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SANCTION ORDER

F. No. 02/118/2022-23/OBC/TS/RP

Dated: 22/08/2023

To

The Registrar
Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University
G.E. Road
Raipur-492 010
Chhattisgarh

Subject: Sanction of Research Project entitled "छत्तीसगढ़ राज्य के भुजिया जनजाति के सामाजिक, सांस्कृतिक मान्यता और सांस्कृतिक निरंतरता का समाजशास्त्रीय अध्ययन" to Dr. Lukeshwar Singh Gajpal under Special Call for the Studies on the Culture, History, and Geography of the Scheduled Tribes of India under ICSSR Research Projects

Dear Sir/Madam,

1. The Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) approved the award of Research Project entitled "छत्तीसगढ़ राज्य के भुजिया जनजाति के सामाजिक, सांस्कृतिक मान्यता और सांस्कृतिक निरंतरता का समाजशास्त्रीय अध्ययन" submitted by Dr. Lukeshwar Singh Gajpal along with Dr. Tulsingh Sonwani as Co-Project Director.
2. The study, as proposed by the researcher, is to be located at and financially administered by your institution as per the guidelines of this award.
3. The ICSSR has sanctioned a grant-in-aid of Rs.1000000/- (Rupees Ten Lacs Only) for the above research project and the grant will be released as follows:

First instalment (40% of the awarded grant)	Rs.400000/-
Second instalment (30% of the awarded grant)	Rs.300000/-
Final instalment (25% of the awarded grant)	Rs.250000/-
Publication Grant (5% of the awarded grant) (ICSSR would retain this amount and publish the final accepted report subject to the recommendations by the expert / relevant committees, utilizing it from the overall budget)	Rs.50000/-
Total	Rs.1000000/-
Overhead charges over and above (5% of the awarded grant, subject to a maximum limit of Rs.1,00,000) (Released after successful completion of project)	Rs.50000/-


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4. The first installment of the approved grant-in-aid will be released after receiving the grant-in-aid bill (GIB) duly filled in, stamped and signed by the Project Director as well as the affiliating organization. (Needs to submit, if not yet submitted as per the award letter instructions).
5. In case, the study involves survey research, the finalized schedules/questionnaires (2 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 of the requirements of the project, these will have to be sent to the ICSSR within a period of six months in any case;
6. The second instalment will be released after receiving a satisfactory twelve months progress report in a prescribed format (available at ICSSR website) and so far completed chapters (hard copy) along with GIB (pre-receipt) and a simple statement of accounts with 60% and above utilization from the already released grant.
7. The scholar needs to submit a satisfactory book length Report of the study in soft copy (if required hard copy too) and he/she may need to incorporate all corrections, suggestions made by the expert and resubmit the final report in a publishable form.
8. Once the final Report accepts by the ICSSR, the final instalment will be released on the receipt of: (a) Statement of accounts with Utilization Certificate in GFR 12A form for the entire project amount duly signed by the Finance Officer/Registrar/Principal/Director of the affiliating institution (b) A certificate of statement of assets and books purchased out of the project fund issued by the affiliating institution (c) Two published papers from the peer reviewed journal.
9. The scholar needs to acknowledge the support of ICSSR in all publications resulting from the project output (Research Paper, Books, Articles, Reports, etc.) and should submit a copy of the same to the ICSSR during its course/after completion.
10. The University/Institution of affiliation will provide office accommodation to the scholar, including furniture, library and research facilities, and messenger services. For this, the ICSSR shall pay the overhead charges at 5 % of the awarded budget of the project, subject to a maximum limit of Rs.1,00,000/- to the University/Institution of affiliation only after the successful completion of the project.
11. The Contingency Grant may be utilized for research and office assistance, books, stationary, computer cost, research assistance and the field work expenses of Project Director, Co-Project Directors and research personnel connected with the research work.
12. The accounts and the Utilization Certificate will be signed by the Finance Officer / Registrar / Principal / Director in the case of accounts of the institution are audited by CAG/AG. Otherwise, they need to be signed by the Finance Officer and the Chartered Account.
13. The Director of the research project will be Dr. Lukeshwar Singh Gajpal, who will be responsible for its completion within 24 Months from the date of commencement of the project, which is 1st September 2023.
14. In case, the Project Director does not submit the periodic / final project report as per schedule with adequate justification, the scholar may be debarred from availing all future financial assistance from the ICSSR.
15. All grants from the 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.


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16. The Project Director will ensure that the expenditure incurred by him conforms to the approved budget heads and the grant-in-aid is subject to all the conditions laid down in the guidelines of the Research Projects.
17. The expenditure on this account is debatable to the **Budget Head-ICSSR (Scheme Code 0877); OH 31.09 Research Projects.**
18. All project instalments will be transferred through EAT Module of Public Financial Management System (PFMS) for ensuring transparency of expenditure at all levels and to ensure that there is no parking of funds with affiliating institution.
19. As per Ministry of Education, Govt. of India instructions, 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,


(Dr. S. N. Chari)

For MEMBER SECRETARY

Encl: As above.

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