

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION
NORTH EASTERN COUNCIL SECRETARIAT
NONGRIM HILLS ;SHILLONG

No.NEC/HRD&E/STIP/Meghalaya/4/2009/07

Dated: 22nd December, 2020.

To

The Principal Accounts Officer,
Ministry of DoNER,
5th Floor, E-Block, GPO Complex, INA,
New Delhi – 110 023



Sub: **Financial Support to the student of North Eastern Region for Higher professional Courses.**

Sir,

Secretary, NEC in exercise of the financial powers delegated by Government of India, Ministry of DoNER vide their F.No.4/1/2010-DoNER(NEC) dated 7th September, 2012 and OM No.F.1/1/2014-DoNER(NEC) dated 26th November, 2014 has accorded Administrative Approval-cum- Sanction of ₹ 2,27,68,020/- (Rupees Two crore Twenty seven lakh Sixty eight thousand Twenty) only to the Government of Meghalaya towards expenditure on NEC Plan Scheme “ Financial Support to the students of North Eastern Region for Higher Professional Courses ” during 2019-20. This is as per proposal submitted by the state Government of Meghalaya, Planning Dept. vide letter No.PLR.120/2011/Pt-VI/345 dated Shillong the 17th December, 2020 for 1122 renewal cases for 2019-20.

The break-up of fund for 2019-20 is as follows:

Year	No. of Beneficiaries	Total Fund requirement	Amount To be released (NEC's Share)	State's Share 10%
2019-20	1122	₹ 2,52,97,800/-	₹ 2,27,68,020/-	₹ 25,29,780/-
Total =	1122	₹ 2,52,97,800/-	₹ 2,27,68,020/-	₹ 25,29,780/-

The unspent balance of ₹3,82,000/- remaining unutilized as on 06.11.2020 (referred U.C. GFR 12-C) is already adjusted with dues to the State Government for its requirements of scholarship amount for the renewal cases of academic year 2019-20.

2. The scheme for providing financial assistance to the students for taking admission in the specialized branches of Engineering, Technology and other studies in various recognized Universities in the country has been extended for continuance during the 12th Plan period.
3. The Director, Higher and Technical Education is to submit Utilization Certificate, List of students benefited as per format already provided showing the photos and other details both in soft and hard copies positively.

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Secretary, NEC
Govt of India
North Eastern Council Secretariat
Shillong

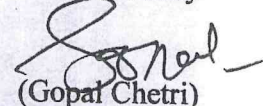
4. The expenditure involved is debitable to the Major head "3601" Schemes of North Eastern Council; 3601.08.796.03.00.31-Grants-in-aid under Grant No.22 of Ministry of Development of North Eastern region for 2020-21.

5. The entire assistance in the form of grants is 'Provisional' and is subject to adjustment on the basis of audited figures of expenditure for the North Eastern Council Plan Schemes for 2020-21.

6. The Govt of Meghalaya should strictly comply direct beneficiary transfer system and submit the compliance report to NEC on monthly basis.

7. This issues with the concurrence of Financial Adviser, NEC vide Finance Wing Dy No.439 Dated: 19.12.2020.

Yours faithfully



(Gopal Chetri)

Adviser(IFC&WSM)&

I/C Director (HRD&E)

Dated 22nd December, 2020.

No.NEC/HRD&E/STIP/Meghalaya /4/2009 /04
Copy forwarded to:

1. Director (NEC) Government of India, Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region, Vigyan Bhavan Annexe, Maulana Azad Road, New Delhi - 110011.
2. The Adviser (NE) N.I.T.I. Aayog Bhavan, Sansad Marg, New Delhi- 110011
3. The Secretary Finance Department, Govt, of Meghalaya, Shillong for information and necessary action.
4. Accountants General (A & E), Meghalaya, Shillong-793001.
5. The Commissioner, Planning & development, Govt. of Meghalaya, Shillong.
6. The Director Higher and Technical Education, Govt of Meghalaya, Shillong.
7. P.S. to Secretary, NEC Secretariat, Shillong.
8. Planning Adviser, NEC, Secretariat, Shillong.
9. Financial Adviser, NEC, Secretariat, Shillong.
10. Economic Adviser (E&M), NEC, Secretariat, Shillong.
11. Dy. Financial Adviser, NEC, Secretariat, Shillong.
12. Finance Wing, NEC, Secretariat, Shillong.
13. Secretary's Cell, NEC, Secretariat, Shillong.
15. NEC Secretariat, Shillong.
16. Guard File.



