

**പതിനാലാം കേരള നിയമസഭ  
പതിമൂന്നാം സമ്മേളനം**

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**ഓഖി ദുരന്തത്തെ തുടർന്ന് ലഭിച്ച കേന്ദ്ര സഹായം**

(എ)	ഓഖി ദുരന്തത്തെ തുടർന്ന് എത്ര തുകയാണ് കേന്ദ്ര സഹായമായി ലഭിച്ചതെന്ന് വ്യക്തമാക്കാമോ;	
(ബി)	പ്രസ്തുത കേന്ദ്ര സഹായം എത്ര തവണകളായാണ് ലഭിച്ചത്; കേന്ദ്ര സഹായം അനുവദിച്ച ഉത്തരവിന്റെ പകർപ്പ് ലഭ്യമാക്കുമോ?	ഓഖി ദുരന്തവുമായി ബന്ധപ്പെട്ട് ദേശീയ ദുരന്ത പ്രതികരണ നിധിയിൽ നിന്ന് ഒറ്റത്തവണയായി 133 കോടി രൂപ ലഭിച്ചിരുന്നു. ദേശീയ ദുരന്ത പ്രതികരണ നിധിയിൽ നിന്നും തുക അനുവദിക്കുന്നതിനുള്ള മാനദണ്ഡ പ്രകാരം സംസ്ഥാനത്തിന് 111.70 കോടി രൂപയ്ക്ക് മാത്രമേ അർഹതയുള്ളൂ എന്നും, അധികമായി അനുവദിച്ച 21.30 കോടി രൂപ ഭാവിയിൽ ഉണ്ടാകുന്ന പ്രകൃതി ദുരന്തങ്ങൾക്ക് നൽകുന്ന സഹായത്തിൽ ക്രമീകരിക്കുന്നതുമാണെന്നും കേന്ദ്ര സർക്കാർ അറിയിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ട്. ഉത്തരവിന്റെ പകർപ്പുകൾ അനുബന്ധമായി ചേർക്കുന്നു.



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Most Immediate  
NDRF Release No. 9/2017-18

F.23(32)2015/FUD  
Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Expenditure  
Finance Commission Division  
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Block No. 11, 5th Floor,  
CGO Complex, New Delhi-11,  
Dated: 27.12.2017

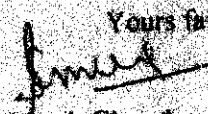
To  
The Chief Controller of Accounts,  
Department of Expenditure,  
Ministry of Finance, North Block,  
New Delhi-110001

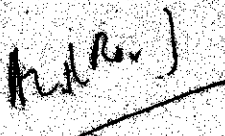
Subject: "On account basis" release of financial assistance to the State of Kerala and Tamil Nadu from NDRF during 2017-18.

I am directed to convey the approval of the Competent authority in Government of India for release of Rs. 26600.00 Lakh (Rupees Two Hundred and Sixty Six Crore Only) from NDRF in 2017-18 to the State of Kerala and Tamil Nadu towards relief necessitated by natural calamity of severe nature as per details given below:-

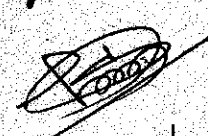
(Rs.in Lakh)				
Sl.No	State	Calamity	Amount recommended by M/o Home Affairs	Amount to be released from NDRF
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1	Kerala	Cyclone 'OCKHI' December of 2017	13300.00	13300.00
2	Tamil Nadu	Cyclone 'OCKHI' December of 2017	13300.00	13300.00
Total				26600.00

- The above stated Central Assistance of Rs.26600.00 Lakh to Kerala and Tamil Nadu is being released based on the recommendations from M/o Home Affairs vide their letter No.13(06)/2017-NDM-I dated 23/12/2017.
- The above amount may kindly be credited to the account of State Government(s) immediately.
- Release of Fund will be governed by the "Operational Guidelines on Constitution and Administration of the NDRF " based on the recommendations of Fourteenth Finance Commission issued vide Ministry of Home Affairs' letter No. 33-05/2015-NDM-I dated 30/07/2015.
- These financial releases would follow normal accounting procedure. As such the amount is to be debited to Major Head-2245-relief on account of Natural Calamities, 80-General Relief on account of Natural Calamity-Assistance to State from National Disaster Response Fund 103.02.00.31 in Demand No. 40- Transfers to States for 2017-18.
- The action taken on this letter may be intimated to this Division.

Yours faithfully,  
  
(Subhash Chandra Meena)  
Joint Director  
Ph.24368543



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No. 33-5/2017-NDM-I  
Government of India  
Ministry of Home Affairs  
(Disaster Management Division)

'C' Wing, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, NDCC- II,  
Jai Singh Road, New Delhi-110001,  
Dated the 9<sup>th</sup> March 2018

To  
The Chief Secretary,  
Government of Kerala,  
Thiruvananthapuram-695001.

