To,
The Pay & Accounts Officer (Sectt.)
M/o Housing & Urban Poverty Alleviation
Nirman Bhawan
New Delhi.


Sir,

The undersigned is directed to convey the sanction of the President of India to the payment of Rs. 77.08 lakhs (Rupees Seventy seven lakh and eight thousand only) as 2nd instalment to the State Government of Sikkim for preparatory activities under RAY.

2. The above grant is subject to the following conditions:

a. The above amount of 2nd instalment has been sanctioned based on the demand (50% of the amount demanded) submitted by the State Government. The final settlements of grants will be as per the approved financial norms of each component of preparatory and other activities of RAY as decided by the Central Sanctioning & Monitoring Committee (CSMC) under RAY held on 19th January 2012. The State will comply with the terms and conditions stipulated in the minutes of the said CSMC meeting and RAY guidelines. In cases where expenditure incurred on any component is above the approved ceiling, the excess amount to be borne by the State Government.

b. The grant sanctioned will be utilized for the purpose for which they are sanctioned for, otherwise they will have to be refunded along with interest as per the provisions of GFR’s.

c. The State Government/Nodal Agency shall furnish physical and financial progress reports (every quarter) regarding implementation of project undertaken.

d. State Government of Sikkim is required to furnish Utilization Certificate in the prescribed form and Statement of Expenditure to the Government of India as soon as the fund utilisation exceeds 70% of the amount released.

e. The State Government/Nodal Agency shall strictly monitor the progress of the project as per the Guidelines of the Scheme so that there is no need to seek relaxation for submission of Utilization Certificate along with physical and financial progress report.

3. The expenditure debitable to the following Head of Account under Demand No. 57 Plan of M/o Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation for the year 2012-13 will be met under Major

[Signature]

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated: 30th March, 2013
Head as follows:

| Major Head | 2217 | Urban Development (Plan) |
| Sub-Major Head; | 05 | Other Urban Development Schemes |
| Minor Head; | 191 | Assistance to Local Bodies, Corporation, Urban Development Authorities, Town Improvement Boards |
| Sub Head | 07 | Rajiv Awas Yojana |
| Detailed Head | 07.01 | Capacity Building & Preparatory Activities |
| Object Head | 07.01.31 | Grants-in-aid General |

4. The amount will be credited to the State Government’s account to RBI as per procedure laid down by Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure vide OM No. F-II (45/76/SC) dated 22.02.1977.

5. This sanction issues with the concurrence of Finance Division vide their Diary No. 180/US D-I/ FD/13 dated 29.03.2013.

6. The sanction has been registered at Sl. No. 10 of the Grants-in-Aid Register of the RAY-II Section for the year 2012-13.

Yours faithfully

(Shobana Pramod)
Under Secretary to the Government of India
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4. Municipal Commissioner, Gangtok Municipal Corporation
5. Reserve Bank of India, CAS, Nagpur
6. Finance Division/ Budget Division/Admin-II Section
7. Accountant General (A & E), Sikkim
8. Sanction Folder

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