



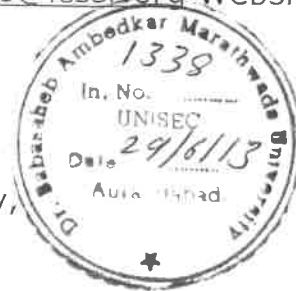
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F.No. 02/181/2012-13/RP



Dated: 21.06.2013

The Registrar
Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University,
Aurangabad-431004 (Maharashtra)

Subject: Research Project entitled "Evaluation of MNREGA Scheme in Marathwada Region of Maharashtra".

Dear Sir,

The Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) considered the above research project, submitted by Dr. R.S. Solunke, Professor & Head, Department of Economics, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad-431004 (Maharashtra).

2. I am happy to inform that the ICSSR has sanctioned a grant-in-aid of **Rs. 6,00,000/- (Rupees six lakhs only)** for the above research project and the grant will be released as follows:

First installment:	Rs.	2,40,000.00
Second installment:	Rs.	2,70,000.00
Third installment:	Rs.	45,000.00
Final installment:	Rs.	45,000.00
Total	Rs.	6,00,000.00

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The **First** installment of the approved grant-in-aid will be released after the grant-in-aid bill (proforma enclosed) duly filled in, stamped and signed by the Project Director as well as the affiliating organization. **This may kindly be sent immediately.**

In case, the study involves survey research, the finalized schedules/questionnaires (5 copies) designed to elicit information should be sent to the ICSSR as per the following schedule:

- a) If the schedule /questionnaire for eliciting information is as per standard questionnaire, these will have to be sent to ICSSR immediately,
- b) If the schedule /questionnaire for eliciting information are to be designed afresh keeping in view the requirements of the project, these will have to be sent to the ICSSR within a period of six months in any case.

5. The **subsequent** installments would be released on receipt of the **quarterly progress report** on the project to be submitted by the Project Director **in the prescribed format** and simple statement of expenditure duly certified by the affiliating institution.

The **third** installment will be released after receiving:

- a) The final Report on the research project (in triplicate) in a publishable form.
- b) A short summary of the project report in triplicate in 2,000-5,000 words.
- c) Such data or information relating to the research project as may be asked for by the ICSSR for preservation in its Data Archives.

The **Final** installment will be released **only** after the receipt of the following documents under rule 1.10(3) of the ICSSR Research Grants and acceptance by the ICSSR:

- a) The audited statement of accounts for all expenditure incurred together with utilization certificate in GFR 19-A form for the entire amount of the sanctioned grant.
- b) A statement of assets costing over Rs. 100/- and credit out of the project funds. Such assets are required to be donated to the affiliating organization after completion of the project.

6. The Project Director will have to attend the Mid-Term Appraisal, to be conducted by ICSSR after part of the project work is completed and shall make presentation on the progress of the research project before the subject experts.

7. The Project Director of the research project will be **Dr. R.S. Solunke**. Who will be responsible for its completion within **12 Months** from the date of commencement of the project, which is **1st July 2013**, as intimated by the scholar.

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In case, the Project Director does not submit the periodic / final project report schedule with adequate justification, the scholar may be debarred from availing the financial assistance from ICSSR.

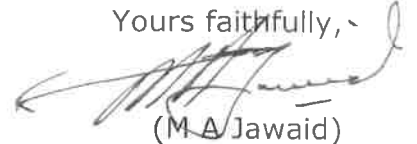
All grants from ICSSR are subject to the general provision of GFR 2005 and in particular with reference to the provision contained in GFR 209, GFR 210, GFR 211 and GFR 212.

10. The Project Director will ensure that the expenditure incurred by them conforms to the approved budget heads. The grant-in-aid is subject to all the conditions laid down in the **ICSSR Research Grants scheme, available in the ICSSR website www.icssr.org**.

11. The expenditure on this account is debit to the Budget Head-B Programmes Research Grants-**Plan General**. (10) Grant-in-aid for research project (s).

12. As per MHRD instruction, the amount of grant sanctioned herein is to be utilized by **the end of the project duration**. Any amount of the grant remaining unspent shall be refunded to the ICSSR immediately after the expiry of the duration of the project. If the grantee fails to utilize the grant for the purpose for which the same has been sanctioned/or fails to submit the audited statement of expenditure within the stipulated period, the grantee will be required to refund the amount of the grant with interest thereon @ 10% per annum.

Yours faithfully, -



(M A Jawaid)

For MEMBER-SECRETARY

Encl: as above.

Copy to:

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Professor & Head
Department of Economics,
Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University,
Aurangabad-431004 (Maharashtra)
2. Finance Branch, ICSSR, New Delhi
3. Record file



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For MEMBER-SECRETARY

itle: "Evaluation of MNREGA Scheme in Marathwada Region of Maharashtra".

By

Dr. R. S. Solunke

BUDGET

S.No.	Expenditure Head	Percentage Allocation to total Budget of the Study	Actual value as per the Study (In Rs.)
1.	Full time Research Staff/Part-Time Assistance/Hiring Charges	Not exceeding 50%	3,00,000
2.	Field work cost Travel/Logistics/Lodging/Boarding/Source Materials/Software/Data Base etc. etc.	Not less than 37.50%	2,25,000
3.	Contingency	5%	30,000
4.	Institutional Overheads	7.5%	45,500
	Total	100	6,00,000

Note:

- Period of appointment of full time/part time staff to be decided as per upper limit of financial allocation under each head.
- Payment of full/part time research staff and other expenditure will be made as per rates approved by the ICSSR for different posts/heads as under:

*	Research Associate	Rs. 16,000/- pm
*	Research Assistant	Rs. 13,000/- pm
*	Research/Field Investigator	Not exceeding Rs. 1,000/- per day



For MEMBER SECRETARY