

E.F.No.22/16/2021-BTI  
Government of India  
Ministry of Culture  
BTI Section  
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INA, GPO Complex, New Delhi-23,  
Dated: 29-12-2021

To  
The Pay & Accounts Officer (Sectt)  
Pay & Accounts Office,  
Ministry of Culture,  
Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi.

Subject: - **Release of Grant-in-aid to organizations of UT of Ladakh under the scheme of Development of Buddhist/Tibetan Culture & Art for the financial year 2020-21 as recommended in Expert Advisory Committee Meeting held on 23-3-2021 at Puratav Bhawan.**

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for the grant of Rs.2,06,20,000/- (Rupees Two Crore Six lakh Twenty thousand only) and to release 1<sup>st</sup> instalment (50% of sanctioned amount) worth Rs.1,03,10,000/- (Rupees One crore Three lakh Ten thousand only) non recurring grant for the year 2020-21 (being paid during the year 2021-22) to the following organizations for their projects as per details are given below:

S. No.	Name of the Organization	Details of the proposal				Reference No.
<b>State: UT of Ladakh</b>						
1.	Muney Gonpa Cultural & Welfare Society, Muney Zanskar, Distt. Kargil , UT of Ladakh-194302					No. 12-87/2021-BTI
		Sl. No	Activities	Amount Recommended	50% amount released	
		i.	Maintenance(salary of staff, Off, misc.exp.).	400000	200000	
		ii.	Research project on promotion of Buddhist/ Tibetan Art and Culture	100000	50000	
		iii.	Purchase of Books, publication & Cataloguing, translation, etc relating to Buddhism	100000	50000	
		iv.	Award of scholarships to monk/nunnery students	100000	50000	
		v.	Holding of special courses/workshops/ seminars on promotion of Buddhist/Tibetan Art and Culture	100000	50000	
		vi.	Audio-Visual Recording/ Documentation/ Archiving of the traditional materials relating to Buddhist art culture for preservation and dissemination	400000	200000	
		vii.	IT upgradation and IT – enabled teaching/ Training aids for monastic / nunnery school.	300000	150000	
		viii.	Salary of teachers for monastic/ nunnery schools	100000	50000	
			<b>Total-</b>	<b>1600000</b>	<b>800000</b>	
2.	Kanishka Cultural Preservation & Welfare Association, P.O.PAdum Zanskar, Distt. Kargil, Ladakh, J&K					No. 12-90/2021-BTI
		Sl. No	Activities	Amount Recommended	50% amount released	
		i.	Maintenance (salary of staff, Off. misc.exp.).	400000	200000	
		ii.	Purchase of books, documentation and cataloguing relating to Buddhism	300000	150000	
		iii.	Holding of special courses/workshops/ seminars on promotion of Buddhist/Tibetan Art and Culture	200000	100000	
		iv.	IT upgradation and IT – enabled teaching/ Training aids for monastic/nunnery school.	300000	150000	
		v.	Salary of teachers for monastic/nunnery schools	300000	150000	
			<b>Total-</b>	<b>1500000</b>	<b>750000</b>	


