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SANCTION ORDER

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Dated: 03.05.2023

The Registrar
Department of Commerce, Faculty of Commerce
and Business
Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi,
Delhi - 110007

Subject: Sanction of Major Research Project entitled " Impact of Direct Benefit Transfer Scheme of Government of India on Financial Inclusion: An Assessment " to Dr. Ajay Kumar Singh., Department of Commerce, Faculty of Commerce and Business, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi.

Dear Sir/Madam,

1. The Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) approved the award of " Impact of Direct Benefit Transfer Scheme of Government of India on Financial Inclusion: An Assessment " as Major Research Project submitted by Dr. Ajay Kumar Singh., Registrar along with Dr Dezy Kumarl.
2. The study, as proposed by the researcher, is to be located at and financially administered by your institution as per the guidelines of this award.
3. The ICSSR has sanctioned a grant-in-aid of Rs.14,99,000/- (Fourteen Lakh Ninety Nine Thousand) for the above Research Project and the grant will be released as follows:

First instalment @40% :	Rs. 5,99,600/-
Second instalment @ 30%:	Rs. 4,49,700/-
Third instalment @ 20% :	Rs. 2,99,800/-
Final Instalment @ 5% :	Rs.74,950/-
Publication Cost@5%:	Rs.74,950/- *
Total	Rs.14,99,000 /-
Overhead charges over and above 7.5% or maximum Rs.1,00,000 :	Rs. 1,00,000/-**

*This amount to be retained by the ICSSR. ICSSR would publish the research subject to the recommendation by the expert and relevant Committees for the purpose, from the overall budget.

**This amount will be released on successful completion of project after evaluation.
(The break-up budget approved by the ICSSR of Rs. 14,99,000/- is enclosed.)

4. The First installment of the approved grant-in-aid will be released after receiving the grant-in-aid bill duly filled in, stamped and signed by the Project Director as well as the affiliating organization.
5. In case, the study involves Field survey research, the finalized schedules/questionnaires (2 copies) designed to elicit information should be sent to the ICSSR as per the following schedule: