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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Finance**  
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New Delhi, the 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2006.

To  
 The Pay & Accounts Officer,  
 Department of Expenditure,  
 Ministry of Finance,  
 New Delhi.

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**Subject:** On account payment of Central Assistance (100% Grant) for Implementation of Pilot Project to provide subsidized food grains to pregnant and lactating women and adolescents under Nutrition Programme for Adolescent Girls (NPAG) during States Annual Plan 2006-2007.

The undersigned is directed to convey the sanction of the President to the payment of Rs 6028.61 lakh (Rupees Sixty Crore Twenty Eight lakh & Sixty One Thousand only) to the State Governments as Central Assistance for Implementation of Pilot Project to provide subsidized food grains to pregnant and lactating women and adolescents under Nutrition Programme for Adolescent Girls (NPAG) for the States Annual Plan 2006-2007 as under:

		(Rs. in lakhs)
Sl. No.	States	Grant
1	Andhra Pradesh	556.87
2	Arunachal Pradesh	3.74
3	Assam	125.65
4	Bihar	536.89
5	Chhattisgarh	168.37
6	Goa	46.54
7	Gujarat	312.32
8	Haryana	124.16
9	Himachal Pradesh	92.74
10	J&K	69.15
11	Jharkhand	182.89
12	Karnataka	527.70
13	Kerala	260.37
14	Madhya Pradesh	283.17
15	Maharashtra	626.64
16	Manipur	16.56
17	Meghalaya	17.50
18	Mizoram	7.04
19	Nagaland	17.63
20	Orissa	294.55
21	Punjab	136.51
22	Rajasthan	241.70
23	Sikkim	6.59
24	Tamilnadu	218.18

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25	Tripura	94.09
26	Uttar Pradesh	318.47
27	Uttaranchal	109.84
28	West Bengal	632.75
	<b>Total</b>	<b>6028.61</b>


2. Payment may be made to states immediately. In case of J&K and Sikkim, the payment may be made as usual.
3. The payments are adjustable in the account of the Central Government in the books under the sub-head indicated as under-  
**Grant: Demand No.35**  
3601 – Grants-in-Aid to State Governments  
02 – Grants for State Plan Schemes,  
02.101 – Block Grants  
24 – Nutrition Programme for Adolescent Girls(NPAG).  
24.00.31 - Grants in Aid.
4. The assistance is subject to adjustment on the basis of audited figures of expenditure for State Annual Plan 2006-2007.
5. The progressive totals of central assistance released to the State Government under the sub-heads at para 3 above in the current financial year 2006-2007 so far including amounts released in this sanction letter are as follows:-

(Rs. in lakh)		
	State	Block Grants
1	Andhra Pradesh	16427.8085
2	Arunachal Pradesh	14146.50
3	Assam	40067.60
4	Bihar	32905.07
5	Chhattisgarh	4105.76
6	Goa	603.70
7	Gujarat	8114.29
8	Haryana	3615.06
9	Himachal Pradesh	21470.32
10	J&K	46073.92
11	Jharkhand	5290.96
12	Karnataka	11164.27
13	Kerala	6649.55
14	Madhya Pradesh	17743.41
15	Maharashtra	12413.54
16	Manipur	12773.56
17	Meghalaya	9664.26
18	Mizoram	11316.62
19	Nagaland	12901.90
20	Orissa	10338.05
21	Punjab	4719.69
22	Rajasthan	17156.10
23	Sikkim	5944.69

24	Tamilnadu	11256.24
25	Tripura	13260.43
26	Uttar Pradesh	36783.50
27	Uttaranchal	33888.81
28	West Bengal	23015.31

6. The action taken on this letter may kindly be intimated and correctness of the progressive totals confirmed.

Yours faithfully,

  
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2. Accountant General (A&E), State concerned.
3. DEA, Budget Division (State Plan), New Delhi.
4. Png. Commn. : SP Divn./FR Divn., New Delhi.
5. Secy. RBI, Central Office, Mumbai/ Manager, RBI, CAS, Nagpur.
6. Resident Commissioner, Govt. concerned, New Delhi.
7. Sh. P.S.Kharola, Director, Ministry of Human Resource Development,  
 Department of Women & Child Development, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.

  
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