

F. No 1(13)/PFMS/FCD/2020  
Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Expenditure  
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New Delhi, the 21<sup>st</sup> December, 2021

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

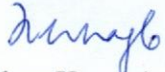
**Subject: Procedure for release of funds under Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS) and monitoring utilization of funds released- reg**

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's OM of even number dated 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2021 on the above mentioned subject.

2. It was observed that some of the Departments were releasing funds to the State Governments without onboarding (marking) of the State Nodal Agencies (SNAs) on PFMS in violation of DoE's instructions.

3. Therefore, it has now been decided to put a check in PFMS to stop release of funds by Ministries/Departments to States for the schemes for which State Linked Schemes (SLSs) have not been marked in PFMS. The check should be implemented w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2022. However, this check will not be applicable to the schemes which have been exempted from routing funds through SNA.

4. This issues with the approval of the Finance Secretary and Secretary (Expenditure).

  
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To

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