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Government of India  
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change  
Project Tiger Division

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**Dated the 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2018**

To,

**The Pay & Accounts Officer,**  
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change,  
New Delhi.

**Sub: Centrally Sponsored Plan Scheme 'Project Tiger' Administrative Approval for funds release to Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve, Maharashtra during 2017-18 – Enhancement - reg.**

Sir,

In continuation of this office letter No. 4-1(11)/2017-PT dated the 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2017, I am directed to convey the administrative approval of the competent authority for the enhancement of scheme from **Rs. 989.745 Lakhs (Rupees Nine hundred Eighty Nine Lakhs Seventy Four thousand Five hundred only)** to **Rs. 2419.745 Lakhs (Rupees Two thousand Four hundred Nineteen lakhs Seventy Four thousand Five hundred only)** to Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve, Maharashtra during the year 2017-18. The enhancement of amount of **Rs. 1430.00 Lakhs (Rupees One thousand Four hundred Thirty lakhs only)**, has been sanctioned towards relocation of 143 families from Palasgaon (Singru) Village of Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve, Maharashtra, as per details given in the table at **Annexure**, in full compliance with the relevant provisions of para 16.9 of the operational guidelines of the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Project Tiger on deciding inviolate space for wildlife and relocation of villagers from core or critical tiger habitats in tiger reserves and settlement of their rights. The above cost of the scheme will be treated as 60% Central Assistance by the Government of India and 40% assistance by the State Government of Maharashtra.

2. I am also directed to convey the sanction of the President to the payment and release of an amount of **Rs. 858.00 Lakhs (Rupees Eight hundred Fifty Eight lakhs only)**, to the State Government towards the Grants-in-aid to Government of Maharashtra during the current financial year 2017-18. The terms and conditions of this grant will be same as incorporated in paras 3 to 6 of the letter referred to in para (1) above. No disbursement of compensation amount is to be made without obtaining Bank Account and Aadhar Card Number.

3. In accordance with the revised procedure, the Central Accounts Section, Reserve Bank of India, Nagpur, may kindly be advised to pass on credit to the books of the State Government of Maharashtra under intimation to this Department.

4. The expenditure involved will be met from within the Sanctioned Budget Grants of Centrally Sponsored Project Tiger Scheme under Demand No. 27, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Major Head 3601 – Grants-in-aid to the State Governments, 3601.06 – Centrally Sponsored



Schemes (Sub Major Head), 3601.06.101-Central Assistance / Share (Minor Head), 02-Integrated Development of Wildlife Habitats (Sub-Head), 02.01-Project Tiger (Detailed Head), 3601.06.101.02.01.31- Grants-in-aid General for the year 2017-18 (Plan).

5. This issues under the powers delegated to the Ministry and with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division vide Dy. No. 100355/AS&FA dated 24.01.2018.

Yours faithfully,



(Sanjay Kumar)

Deputy Inspector General of Forests (PT)

Copy to:-

1. The Secretary (Forests), Govt. of Maharashtra. A copy of the detailed sanction letter issued by the State Government in respect of this scheme for 2017-18 may kindly be furnished to this Ministry immediately.
2. The Secretary (Finance), Govt. of Maharashtra.
3. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests / Chief Wildlife Warden, Govt. of Maharashtra.
4. The Field Director, Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve, Maharashtra.
5. The Accountant General, Maharashtra.
6. The Director of Audit, Scientific Department, AGCR Building, IP Estate, New Delhi.
7. The IG/AIG, NTCA Regional Office, Nagpur.
8. Forest Finance Division, MoEF&CC, New Delhi.
9. Plan Finance Division (PF-II), Ministry of Finance, New Delhi.
10. Guard file/Spare copies.



(Sanjay Kumar)

Deputy Inspector General of Forests (PT)

Annexure

**Details of village and number of families alongwith breakup of State and Centre's share  
Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve, Maharashtra (2017-18)**

(Rs. in lakhs)

S. No.	Name of the village	No. of Families	Central share@ 60% (revised funding pattern) of Rs. 10.00 lakhs/ family (Rs. in lakhs)	State share@ 40% (revised funding pattern) of Rs. 10.00 lakhs/ family (Rs. in lakhs)	Total Amount
1.	Palasgaon (Singru)	53 under Option-I	318.00	212.00	530.00
2.	Palasgaon (Singru)	90 under Option-II	540.00	360.00	900.00
		<b>143</b>	<b>858.00</b>	<b>572.00</b>	<b>1430.00</b>

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