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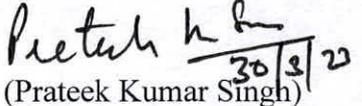
North Block,  
New Delhi, 30<sup>th</sup> March, 2023

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Subject: Procedure for release of funds under the Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS)

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's guidelines on revised procedure for flow of funds under Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS) dated 23rd March, 2021. As per the guidelines, Ministries/Departments may release not more than 25% of the amount earmarked for a State for a CSS for the financial year in one instalment.

2. In this regard, competent authority has decided that in case total amount earmarked for a CSS for a State for the financial year is less than Rs. 1 crore, the Ministry/Department concerned may release funds to such State under that CSS in two instalments of upto 50% each.
3. This issues with the approval of competent authority.

  
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To,

1. All Secretaries to the Government of India
2. All Financial Advisors to the Government of India
3. All Pr. CCAs/CCAs of all Ministries/Departments