  
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3.	Rural Area Welfare & Cultural Organization, SothZanskarKargil (J&K)	Sl No	Activities	Amount Recommended	50% amount released	No. 12-91/2021-BTI
		i.	Maintenance(salary of staff,Off, misc.exp.).	400000	200000	
		ii.	Purchase of books, documentation and cataloguing relating to Buddhism	300000	150000	
		iii.	Holding of special courses/workshops/ seminars on promotion of Buddhist/Tibetan Art and Culture	200000	100000	
		iv.	Audio – Visual Recording/ Documentation/ Archiving of the traditional materials relating to Buddhist art culture for preservation and dissemination	300000	150000	
		v.	IT upgradation and IT – enabled teaching/ Training aids for monastic/ nunnery school.	300000	150000	
<b>Total-</b>			<b>1500000</b>	<b>750000</b>		
4.	Othsang Cultural and Social Welfare Society, Mulbekh, Kargil, J&K	Sl No	Activities	Amount Recommended	50% amount released	No. 12-92/2021-BTI
		i	Maintenance (salary of staff,Off, misc.exp.).	475000	237500	
		ii	Purchase of Books, publication & Cataloguing, translation, etc relating to Buddhism	125000	62500	
		iii	Holding of special courses/workshops/ seminars on promotion of Buddhist/Tibetan Art and Culture	100000	50000	
		iv	Audio – Visual Recording/ Documentation/ Archiving of the traditional materials relating to Buddhist art culture for preservation and dissemination	400000	200000	
		v	IT upgradation and IT – enabled teaching/ Training aids for monastic / nunnery school.	300000	150000	
<b>Total-</b>			<b>1400000</b>	<b>700000</b>		
5.	Padumphotang Gonpa Cultural & Welfare Society, BPO Padum, Zanskar Distt Kargil(J&K)	Sr. No	Activities	Amount Recommended	50% amount released	No. 12-93/2021-BTI
		i.	Maintenance (salary of staff, Off, misc.exp.	400000	200000	
		ii.	Purchase of books, documentation and cataloguing relating to Buddhism	400000	200000	
		iii.	Award of scholarships to monk/nunnery students	300000	150000	
		iv.	Holding of special courses/workshops/ seminars on promotion of Buddhist/Tibetan Art and Culture	100000	50000	
		v.	Salary of teachers for monastic/ nunnery schools	200000	100000	
<b>Total-</b>			<b>1400000</b>	<b>700000</b>		
6.	Sani Kani Khar Gonpa Cultural & welfare Society, zanskar, Dist. Kargil, leh Ladakh	Sr. No	Activities	Amount Recommended	50% amount released	No. 12-94/2021-BTI
		i.	Maintenance (salary of staff, Off, misc.exp.).	440000	220000	
		ii.	Purchase of books, documentation and cataloguing relating to Buddhism	410000	205000	
		iii.	Award of scholarships to monk/nunnery students	270000	135000	
		iv.	Holding of special courses/workshops/ seminars on promotion of Buddhist/ Tibetan Art and Culture	200000	100000	
		v.	Salary of teachers for monastic/nunnery schools	400000	200000	
<b>Total-</b>			<b>1720000</b>	<b>860000</b>		
7.	StakrimoGonpa Cultural & Welfare society, BPO Padum, Zanskar Kargil.	Sr. No	Activities	Amount Recommended	50% amount released	No. 12-95/2021-BTI
		i.	Maintenance (salary of staff, Off, misc.exp.).	400000	200000	
		ii.	Purchase of books, documentation and cataloguing relating to Buddhism	400000	200000	
		iii.	Award of scholarships to monk/nunnery students	400000	200000	
		iv.	Holding of special courses/workshops/ seminars on promotion of Buddhist/ Tibetan Art and Culture	200000	100000	
		v.	Salary of teachers for monastic/nunnery schools	400000	200000	
<b>Total-</b>			<b>1800000</b>	<b>900000</b>		

  
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8.	Tartungtse Nunnery Gonpa Cultural & Welfare Society, B.P.O Padum, Zanskar Distt Kargil.	SI No	Activities	Amount Recommended	50% amount released	No. 12-96/2021-BTI
		i	Maintenance(salary of staff,Off, misc.exp.).	300000	150000	
		ii	Purchase of books, documentation and cataloguing relating to Buddhism	300000	150000	
		iii	Award of scholarships to monk/nunnery students	100000	50000	
		iv	Holding of special courses/workshops/seminars on promotion of Buddhist/Tibetan Art and Culture	200000	100000	
		v	Salary of teachers for monastic/ nunnery schools	100000	50000	
		<b>Total-</b>		<b>1000000</b>	<b>500000</b>	
9.	Ratna Shri Gonpa Soceity Gurgurdoo Kargil. C/o Tsering Samphel Hydari Complex Baroo Kargil	SI No	Activities	Amount Recommended	50% amount released	No. 12-98/2021-BTI
		i	Maintenance (salary of staff,Off, misc.exp.)	500000	250000	
		ii	Purchase of Books, publication & Cataloguing, translation, etc relating to Buddhism	200000	100000	
		iii	Holding of special courses/workshops/seminars on promotion of Buddhist/Tibetan Art and Culture	100000	50000	
				<b>Total-</b>		
10.	Gonpa Sabha Society Garkone, Kargil, Ladakh, J&K	SI No	Activities	Amount Recommended	50% amount released	No. 12-99/2021-BTI
		i	Maintenance(salary of staff,Off,misc.exp.).	500000	250000	
		ii	Purchase of Books, publication & Cataloguing, translation, etc relating to Buddhism	300000	150000	
		iii	Award of scholarships to monk/nunnery students	100000	50000	
		iv	Holding of special courses/workshops/ seminars on promotion of Buddhist/Tibetan Art and Culture	200000	100000	
		<b>Total-</b>		<b>1100000</b>	<b>550000</b>	
11.	ChambaChoskorePadmaling Association, Mulbek, Kargil, UT of Ladakh	SI No	Activities	Amount Recommended	50% amount released	No. 12-100/2021-BTI
		i.	Maintenance (salary of staff, Off.misc.exp.).	500000	250000	
		ii.	Purchase of books, documentation and cataloguing relating to Buddhism	500000	250000	
		iii.	Award of scholarships to monk/nunnery students	100000	50000	
		iv.	Holding of special courses/workshops/ seminars on promotion of Buddhist/ Tibetan Art and Culture	200000	100000	
		<b>Total-</b>		<b>1300000</b>	<b>650000</b>	
12.	Arts, Cultural & Educational Society Garkone Kargil Ladakh C/o Samphel Hyderi Complex kargil Baroo, UT of LAdakh	SI No	Activities	Amount Recommended	50% amount released	No. 12-101/2021-BTI
		i.	Maintenance(salary of staff,Off, misc.exp.).	500000	250000	
		ii.	Purchase of books, documentation and cataloguing relating to Buddhism	500000	250000	
		iii.	Holding of special courses/workshops/ seminars on promotion of Buddhist/Tibetan Art and Culture	200000	100000	
		<b>Total-</b>		<b>1200000</b>	<b>600000</b>	
13.	Wakha Nunnery Cultural and Welfare Society Chomo GonpaWakhaK argil, UT of Ladakh	SI No	Activities	Amount Recommended	50% amount released	No. 12-102/2021-BTI
		i.	Maintenance(salary of staff,Off, misc.exp.).	400000	200000	
		ii.	Purchase of books, documentation and cataloguing relating to Buddhism	500000	250000	
		iii.	Award of scholarships to monk/nunnery students	300000	150000	
		iv.	Holding of special courses/workshops/ seminars on promotion of Buddhist/Tibetan Art and Culture	200000	100000	
		<b>Total-</b>		<b>1400000</b>	<b>700000</b>	

