GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM FINANCE (ECONOMIC AFFAIRS) DEPARTMENT DISPUR: GUWAHATI-6

No. FEA (SFC)33/2016/49

Dated Dispur, the 16th July, 2016

From

The Director,

Finance (Economics Affairs) Department,

Govt. of Assam, Dispur-6.

To,

1. The Director (FCD),

Department of Expenditure,

Govt. of India, Ministry of Finance, 11th Block, 5th Floor, CGO Complex, Lodi Road, New Delhi-110003.

2. The Secretary, Govt. of India, Ministry of Panchayati Raj, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.

Sub .:-

Submission of Utilization Certificate under award of Fourteenth

Finance Commission-reg.

Ref.

FEA(SFC)33/2016/44/dtd 17/06/2016 (copy enclosed)

Sir,

In continuation of our letter cited above, I am directed to request you to kindly provide necessary guidelines in respect of submission of Utilization Certificates against the Grant-in-aid released to the Local Bodies in order that the confusion of the officers of AG is clarified.

Yours faithfully,

Finance (E.A) Department. Dated Dispur, the 16th July, 2016

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The P.S. to Commissioner & Secretary, Finance Department for information of the Commissioner Secretary, Finance Department.

By order etc.

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- The Director (FCD),
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 Govt. of India, Ministry of Finance,
 11th Block, 5th Floor, CGO Complex,
 Lodi Road, New Delhi-110003.

Sub.:- Submission of Utilization Certificate under award of Fourteenth Finance Commission-reg.

Sir,

With reference to the subject cited above, I am directed to state that as per the guidelines of the Ministry of Finance, Govt. of India, Utilization Certificates under award of Central Finance Commission grant for the Local Bodies are to be submitted as per **Annexure –III** as given in the guidelines issued on 08/10/2015 by the Ministry of Finance, Govt. of India. However, the office of the Principal Accountant General (A & E), Assam has been insisting Finance Department to submit Utilization Certificates as per **GFR-19-A** format giving countersignature by the Secretary, Finance Department on the Utilization Certificates.

It may be indicated that the State Finance Department issues sanction and release funds to the Local Bodies similar to the system followed by Ministry of Finance while releasing Local Bodies Grants to the States. Concerned Local Bodies are implementing authority and they are responsible for submitting UCs against releases made to them.

In view of above, I would like to request you to kindly give necessary clarifications and guidelines in respect of Local Bodies Grants released by State Government in order that the office of Accountant General is properly enlighted and the confusion in this regard is clarified.

Yours faithfully,

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