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CHIEF MINISTER, WEST BENGAL

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Respected Prime Minister,

I am writing to bring an urgent matter to your kind attention.

It is very astonishing that the Government of India is not releasing funds to West Bengal for MGNREGA and PM Awas Yojana.

You are aware that wages for MGNREGA form an important part of livelihood of rural people and considering this importance, the Act mandates that wages must be paid within fifteen days.

In West Bengal, wage payment is pending for more than four months as Government of India is not releasing funds to the State to the tune of nearly Rs.6,500 Crore – Rs.3,000 Crore against wage liabilities and Rs.3,500 Crore against non-wage liabilities.

In Awas Yojana, West Bengal is No.1 in the country and from 2016-17, more than 32 lakh houses have been constructed in the State.

Despite this performance, fresh allocation of funds to West Bengal is pending with the Ministry of Rural Development and a long list of beneficiaries is awaiting sanction in the State.

Considering the significance of the projects and the hardships being faced by the common people, I would request you for your immediate intervention and direction to the concerned Ministry to release the funds without any further delay.

With regards

Yours sincerely,


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