



Government of Odisha
Office of Special Relief Commissioner

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From

**Pradeep Jena,
Special Relief Commissioner &
Additional Chief Secretary to Govt.
(Disaster Management)**

To

All Collectors
All Municipal Commissioners

Madam/ Sir,

A. The Government of India in Ministry of Home Affairs (Disaster Management Division) have issued the Items and Norms of assistance regarding details of expenditure incurred from State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF) during the Financial Year 2021-22 on the items related to containment measures of COVID-19 in the State which is mentioned below.

SI	Items of expenditure out of SDRF
1.	Measures for quarantine, sample collection and screening: <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Provision for temporary accommodation, food, clothing, medical care, etc. for people affected and sheltered in quarantine camps (other than home quarantine) or for cluster containment operations.b. Cost of consumables for sample collection.c. Support for checking screening and contact tracing.
2.	Procurement of essential equipments/ labs for response to COVID-19: <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Cost of setting up additional testing laboratories within the Government and the cost of consumables and testing kitb. Cost of personal protection equipment for healthcare, municipal, police and fire authorities.c. Cost of Thermal Scanners, ventilators, air purifiers, oxygen generation and storage plant in hospitals, strengthening ambulance services for transport of patients, setting up containment zones, COVID-19 hospital, COVID-19 care centers and consumables in the Government hospitals.

The items and norms mentioned here are to be considered while utilizing funds out of SDRF. Accordingly, all the Collectors and Municipal Commissioners should ask for funds, which are within the purview of this guideline, to respective departments with an intimation to SRC, Odisha. The funds would be allotted through concerned departments. Fund requirements under 1(a) will be made available for running CTMCs and feeding of sick and indigent persons through PR&DW / H&UD Department as per the guidelines of SRC office. Funds under other heads shall be placed at the disposal of H&FW Department. Any requirement in respect of those activities may be placed before H&FW Department.

B. Besides, there are certain other expenditures which are not in consonance with SDRF norms for COVID-19. Those expenditures can be covered under **PM CARES Fund**, which includes-

- i. Accommodation facilities, food arrangements, medical treatment and transportation arrangements provided to transiting migrants to reach the border nearest to their destination as well as to the migrant workers put in TMCs at GP/ ULB level.
- ii. Train fare/ Bus fare / cost of transportation of the migrant workers of Odisha returning from other States or within the State.
- iii. Support to migrants of other States to reach the departure point to undertake their journey.

C. The expenditure **not covered under SDRF and PM CARES Fund** will be met out of CMRF, which includes -

- a) Arrangements made at railway stations, border check posts and other locations for facilitating movement of returnees including temporary shelter, sanitation, food, drinking water, hygiene kits, etc.
- b) Hiring cost and POL of vehicles used for transportation of returnees from Border Check Post/ Railway stations/ Any other locations to their respective destinations.
- c) Hire charges/ POL of vehicles used for supervision of various activities at different levels for management of COVID-19 pandemic.

The Executing Agencies are requested to seek for funds from PR & DW Department / H & UD Department separately for the expenditure to be met out of CMRF. In certain cases, even though the expenditure is permissible under the PM CARES Fund, funds available there under may not be sufficient to meet requirements. In such cases of non- availability of funds under PM CARES the expenditure can also be met out of CMRF.

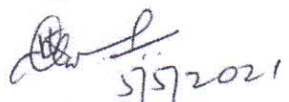
This may be treated as Most Urgent.

Yours faithfully,


Special Relief Commissioner &
Additional Chief Secretary to Govt.
(Disaster Management)

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Copt forwarded to Additional Chief Secretary to Govt., GA & PG Department/ Principal Secretary to Govt., PR & DW Department/ H & UD Department for information and necessary action.


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OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR & DISTRICT MAGISTRATE, KALAHANDI.

Memo No. 598 /Covid-19 Cell/ Res.

Dated. 6th May, 2021.

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Additional District Magistrate,
Kalahandi.