  
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14.	Darchik Temple Association DarchikKargil C/O TseringSamphel Hedary Complex BarooKargil				No. 12-103/2021- BTI	
		SI No	Activities	Amount Recommended		50% amount released
		i	Maintenance(salary of staff,Off, misc.exp.).	400000		200000
		ii	Purchase of books, documentation and cataloguing relating to Buddhism	400000		200000
		iii	Award of scholarships to monk/nunnery students	200000		100000
iv	Holding of special courses/workshops/ seminars on promotion of Buddhist/Tibetan Art and Culture	100000	50000			
		<b>Total-</b>	<b>1100000</b>	<b>550000</b>		
15.	Jewel of Understanding and Neutral Union (JUNU), Tsogspa, Skyagam, Zanskar Distt, Kargil UT of Ladakh				No. 12-111/2021- BTI	
		SI No	Activities	Amount Recommended		50% amount released
		i.	Maintenance (salary of staff,Off, misc.exp.).	370000		185000
		ii.	Research project on promotion of Buddhist/ Tibetan Art and Culture	100000		50000
		iii.	Purchase of Books, publication & Cataloguing, translation, etc relating to Buddhism	370000		185000
		iv.	Holding of special courses/workshops/ seminars on promotion of Buddhist/Tibetan Art and Culture	200000		100000
		v.	Audio – Visual Recording/ Documentation/ Archiving of the traditional materials relating to Buddhist art culture for preservation and dissemination	400000		200000
vi.	IT upgradation and IT – enabled teaching/ Training aids for monastic / nunnery school.	360000	180000			
		<b>Total-</b>	<b>1800000</b>	<b>900000</b>		

2. The amount of the grant will be drawn by the Drawing and Disbursing Officer (Grants), Ministry of Culture and paid to the Organization by means of RTGS in its favour.

3. The expenditure is debitible under this Head i.e Demand No. 18- Ministry of Culture- Art & Culture Major Head '2205" – Art & Culture – Minor Head- 00.796 promotion of art & Culture- 32 - Kala Sanskriti Vikas Yojna- 32.01 – Schemes and Mission- 32.01.31 – Scheduled Tribal Sub Plan 2021-22 (Non-Recurring).

4. The grantee institution is situated in Accounts Circle of A.G Leh, UT of Ladakh and a copy of this letter is being sent to them.

5. The grant is non-recurring in nature and it is being released after fulfilling the conditions prescribed in GFR.

6. No Utilization Certificate and unspent balance of earlier grant is pending.

7. It is certified that the pattern of assistance under the Scheme of Financial Assistance for the development of Buddhist/Tibetan Culture & Art has the approval of the Ministry of Finance, Government of India and that this sanction is being issued in conformity with the rules and principles of the Scheme as approved by the Ministry of Finance.


