Member of Parliament Local Area Development Scheme



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To

The Commissioners, Corporation of Kolkata/Chennai/Delhi Districts Collectors/District Magistrates/Deputy Commissioners.

Sub: Modifications in the existing MPLADS Guidelines - Contribution to a place outside the State/UT.

Sir/Madam,

Reference Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation Reform Circular No. 3 issued vide letter of even no. dated 15.06.2011.

With reference to para-(i) of the letter dated 15.06.2011, para-2.9 of the guidelines on MPLAD Scheme was modified to permit MPs to contribute MPLADS funds to a place outside that State/UT on eligible works upto a maximum of Rs.10 lakh in a financial year. Concern has been expressed by various MPs that they should not only be allowed to contribute funds outside their State/UT but permission to recommend such contribution outside the constituency within the state should also be given. Accordingly the matter has been re-examined and it has been decided to modify this para as follows:-

"If an elected Member of Parliament, finds the need, to contribute MPLADS funds, to a place outside that State/UT or outside the constituency within the state or both, the MP can recommend eligible works, under these Guidelines upto a maximum of Rs.10 lakh in a financial year. Such a gesture on the part of an MP will promote national unity, harmony, and fraternity among the people, at the grass roots level. In such cases, the Nodal District Authority, will be fully responsible for coordination and other functions, bestowed on him in the Guidelines. The works Completion Report, Utilization Certificate and Audit Certificate, for such works, will be provided by the Implementing District Authority, to the respective Nodal District Authority from whom the funds were received."

- 3. These instructions should strictly be adhered to in implementation of MPLAD Scheme.
- This issues with the approval of Hon'ble Minister, Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation.

Yours faithfully,

(A.K. Choudhary)

Director

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- 1. All Hon'ble Members of Parliament (Lok Sabha/Rajya Sabha).
- 2. The Secretaries, Nodal Departments, dealing with MPLADS (All States/UTs).
- 3. Rajya Sabha Committee on MPLADS, Rajya Sabha Secretariat, New Delhi.
- 4. Lok Sabha Committee on MPLADS, Lok Sabha Secretariat, New Delhi.
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