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Government of India
Ministry of Mines
National Mineral Exploration Trust

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New Delhi, 16th December, 2021

To

As per the list

Subject: Release of funds to State Government / NEAs for mineral exploration - Reg.

Madam/Sir,

NMET provides financial support to State Government / Notified Exploration Agencies (NEA) for carrying out mineral exploration projects. Currently, the financial support to States / NEAs is provided on reimbursement basis towards expenditure incurred by them on mineral exploration projects in the form of Grant-in-aid (General).

2. The State Governments have requested for release of funds along with the approval of the projects in the interest of faster implementation of NMET approved projects.

3. Considering the above request, the Ministry of Mines has decided to release funds to DMGs/DGMs of State Governments, Central PSEs and State PSEs in the following manner:

- (i) 1st instalment along with Sanction order of the project – 40% of the approved project cost.
- (ii) 2nd instalment after submission of Utilization Certificate (UC) and progress report in respect of 1st instalment – 40% of the approved project cost.
- (iii) 3rd and final instalment after submission of Utilization Certificate, progress report and review by Technical cum Cost Committee of NMET – 20% of the approved project cost.

4. The release of funds shall be subject to the following conditions:
- (i) The fund shall be utilised only for the sanctioned project for which it has been released.
 - (ii) In case of non-utilisation of the fund released, it shall be returned to NMET or NMET may adjust the same against other project(s) of State Government/CPSE/State PSE.
 - (iii) Interest earned on the fund shall be utilised for exploration activities of the same project and will be considered as fund released by NMET.
 - (iv) The same project should not be financed from any other source.
 - (v) The UC shall be submitted in accordance with GFR 2017.
 - (vi) The State Government / CPSE / State PSE shall submit final UC and completion certificate within 6 months from release of last instalment.

5. As the funds will be released through PFMS, the concerned State Government / NEA (DGM/DMG/CPSE/SPSE etc.), which are not registered on PFMS as an Agency, are requested to provide details as per **Annexure-1** for registration of them as an Agency under NMET. The requisite details may please be forwarded through email on nmet-mines@gov.in.

This is for your kind information please


(Amit Saran)
Director & HoD, NMET
Ministry of Mines

To

1. The Secretary (Mines), Government of Andhra Pradesh.
2. The Secretary (Geology & Mining), Government of Arunachal Pradesh.
3. The Principal Secretary, Department of Mines & Minerals, Government of Assam.
4. The Principal Secretary-cum-Mines Commissioner, Government of Bihar.
5. The Secretary, Mineral Resource Department, Government of Chhattisgarh.
6. The Principal Secretary, Department of Mines & Geology, Government of Goa.
7. The Addl. Chief Secretary (Industries), Government of Himachal Pradesh.
8. The Principal Secretary (Industry & Mines), Government of Gujarat.
9. The Commissioner Secretary (Industries & Commerce), Government of Jammu & Kashmir.
10. The Secretary (Industries, Mines & Geology), Government of Jharkhand.
11. The Secretary, (Industries & Commerce) Government of Karnataka.

12. The Principal Secretary, Industries Department, Government of Kerala.
13. The Secretary (Mines), Government of Madhya Pradesh.
14. The Addl. Chief Secretary (Industries & Mines), Government of Maharashtra.
15. The Commissioner and Secretary, Mining & Geology Department, Government of Meghalaya.
16. The Commissioner & Secretary, Geology & Mining, Government of Nagaland.
17. The Principal Secretary (Steel & Mines), Government of Odisha.
18. The Principal Secretary, Mines & Geology, Government of Punjab.
19. The Principal Secretary (Mines), Government of Rajasthan.
20. The Principal Secretary (Industries), Government of Tamil Nadu.
21. The Principal Secretary (Industries & Mines), Government of Telangana.
22. The Secretary (Mines & Geology), Government of Uttar Pradesh.
23. The Principal Secretary (Mines), Government of Uttarakhand.
24. The Secretary (Industry, Commerce & Enterprises), Government of West Bengal.
25. The Secretary, Department of Industries, Administration of Union Territory of Ladakh.
26. The Principal Secretary, Mines and Geology Department, Government of Sikkim.
27. The Chairman & Managing Director, MECL, Nagpur
28. The Chairman & Managing Director, KIOCL, Bengaluru
29. The Chairman & Managing Director, OMECL, Bhubaneswar
30. The Chairman & Managing Director, NMDC, Hyderabad
31. The Chairman & Managing Director, CMPDI, Ranchi
32. The Chairman & Managing Director, TSMDC, Hyderabad
33. The Chairman & Managing Director, MPSPMC, Bhopal
34. The CEO, MERIT, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh

Copy for information to:

1. PSO to Secretary/PS to AS(SL)/PS to JS(UJ)/PS to JS&FA, Ministry of Mines, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.

Annexure-1

Following details to be provided by State Government / Notified Exploration Agency

S. No.	Particular	
1	Type of Registration	State Government Institution/CPSE/SPSE etc.
2	PAN Number	
3	Agency Name (Name of the Department)	
4	Act/Registration No. (if available)	
5	Date of Registration (DD/MM/YYYY), if applicable	
6	Registering Authority, if applicable	
7	State of Registration	
8	TIN Number	
9	TAN Number	
10	PAN Verify Status	
11	GST Number	
12	Block No/Building/Village/Name of Premises	
13	Road/Street/Post office	
14	Area/Locality	
15	City	
16	State	
17	District	
18	Pin Code	
19	Contact Person	
20	Designation	
21	Phone No.	
22	Mobile No.	
23	Email	
24	Bank Account Number	
25	Name as per bank A/C	
26	IFSC Code	
27	Branch & Bank Detail	

Date:

Signature:
Name:
Designation: