

**GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB
DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING
(PLAN CO-ORDINATION DIVISION)**

To

- (1) Principal Secretary to Govt. of Punjab,
Department of Tourism.
- (2) Principal Secretary to Govt. Punjab,
Department of Employment Generation.
- (3) Principal Secretary to Govt. Punjab,
Department of Irrigation.
- (4) Special Secretary to Govt. of Punjab,
Department of Planning.

Dated: Chandigarh the 2^{nd/6th} January, 2009

Subject: Clearance of Rs. 78.00 Cr. as One Time ACA for the year 2008-09.

Sir/Madam,

Please refer to the subject cited above.

2. The Ministry of Finance, Govt. of India vide its letter No.F.No.44(4)PF1/2008-412 dated 30th December, 2008 (copy enclosed) has released Rs. 23.40 Cr as Grant Component out of balance One Time Additional Central Assistance (ACA) of Rs. 78.00 Cr for the year 2008-09. The 70% loan component (Rs. 54.60 Cr) is to be raised by the State Govt.

3. The Department of Planning agrees for the clearance of One Time Additional Central Assistance (ACA) of Rs. 78.00 Cr (Rs. 23.40 Cr Grant Component + Rs.54.60 Cr Loan Component) for the year 2008-09 as per detail given below:-

(Rs. Cr)

SN	Department/Scheme	Provision in 2008-09	30% Grant Component released by MoF, GoI	70% Loan Component to be released by the State Government
1	Tourism			
	Tourist Village Amritsar	5.00	1.50	3.50
	Hostel for proposed IHM Bathinda	3.00	0.90	2.10
2	Employment Generation			
	Projects for Skill Development	25.00	7.50	17.50
3	Irrigation			
	Anti-water logging works in the State	30.00	9.00	21.00

SN	Department/Scheme	Provision in 2008-09	30% Grant Component released by MoF, GoI	70% Loan Component to be released by the State Government
4	Planning			
	Construction of Vit-te-Yojana Bhawan	15.00	4.50	10.50
	Total	78.00	23.40	54.60

4. The concerned Administrative Departments are requested to take up the matter regarding release of One Time ACA (Grant component as well as loan component) with the Finance Department at the earliest. It may also be ensured that Utilization Certificates of financial and physical progress are sent to the Planning Commission of India well in time under intimation to the Planning Department.

Yours faithfully,

SD/-
(Satish Chandra)
Secretary Planning

Endst.No. 8/9/2008-(ACA)-PSPB-RO(PC-I)/61

Dated:2/1/2009

A copy alongwith a copy of sanction No. 44(4)PFI/2008-412 dated 30th December, 2008 received from Ministry of Finance, Government of India regarding release of One Time ACA of 78.00 Cr (Rs. 23.40 Cr Grant Component + Rs. 54.60 Cr Loan Component) is forwarded to Principal Secretary, Finance Punjab with the request for its release to the concerned Administrative Departments at the earliest to ensure its timely utilization in the current year itself. Loan component is required to be raised by the Finance Department from market directly in line with the recommendations of the Twelfth Finance Commission.

Sd/-
Secretary Planning

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Dated: 2/1/2009

A copy is forwarded to Sh. J.P. Vijay, Director(SP-N), Planning Commission, Government of India, New Delhi for information please.

Sd/-
Secretary Planning