

**GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
ABSTRACT**

Department of Art & Culture – Release of III Installment of Grant-in-aid to Puducherry Institute of Linguistics and Culture, Puducherry - Sanction – Conveyed.

DEPARTMENT OF ART & CULTURE

G.O.Rt.No. 16

Puducherry, dt. **16 MAR 2026**

- READ:: 1 G.O. Rt.No. 03 dt. 16.06.2025 of the Under Secretary to Govt. (Art and Culture), Puducherry
- 2 G.O. Rt.No. 05 dt. 18.10.2025 of the Under Secretary to Govt. (Art and Culture), Puducherry
- 3 I.D.Note.No. G/637/2025-O/o DAC-SUPDT-SCH (Computer No. 35437), dt.26.02.2026 of the Director, Department of Art & Culture, Puducherry

ORDER:

Sanction of the Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor is conveyed for the release of Rs. 3,31,427/- (Rupees Three lakh thirty one thousand four hundred and twenty seven only) as III installment of Grant-in-aid to Puducherry Institute of Linguistics and Culture, Puducherry under the provisions of the payment of Grant-in-aid to the Government sponsored Cultural Institution Rules, 1978 in the Budget Estimate for the year 2025-26 towards payment of D.A arrear from July 2025 to February 2026 and Dress Allowance to the entitled categories employees as detailed below:-

Sl. No.	Particulars	(36) Grant-in-Aid Salaries
1.	D.A arrear to the staff for the months from July' 2025 to February' 2026 (8 months) ((enhancement from 55% to 58%))	Rs. 93,927
2.	Payment of arrears of Dress Allowance to the entitled categories of (5Nos.) employees	Rs. 2,37,500
	Total Amount under 36-GIA Salaries	Rs. 3,31,427

2. The release of Grant in aid is subject to the following conditions:

- (i) The Grant-in-Aid amount shall be utilized for the purpose for which it has been sanctioned.
- (ii) A certificate of actual utilization of the Grant-in-Aid shall be furnished in the the Form GFR 12-A in accordance with Rule 238.
- (iii) The unspent balance of the Grant-in-Aid released during the year along with interest accrued on the deposited amount if any, shall be brought forward to the subsequent year as part of the scheme fund shall be accounted in the utilization certificate issued in GFR 12-A.
- (iv) The Grant-in-Aid shall be utilized in a time bound manner and in any case not later than three month from the closure of the financial year 2025-26.
- (v) The institution shall get its account audited by the Chartered Accountant and the audited statement of financial accounts shall be submitted to government during the next financial year.
- (vi) The accounts of the Institution shall be open to inspection by the Sanctioning Authority and audit by the Government as Directorate of Accounts and Treasuries/Accountant General.
- (vii) The Institution shall maintain subsidiary accounts for the Grant-in-Aid received from Government as required under GFR 235.

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- (viii) Annual Reports of the Institutions shall be submitted to the Government duly approved by the Institution's Governing Body.
- (ix) The Annual Accounts of the Institution should be completed within 6 months of the end of the financial year.
- (x) The amount released as Grant-in Aid for payment of salaries should be drawn on monthly basis i.e. on or after 20th of each month for which the salary is due.
- (xi) Salary/wages shall not be claimed for the engagement of persons without approval of the Govt.
- (xii) The amount released as GIA for payment of other components shall be drawn on monthly basis.
3. The expenditure is debitable from the following head of account in the Budget 2025-26:

Head of account "2205 Art and Culutre - 102 Promotion of Art and Culure - 102 (05) Financial Assistance to Pondicherry Institute of Linguistics and Culture 102 (05) (01) - Pondicherry Region	Amount
36 G.I.A - Salaries	Rs. 3,31,427/-
Total	Rs. 3,31,427/-

4. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide their I.D.Note No. E-35437/FD/F2/A1/FC/2025-2026 dated 11.03.2026.

// BY ORDER //

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Date: 16-03-2026

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UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (ART & CULTURE)

To

The Director of Art & Culture, Puducherry.

Copy to:-

1. The Finance Department, Puducherry.
2. The Director of Accounts & Treasuries, Puducherry.
3. The Director (i/c), Puducherry Institute of Linguistics & Culture, Puducherry.
4. The J.A.O, Directorate of Art & Culture, Puducherry.
5. The Accounts Section, Department of Art & Culture, Puducherry.
6. The Principal Accountant General (Audit-I), Chennai.
7. The Deputy Accountant General, O/o the Principal Accountant General (Audit-I), Puducherry Branch.
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