F. No. 1(13)/PFMS/2020
Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Expenditure
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North Block, New Delhi, 16<sup>th</sup> February, 2023

To

Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries (Finance): All States/UTs

Subject: Revised procedure for flow of funds under Centrally Sponsored Schemes – Transfer of Central and State share of funds to the Single Nodal Agency (SNA) account and levy of interest for delay in such transfer.

The undersigned is directed to refer to Para No. 16 of the revised procedure for release of funds under the Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS) issued vide this Department's letter No. 1(13)/PFMS/FCD/2020 dated 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2021. It provides that the Central share and commensurate State share is to be transferred by the State Government to the Single Nodal Agency's (SNA) account within 21 and 40 days respectively of receipt of Central share.

- 2. In partial modification of the aforesaid provision in the guidelines, it has been decided by the competent authority that the State Government shall transfer the Central share as well as the commensurate State share to the SNA account within 30 days of receipt of Central share.
- 3. Further, it has been decided to charge interest w.e.f 01.04.2023 on the number of days of delay beyond 30 days in transfer of Central share to the SNA account at the rate of 7% per annum. PFMS division, O/o CGA will issue guidelines regarding procedure for deposit of penal interest by the State Government concerned in the Consolidated Fund of India.
- 4. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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## Copy to:

- 1. Secretaries to the Government of India
- 2. Financial Advisers to the Ministries/Departments
- Add. CGA (PFMS) with the request to develop facility in PFMS for calculation and deposit of interest and to issue detailed SoP in this regard.
- 4. All Pr. CCAs/CCAs of all Ministries/Departments