

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Finance Department
Budget Branch
Nabanna, Howrah-711 102

No. 990-F.B.

Howrah, the 12th December, 2023

M E M O R A N D U M

In continuation of fund allotment Memo. No. 1400-FB dated 30.03.2023 read with Memo No. 380-FB dated 04.07.2023, the Governor has now been pleased to decide to release fund **up to 75% of the whole years' Budget provision** for the financial year 2023-24 for **Other Non-Salary items** under **Administrative Expenditure** except the heads of account related to State Disaster Risk Management Fund (SDRMF) under the major head "2245-Relief on account of Natural Calamities".

2. In case of requirement of additional fund for 2023-24 beyond Budget Provision, the Administrative Department shall locate savings and propose for re-appropriation from admissible heads of account within 15.01.2024, so that the same may be accommodated within Revised Estimate 2023-24.

3. Within the powers delegated under Delegation of Financial Power Rules, 1977 as amended from time to time or by virtue of the powers delegated in specific cases, the Administrative Departments/ Controlling Authorities may sanction expenditure out of the Administrative Expenditure **except "33-Subsidies" and "55-Loans & Advances"**.

3. While issuing orders for sanctioning expenditure in exercise of the powers delegated under this Memorandum, the following sentence should be inserted in such orders "This order issues in exercise of the powers delegated under Finance Department **Memo No. 990-FB dated 12.12.2023**".

4. The powers delegated to the Administrative Departments / controlling Authorities to release fund are subject to restrictions on creation of posts, purchase / hiring of cars and also other restrictions in terms of para (C) of F.D. Memo No. 1400-FB dated 30.03.2023, are to be observed.

5. This order shall take effect from the date of the issue.



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**Additional Chief Secretary to the
Government of West Bengal**

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