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From

S.M. Raju,
Secretary

To,

Smt Indu Sharma,
Director (MGNREGA)
Ministry of Rural Development,
Krishi Bhawan,
New Delhi, 110001

Sub: Release of Inadequate Central assistance FY 2014-15 under MGNREGA to SEGF, Bihar

Ref No. : 1. MoRD Letter No. G-31011/3/2014-MGNREGA-V Sl. No. 61 dated 19.08.2014
2. RDD, Bihar Letter No. 194953 dated 31/07/2014

Dear Sir,

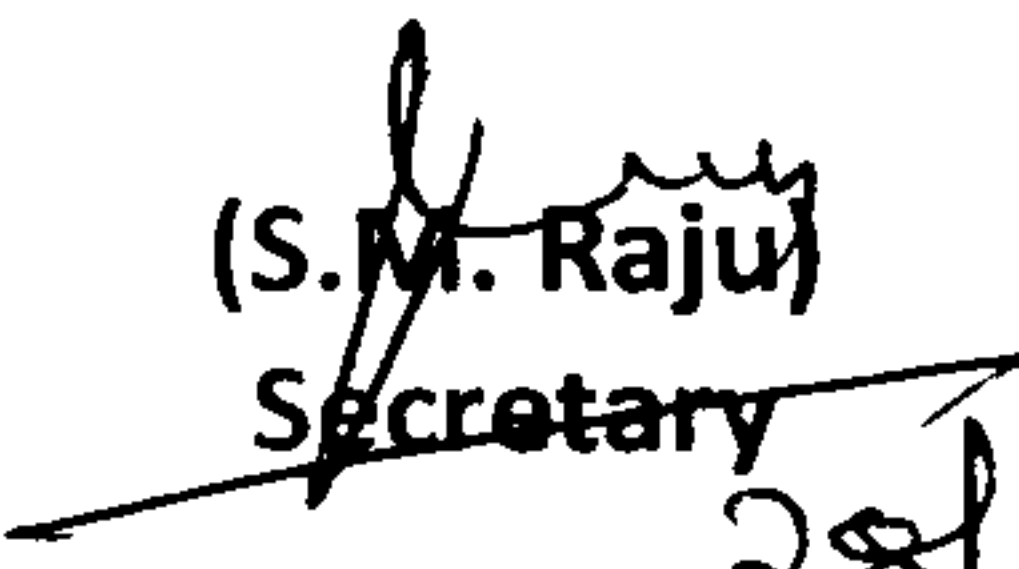
Kindly refer to our earlier, above mentioned request for release of central assistance to the State Employment Guarantee Fund, Bihar under MGNREGA. We had requested for release of Rs.1082.40 cr. against which the Ministry has released Rs. 256.40 cr. (approx.).

It is pertinent to point that the outstanding liability as on date under MGNREGA (as per MIS) stands at Rs. 624.16 cr. The fund sanctioned vide above mentioned letter is not enough to meet the liability. Further the State requires Rs. 532.5027 cr. for running the program for the month July to September 2014 as per agreed Labour Budget.

It is evident that the implementation of MGNREGA has been severely impacted due to the acute shortage of funds. The entitlements in form of wages/unemployment allowance/delayed compensation payment will further be hampered as the State has no resources to pay them.

It is therefore requested the Ministry may kindly release the balance amount on urgent basis to State Employment Guarantee Fund, Bihar to meet the present and past liabilities and to run the program.

Yours Sincerely


(S.M. Raju)
Secretary
28/8/14