F. No. 32/71/2023 – SPV Division Government of India Ministry of New & Renewable Energy

Atal Akshay Urja Bhawan, Lodhi Road, New Delhi - 110 003 Dated: 4th January, 2024

ORDER

Subject: New Solar Power Scheme (for PVTG Habitations/Villages) under PM JANMAN

The sanction of the President is accorded for the implementation of a New Solar Power Scheme (for Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTG) Habitations/Villages) under Pradhan Mantri Janjati Adivasi Nyaya Maha Abhiyan (PM JANMAN) during 2023-24 to 2025-26. The Implementation Guidelines of the Scheme are attached.

2. The Scheme will cover electrification of One Lakh un-electrified households (HHs) in PVTG areas identified by Ministry of Tribal Affairs (MoTA) and located in 18 States, namely Andhra Pradesh, Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Gujarat, Jharkhand, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Manipur, Odisha, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu, Telangana, Tripura, Uttar Pradesh, Uttarakhand and West Bengal, and UT of Andaman & Nicobar Islands, by provision of offgrid solar systems where electricity supply through grid is not techno-economically feasible. In addition, the scheme includes a provision for providing solar lighting in 1500 Multi-Purpose Centres (MPCs) in PVTG areas where electricity through grid is not available. The financial outlay approved under the Scheme is given below:

S. No.	Components	Central Share (100%)	Approved Financial Outlay (in Rs. crore)
ļ	Provision of 0.3 kW Solar off-grid system for 1 lakh PVTG HHs	Rs. 50,000 per HH or as per actual cost	500
2	Solar street lighting and provision of lighting in 1500 MPCs of PVTG areas where electricity through grid is not available	Rs. 1 lakh per MPC	15

3. The funds for the implementation of this Scheme would be met from the DAPST allocation of the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) with an overall approved financial outlay of Rs. 515 Crore and a separate budget line "PM JANMAN" has been opened for this purpose. Year-wise funds approved and allocated for the Scheme is given below:

Year	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	Total
Funds allocated (Rs. Cr)	20	255	240	515

- The implementation of Scheme will come into effect from the date of issue of Administrative Approval along with its Implementation Guidelines.
- This sanction issues in exercise of the powers delegated to this Ministry and with the concurrence of the IFD vide their Dy. No. 380 dated 04.01.2024.

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Enclosed: As above.

To

- 1. All Central Government Ministries and Departments
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- 3. DISCOMs/State Nodal Agencies of 18 States/UT of A&N Islands
- 4. Tribal Welfare Departments of 18 States/UT of A&N Islands
- 5. Principal Director of Audit, Scientific Audit-II, DGACR Building, I.P. Estate, Delhi
- 6. Pay and Accounts Officer, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, New Delhi

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