**Subject: Cyclonic storm 'OCKHI' of 2017 – Central assistance to Kerala.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the memorandum received from the Government of Kerala requesting for Central assistance in the wake of the cyclonic storm 'OCKHI' during 2017-18. The High Level Committee (HLC), in its meeting held on 26.02.2018, considered the recommendations of the Sub-Committee of the National Executive Committee (SC-NEC) thereon and the extant items & norms of assistance from SDRF/ NDRF, and approved the following assistance:-

- Rs. 169.63 crore from NDRF subject to the adjustment of 50% of balance available in the SDRF account of the State for the instant disaster.
- Air Bills for airdropping of essential supplies and rescue, as per actual, based on the bills raised by the IAF/ Ministry of Defence.

2. Taking into account the opening balance as on 1<sup>st</sup> April 2017 received from Accountant General, Kerala, the availability of funds for instant calamity comes to Rs. 115.86 crore. 50% of this amount works out to Rs. 57.93 crore. Accordingly, after adjusting SDRF balance, the out go from the NDRF works out to Rs. 111.70 crore (Rs. 169.63 cr. – Rs. 57.93 cr.) for instant calamity [i.e. cyclonic storm 'Ockhi' of 2017] to State Government.

3. It may be stated that an amount of Rs. 133.00 crore, was released 'on account' basis from NDRF, and now required to be adjusted against amount of assistance to be released from NDRF. After adjusting the balance eligible amount of Rs. 111.70 crore against earlier 'on account', release from NDRF will be 'nil', and the amount of Rs. 21.30 crore (Rs. 133.00 cr. - Rs. 111.70 cr.), identified as excess amount against the release made from NDRF 'on account' basis for cyclone 'Ockhi' during 2017-18, is required to be adjusted against the amount of assistance in future calamities, as assessed, after following the laid down procedure.

4. It is mentioned that the State Government in their memorandum have projected the requirements for items which were outside the purview of SDRF/ NDRF norms, such as the restoration works, preparedness and mitigation measures of medium, long-term/ permanent nature. It has also been noted that the scale of assistance sought for damages to the different categories of restoration and mitigation measures are at a much higher rate than what is permissible as per the SDRF/ NDRF norms. In this regard, the States are advised to submit such proposals separately to the concerned Ministry/ NITI Aayog to seek the



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support under the regular ongoing schemes/ plan schemes, as admissible. The item-wise details of assistance approved are annexed.

5. The State Government is advised to take utmost care and ensure that all individual beneficiary-oriented assistance is mandatorily/ necessarily disbursed through the bank account of the beneficiary. Further, the State Government is advised to prepare a consolidated list of individual beneficiaries in whose bank account funds have been transferred, and should display the same at their web-site at State/ District and block/ taluk levels for the purpose of verification and social audit.

6. It is requested that the State Government may closely monitor the progress of utilisation and furnish specific utilization certificate within three months of the financial year in which such grant is released. It is also requested to ensure that the money drawn from SDRF/ NDRF is actually utilized for the purposes for which it was released and subsequent releases would depend on UC.

7. It is requested that the State Government may kindly send the expenditure details in the prescribed format on monthly basis as is required vide this Ministry's letter No. 33-06/2015-NDM-I dated 6<sup>th</sup> May, 2015 and letter No. 33-5/2015-NDM-I dated 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2015.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Om Prakash)  
Assistant Director  
Telefax. 23438106

Encl.:- As above.

Copy to:-

- i) The Relief Commissioner/ Secretary (DM); Government of Kerala, Thiruvannthapuram.
- ii) The Accountant General (A&E)/ Accountant General (Audit), State of Kerala, Thiruvannthapuram.
- iii) The Resident Commissioner, Government of Kerala, New Delhi.




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**Statement showing the items/ sector-wise details of the assistance approved by the High Level Committee (HLC) to Government of Kerala for cyclone 'Ockhi' of 2017**

		(Rs. in crore)
Sl. No.	Items/ sectors	Approved by HLC
1	2	3
<b>1</b>	<b>Gratuitous Relief:</b>	
(i)	Ex-Gratia payment to families of deceased persons (identified)	2.32
(ii)	Missing persons presumed dead	4.16
(iii)	Ex-Gratia payment for loss of a limb and injury requiring hospitalization	1.68
2	Cash dole disbursement - Gratuitous relief - livelihood affected	33.80
3	Cost of search & rescue measures/ evacuation of people	20.05
4	Provision for temporary accommodation, food, clothing, medical care etc. for people evacuated/ affected	15.50
5	Air bills for provided air support	On actuals
6	Clearance of debris in public areas	0.81
7	Agriculture/ horticulture input subsidy	9.32
8	<b>Fishery Sector:</b>	
(i)	Boat/ catamaran fully damaged	
(ii)	Net fully damaged	0.49
9	<b>Housing sector:</b>	
(i)	Fully damaged pucca Houses	2.10
(ii)	Severely damaged Pucca	30.94
(iii)	Destroyed huts	0.11
10	<b>Infrastructure repair/ restoration:</b>	
10.1	Road Sector	0.41
10.2	Power Sector: ( Poles, conductor, transformer)	46.11
10.3	Irrigation	0.86
10.4	Drinking Water supply	0.58
10.5	Community Assets- Panchayat Roads	0.39
<b>Total:</b>		<b>169.63</b> + Air bills on actuals

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