K-15017/01/2015-SC-1
Government of India
Ministry of Urban Development

To,
The Pay and Accounts Officer (Secretariat),
Ministry of Urban Development,
Nirman Bhawan,
New Delhi.

Subject: - Release of Rs 2,00,00,000/- as advance to State Government of Sikkim for preparation of Smart City Proposal (SCP) under Smart Cities Mission (SCM) guidelines in respect of Namchi Municipality.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the Competent Authority for the release of Rs. 2,00,00,000/- (Rupees Two Crore only) as advance to State Governments of Sikkim for preparation of Smart City Proposal (SCP) under Smart Cities Mission (SCM) guidelines in respect of Namchi Municipality as part of State Funds for Administrative & Office Expenses (A&OE) in terms of Para 12.1 of SCM guidelines.

2. The amount of advance will come from the city’s share of the A&OE funds and will be adjusted in the share of the city at the time of release of first instalment.

3. The aforesaid sanction is subject to the following conditions:
   i) The sanction shall be regulated in accordance with the provisions of GFR, 2005/SCM guidelines.
   ii) The State Government of Sikkim would maintain a separate account in respect of SCM.
   iii) The money will be utilized for the purpose for which it has been sanctioned.
   iv) The State Government of Sikkim will furnish utilization certificate in respect of funds released at an early date in the prescribed Performa as provided in the SCM guidelines.

4. This is the first release to State Government of Sikkim under SCM guidelines. As such, no Utilisation Certificate is pending in respect of the States mentioned in the sanction order as per requirement.

5. The Cheque may be issued in favour of Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok.

6. The expenditure involved will be debited to the Major Head 3601-Grant-in-aid to State Govts., 04-Other Urban Development Schemes, 315-Assistance to Local Bodies, Corporation, Urban Development Authorities, Town Improvement Board etc., 03-Mission for 100 Smart Cities, 03.00.31-Grants-in-aid General under Grant No. 104-Ministry of Urban Development of the year 2015-16 (Plan).

7. This issues with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division vide their Dy. No. 1012/US (D-II)/FD/15 dated 28.08.2015.

8. The Sanction has been registered at Sl.No. 3 of the Sanction register of Smart Cities Division (SC-1) for the year 2015-16.

Yours faithfully,
(Sanjay Sharma)
Under Secretary to the Government of India
Tel-23062742

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Copy to:-

i) Chief Secretary of State Government of Sikkim. The advance be utilised for the purpose for which it has been sanctioned.

ii) Principal Secretary (UD), State Government of Sikkim

iii) Municipal Commissioner, Namchi Municipality

iv) Accountant General of State Government of Sikkim

v) The Principal Director of Audit, Economic & Service Ministries, AGCR Building, I.P. Estate, New Delhi - 110002

vi) DDO, M/o Urban Development, Section Officer (Admn. II) Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi

vii) Finance Division, Ministry of Urban Development, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi

viii) Budget Section, Ministry of Urban Development, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi

ix) Guard File/Sanction Folder

x) Technical Cell to place this Sanction on the website of the Smart Cities Mission

(Sanjay Sharma)

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