head), 06-Centrally Sponsored Schemes (Sub Major Head), 101-Central Assistance/Share (Minor Head), 40- Umbrella ICDS (Sub-Head), 06- National Crèche Scheme (Detailed Head), 31-Grants-in-aid-General (Object Head) in Demand No.99, Ministry of Women & Child Development 2017-18 (Plan).

6. The amount of grant-in-aid is finally adjustable in the books of the Principal Pay and Accounts Office, Ministry of Women and Child Development, D Wing, Ground Floor, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi. **The payment of the State Government would be arranged through Reserve Bank of India, Nagpur.** The State Accountant Generals will send intimation regarding receipt of grant-in-aid to the Principal Pay & Accounts Office, Ministry of Women & Child Development, Shastri Bhawan, D Wing, Ground Floor, New Delhi.

7. This sanction issues with the concurrence of IFD and Chief Accounting Authority vide their e-office Computer No.33998 dated 19/06/2017.

8. Entries have been made in the Grant-in-aid Register at S.No.8.

**Yours Sincerely,**

  
**(U.S. Mehta)**

**Under Secretary to the Government of India**

**Tel: 011-2338 2743**

**Copy forwarded to:**

1. The Secretary, Women & Child Development Department, UT Administration of Puducherry.
2. The Accountant General, UT Administration of Puducherry.
3. The Director of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, I.P. Estate, New Delhi.
4. Ministry of Finance, Deptt. of Expenditure, (Plan Finance Division), North Block, New Delhi.
5. Cash Section, Ministry of Women & Child Development.
6. PS to Minister, MWCD/PPS to Secretary/IFD/US (Budget).
7. Guard Files/Sanction Folder.
8. Pay & Accounts Officer, Ministry of Women and Child Development, New Delhi.

  
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