No. PLG(F) RDP-5-1/2022-23-Part-2  
Planning Department  
Government of Himachal Pradesh

From  
Pr. Secretary (Planning) to the  
Govt. of Himachal Pradesh,  
Shimla-171002.

To  
All the Deputy Commissioner  
(Except Kinnaur and Lahaul Spiti)  
Himachal Pradesh.

Dated Shimla-2 11th October, 2023

Subject:- Guidelines for implementation of Sectoral Decentralized Programme (SDP).

Madam/Sir,

In view of heavy losses caused to human lives and public and private assets during recent rains in Himachal Pradesh, the Government has allowed to restoration/construction of retaining walls/breast walls and channelization of nullahs benefitting individuals out of SDP lying unspent in districts under Sectoral Decentralized Programme (SDP) alongwith the interest upto 31st March, 2023 as per following conditions: -

1. Restoration/construction of retaining wall/breast walls and channelization of Nullahs benefitting individuals shall be eligible only if the Patwari or Pardhan of the Gram Panchayat gives a certificate/report that the retaining walls/breast walls have been damaged/washed away because of the rains which occurred after June, 2023 and there is threat to the houses of the individuals.

2. Channelization of Nullahs if the Patwari or Pradhan of the Gram Panchayat gives a report/certificate that the recent rains have loosened the strata and it is extremely necessary to channelize a nullah to protect private property or the community asset.

3. This relaxation in the guidelines will be valid during the financial year 2023-24 i.e. up to 31st March, 2024.

4. The funds sanctioned for the above-mentioned works and in the manner mentioned above shall have to be completed before 30th June, 2024 i.e. before the commencement of the next monsoons.

5. The sanctioning authorities may ensure that the funds sanctioned are utilized within the prescribed time frame.

Yours faithfully,

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2. Private Secretary to the Hon’ble Speaker Shimla-4.
4. All Administrative Secretaries to Govt. of HP. Shimla-2.
5. All the Head of Departments in HP.
6. Director, Treasury and Accounts HP.
8. All the District Planning Officers (Except Kinnaur and Lahaul Spiti), Himachal Pradesh.
9. All the Treasury Officers (Except Kinnaur and Lahaul Spiti), Himachal Pradesh.
10. System Analyst, Planning Department for uploading the amended guidelines on the website of Planning Department and e-Rajpatra.

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