8. The requisite bank authorization for release of fund given by the said organization is attached. The payment may be made through Electronic Transfer.

9. The Bond in original received from the organization has been found in order and placed in the relevant file.

10. No other bill for the same purpose has been paid before to the grantee.

11. The grant is subject to the conditions mentioned below:

- i) The Grantee shall maintain:-
  - a) Subsidiary accounts of the grants-in-aid received from the Government.
  - b) Cash book Registers in hand written bound books duly machine numbered.
  - c) Grant-in-aid Register for the grant received from the Government and other agencies.
  - d) Separate ledgers for each item of expenditure like construction of civil work etc.
- ii) The assets acquired wholly or substantially out of Government grant except those declared as obsolete and unserviceable or condemned as per the procedure laid down in the GFR rules shall not be disposed of without the prior approval of the Ministry.
- iii) The grantee shall not divert the grant and entrust execution of the scheme of work concerned to another organization and shall abide by the terms and conditions of the grant.
- iv) If the grantee fails to utilize the grant for the purpose for which the same has been sanctioned, the grantee will be required to refund the entire amount with interest thereon @ 10% per annum.

  
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- v) The accounts of the grantee Institution/Organization shall be open to inspection by the sanctioning authority and audit, both by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India under the provision of CAG (DPC) Act, 1971 and internal audit by the Principal Accounts Officer of the Ministry or Department, whenever the institution or organization is called upon to do so.
- vi) **The maximum grant admissible to an organization would be 75% of the total expenditure to be incurred on any item subject to maximum ceiling fixed. The remaining 25% expenditure or more should be met by the State Govt./U.T. Administration failing which the grantee organization could contribute the amount from their own resources.**
- vii) The balance 50% grant will be released subject to submission of the following documents within 12 months from closing of the financial year.
- Utilization Certificate in GFR 2017 (GFR12 A format).
  - Complete Audited Accounts showing (i) income & expenditure (ii) receipt & payment (iii) assets & liabilities accounts certified by Chartered Accountant for the whole amount of the grant sanctioned vide para one above alongwith one third share of the grantee. The audited accounts should also reflect the receipts and payments from all sources of the organization.
  - Performance cum Achievement Report (Format enclosed)
  - Project Report duly bound alongwith CDs/DVDs (3 Sets).
  - The Audio-Visual documentation is to be done in HD form.
- vii) The UC should also disclose whether the specified quantified and qualitative targets that should have been reached against the amount utilized were in fact reached and if not the reasons therefore.
- ix) The grantee organization are requested to maintain cleanliness in their office premises as well as the place where seminars, research, worships, festivals and exhibitions etc. are organized by them and to promote and propagate awareness about Swachh Bharat among the people.
- x) The organization will not obtain grant for the same purpose/project from any other source, indicating Government sources. In case, it receives grant for the same project from other sources also, the same will be intimated to Ministry of Culture immediately after receipt with proper reference.
- xi) That if the Government is not satisfied with the progress of the project or considers that the guidelines of the scheme, terms & conditions of the sanction, etc are being violated, it reserves the right to terminate the Grant-in-aid with immediate effect and also take such other actions as it deems fit with or without prior notice.
- xii) The organization shall appropriately display the boards that should be erected at the project site indicating that the organisation is running under the aegis of Ministry of Culture, Government of India.
- xiii) The organization shall abide by all the aforesaid terms & conditions, guidelines of the scheme, provisions of GFRs, and any subsequent revision/changes therein.
- xiv) In compliance with O.M No 48(06)/PF-II/2016 dated 12.09.2017 issued by Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance and Rule 230 of General Financial Rules 2017. Accordingly, the grantee organization has been maintain the grants accounts and expenditures details in EAT Module.
- xv) The Organization should organize at least 2 activities (function, lecture, seminar, workshop, exhibition etc. centered on AKAM) in any of the schools in their vicinity. A Certificate to this effect from Principal of schools would be mandatory requirement.
12. This issues with the concurrence of IFD vide their Dy. No.50145/IFD/2021 dated 17-12-2021. Fund is available as per PFMS Website.
13. The amount has been entered in Grant-in-aid register at SI.No.67-81/BTI/2020 Dated 30-12-2021.

Yours faithfully,

(Praveen Sharma)

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Copy for information and necessary action to: -

- The Presidents/Secretary, of the organization given in para 1 above .
- The Secretary (C), Deptt of Culture, Concerned Govt.
- The Drawing and Disbursing Officer (Grant-in-aid), Ministry of Culture, New Delhi
- Accountant General, A.G Leh, UT of Ladakh.
- Sanction Folder