

भारत सरकार  
Government of India  
पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय  
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change  
राष्ट्रीय व्याघ्र संरक्षण प्राधिकरण  
National Tiger Conservation Authority

F. No. 15-6/2014-NTCA

New Delhi, the February 21, 2023

To

The Chief Wildlife Warden (s)  
All Tiger Range States

**Sub: Revised procedure for flow of funds under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme – Transfer of Central and State share of funds to the Single Nodal Agency (SNA) account and levy of interest for delay in such transfer-reg.**

Sir,

Reference is invited to the subject cited above. In this context, I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure O.M. No. 1(13)/PFMS/2020 dated 16.02.2023 on the subject cited above, for kind information and necessary action please.

Encl: As above

Yours sincerely,



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**Copy for kind information and necessary action to:**

1. The IGFs/DIG/AIGs, Hqrs., and Regional Offices, Bangalore, Guwahati and Nagpur.
2. The Field Director(s), All Tiger Reserve.



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F. No. 1(13)/PFMS/2020  
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Department of Expenditure

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North Block,  
New Delhi, 16<sup>th</sup> February, 2023

To

Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries (Finance): All States/UTs

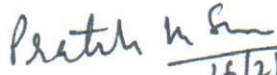
Subject: Revised procedure for flow of funds under Centrally Sponsored Schemes – Transfer of Central and State share of funds to the Single Nodal Agency (SNA) account and levy of interest for delay in such transfer.

The undersigned is directed to refer to Para No. 16 of the revised procedure for release of funds under the Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS) issued vide this Department's letter No. 1(13)/PFMS/FCD/2020 dated 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2021. It provides that the Central share and commensurate State share is to be transferred by the State Government to the Single Nodal Agency's (SNA) account within 21 and 40 days respectively of receipt of Central share.

2. In partial modification of the aforesaid provision in the guidelines, it has been decided by the competent authority that the State Government shall transfer the Central share as well as the commensurate State share to the SNA account within 30 days of receipt of Central share.

3. Further, it has been decided to charge interest w.e.f 01.04.2023 on the number of days of delay beyond 30 days in transfer of Central share to the SNA account at the rate of 7% per annum. PFMS division, O/o CGA will issue guidelines regarding procedure for deposit of penal interest by the State Government concerned in the Consolidated Fund of India.

4. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

  
16/2/23  
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Copy to:

1. Secretaries to the Government of India
2. Financial Advisers to the Ministries/Departments
3. Add. CGA (PFMS) with the request to develop facility in PFMS for calculation and deposit of interest and to issue detailed SoP in this regard.
4. All Pr. CCAs/CCAs of all Ministries/Departments