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To

All Deputy Directors (P & S), DPMUs (Except Ganjam/Mayurbhanj/Angul)
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Sub: **Speedy execution/utilization of CM-Special Assistance (Mukhyamantri Swatantra Sahayata), MLALAD, MPLAD Funds and updation of CM-Special Assistance, MLALADS and MPLADS (e-SAKSHI) Web Portal.**

Madam/Sir,

I am to say that based on the information received from Monthly Progress Report (MPR), MLALADS Web Portal, CM-Special Assistance Web Portal and e-SAKSHI Portal (MPLAD), the utilization/ execution of the funds under MLALAD, CM-SA, and MPLAD Scheme was reviewed by the undersigned time and again but it is observed that:

- a. A large number of projects have been sanctioned under CM-Special Assistance (Mukhyamantri Swatantra Sahayata) during the year 2019-20 to 2023-24. During last several discussion held through physical meetings/V.Cs, it was decided that the projects sanctioned under CM-SA should be executed expeditiously with utmost transparency and with involvement of beneficiaries as desired by the Hon'ble Chief Minister.
- b. But, despite of frequent reminders, the CM-SA Web Portal for the year 2019-2024 is not updated with usual pace. It may be noted that, only 65.23% of sanctioned projects are updated in the portal as started/under progress/completed projects, which shows that **34.77% projects are still not started as on date**. Further, we all are aware of the fact that, authenticity of implementation of a project could be established by uploading geo-tag based photographs (to be taken on the exact location of the project by EAR through mobile App) and uploading expenditure files in the Web Portal by Executing Agency (EA), but majority of the projects are updated without valid supporting files (Geo-tagged Photographs/Expenditure Proofs). Further, the execution of the Chief Minister Special Assistance (CM-SA) & MLALAD Scheme from 2025-26 and onwards, is exclusively through a new dedicated Web Portal. **But, the expenditure is only Rs 22.28 Cr and Rs 2.23 Cr under MLALADS & CM-SA, respectively for the year 2025-26, which is even < 5 % of the sanctioned amount by the Govt.**
- c. Similarly, MoSPI, GoI in the monthly review meetings with States/UTs has regularly impressed upon to expedite the expenditure of sanctioned projects, marking of Work as "Completed" and uploading of correct photographs of projects executed under MPLAD Scheme. The Total expenditure for the state of Odisha as on date is only 69.34%, which needs to be escalated to more than 90% by giving special emphasis on it and under the personal involvement of officials dealing with MPLADS at every level.

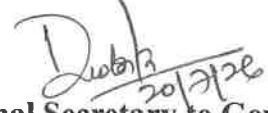
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Therefore, I would urge upon you to take necessary steps to expedite the execution of the sanctioned projects, apprise concerned Hon'ble MPs and MLAs to send their recommendations under MLALADS & MPLADS vis-a-vis ensure execution of the same within stipulated time. Further, it is requested to coordinate appropriately to officials both at Dist. Level (Zilla Parishads) and Executing Agency Level (Blocks/ULBs/ITDAs) for updating the CM-SA Web Portal with Photographs and authentic expenditure documents for the year 2019-2024 and MPLADS (e-SAKSHI) Portal with correct photographs, so that portal data can be utilised meaningfully for all projects.

This may be treated as most **URGENT**.

Yours faithfully,



Additional Secretary to Govt.

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Copy forwarded to all the CDO-cum-EOs, Zilla Parishads for information and necessary action.



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