(Gopal Chetri)

Adviser (IFC&WSM)&

I/C Director(HRD&E)

CONCEPT PAPER REPORT

TITLE OF THE PROJECT: SITIMON SAWIAN CENTRE FOR
INDIGENOUS RESEARCH

FUNDING PATTERN : PROJECT TO BE FUNDED BY THE
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA UNDER NORTH
EASTERN COUNCIL (NEC) DURING THE
YEAR 2017 – 2018

NAME OF STATE : MEGHALAYA

LOCATION : LAW – U – SIB, SHILLONG

I. Background and Ongoing Initiatives :

- 1.1 This proposed centre for Indigenous Research is a long cherished dream of Meghalaya's first Padmashree recipient (L) Smti Sitimon Sawian. Her family and predecessors were actively involved in the promotion and preservation of the local culture, heritage and traditions of the Khasis in these hills more so, since the advent of the British colonists to these Hills.
- 1.2. She and her forefathers' including her other family members were involved in documentation and publication of writings on the ancient culture, music, folk tales/ folklore etc and heritage of the Khasi people. This opened the way for other scholars and writers to follow suit to engage in this endeavour. This has resulted in the generation of vast collection materials such as books and publications on literature, history, cultural and religious practises along with studies on traditional medical practices etc of the Khasis as a race. This material in turn continues to be passed down to the present generation of scholars and writers.
- 1.3. In her quest to realise her dreams, she assembled a team of educated and well qualified members from The Seng Khasi Nongthymmai Madanrting Pyllun and entrusted them with the task of planning, management and the responsibility of running the future operations of this proposed Centre.

FORM GFR 12-C
[(See Rule 239)]

FORM OF UTILIZATION CERTIFICATE (FOR STATE GOVERNMENTS)
(Where expenditure incurred by government bodies only)

Sl. No.	Letter No. & Date	Amount	
1	NEC/HRD&E/STIP/ MEGHALAYA/4/200 9/19, dated 16 th September 2019.	₹2,17,00,980/- (90% NEC's Share)	Certified that out of ₹2,41,12,200/- of grants sanctioned during the year 2019-20 in favour of Education Department, Government of Meghalaya under the Ministry / Department Letter No. given in the margin and ₹Nil on account of unspent balance of the previous year, a sum of ₹2,37,30,200/- (90% NEC's Share: ₹2,13,57,180/- + 10% State's Share: ₹23,73,020/-) has been utilized for the NEC funded scheme "Financial Support to the students of North Eastern Region for Higher Professional Courses" for which it was sanctioned and that the balance of ₹3,82,000/- remaining unutilized at the end of the year to be surrendered to Government (vide No.Nil dated Nil) /will be adjusted towards the grants-in-aid payable during the next year Nil.
2	State Share: No.EDN.265/2010/ PT/125, dated 17 th December 2019.	₹24,11,220/- (10% State's Share)	
Total		₹2,41,12,200/-	

1. Certified that I have satisfied myself that the conditions on which the grant-in-aid was sanctioned have been duly fulfilled/ are being fulfilled and that I have exercised the following checks to see that the money was actually utilized for the purpose for which it was sanctioned.

Kind of checks exercised:

1. The Sanctioning Register already checked.
2. The Bill Register already checked.

12/ 26/11/2020
Secretary
Dept of Meghalaya
Education Department

Countersigned
12/ 01/12/2020
Secretary
to the Government of Meghalaya
Planning Department

Signature.....
Designation.....
Date.....

PS: The UC shall disclose separately the actual expenditure incurred and loans and advances given to suppliers of stores and assets, to construction agencies and like in accordance with scheme guidelines and in furtherance to the scheme objectives, which do not constitute expenditure at the stage. These shall be treated as utilized grants but allowed to be carried forward.