GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL

Finance Department Budget Branch

No. 1255-F.B.

Howrah, the 6th January, 2015

MEMORANDUM

In continuation of this Department Memo No. 500-FB dated 30.07.2014, the Governor has now been pleased to decide as below:

- 2. i) The Administrative Departments / Controlling Authorities may make further allotment of fund up to current year's budget provision relating to Non-Plan expenditure for the following items: (a) 11-Travel Expenses (b) 12-Medical Reimbursement under WBHS, 2008 (c) (13-03)-Maintenance / POL for office vehicles (d) 14-Rent, Rates & Taxes (e) 16-Publications (f) 19-Maintenance (g) 24-POL (Police, Ambulance etc.) (h) 25-Clothing & Tentage (Police Uniform) (i) 27-Minor Works / Maintenance (j) (28-02) Payment of Professional & Special Services (k) 51-Motor Vehicles (l) 77-Computerisation (m) 87-Regeneration.
- 3. Under Memo No. 500-FB dated 30.07.2014, Finance Department has already authorized the Administrative Department / Controlling Authorities to make allotment up to 75% of State Plan fund and sanction expenditure on administratively approved schemes except the following cases for which concurrence from the Finance Department, Budget Branch will have to be obtained:

a) Schemes relating to EAP, NCDC, REC, CRF, APDRP, AIBP, BADP, ACA under Article 275(I), TSP (relating to BCW Deptt.), BRGF, NPAG, NeGAP, HADP, RKVY, GLB,(State Finance Commission), JNNURM, One-time ACA, WBCETF.

- b) Central share and State share for all schemes including Other Centrally Assisted State Plan Schemes (OCASPS) for which central assistance is available.
- c) Release of fund under 33- Subsidies, 55-Loans and Advances, 54-Investment.
- 4. Department's may release Plan fund upto 100% of budget provision except allocation under Core Plan subject to credit of central fund where the schemes are centrally assisted ones.
- 5. The Department's which did not allot / release funds upto 75% of budget provision under Core Plan till 31.12.2014 may now allot / release fund upto 75% for expenditure beyond 31.12.2014 under Core Plan. The Department will have to seek prior concurrence of the Finance Department for release of remaining 25% of the allocation under Core Plan.
- **6.** The concerned Departments will be required to upload necessary information in the prescribed proforma regarding release of Plan Fund in the website of the Finance Department (www.wbfin.nic.in).
- 7. All allotments of fund including the fund allotted to Works Executing Departments/ Forests Department should be made through the software application 'e-bantan' under IFMS.
- **8.** The powers delegated to the Administrative Departments / Controlling Authorities to release fund are subject to the following conditions:
 - i) The project / scheme for which fund is to be released has been administratively approved following the existing procedure after obtaining concurrence of the Finance Department / Financial Advisor / Departmental Secretary within the limit of Rs.10.00 lakh as per Memo No.95-F.B. dated 18.04.2012;
 - ii) The amount to be released can be accommodated within the allotted fund out of budget provision under the project / scheme;
 - iii) There are no deviations technical or otherwise from the approved norms;

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iv) Restrictions on creation of posts, purchase / hiring of cars and other restrictions imposed by the Finance Department are to be observed.

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Government of West Bengal

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- 4. The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, W. B., 4, Lyons Range, 2nd floor, Kolkata- 700 001.
- 5. The Addl. Chief Secretary/Principal Secretary/Secretary/Special Secretary/Joint Secretary,

 Department.
- 8. Group/Branch, Finance Department.
- 9. The Commissioner,......Division.
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