F.No.22040/06/2022-NGO Government of India Ministry of Tribal Affairs (NGO Division)

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi Dated: 11th March, 2023

The Principal Secretary/Secretary,
Tribal Welfare Department,
State Government(s)/UT Administration(s)

Subject: Submission of project applications of NGOs/VOs through on-line application tracking software under the scheme of 'Aid to Voluntary Organziations working for the Welfare of Scheduled Tribes' for the year 2022-23-reg.

Sir/Madam,

The undersigned is directed to say that on receipt of a number of requests for extension of timelines for submission of applications by NGOs/ VOs under this Ministry's scheme "Grant in Aid to Voluntary Organizations working for the welfare of STs", it has been decided to extend the last date for submission of applications by NGOs/ VOs as per details given below:

For ongoing projects for FY 2022-23	Upto 27 th March, 2023
For New Projects	Upto 12 th May, 2023

- 2. It is also to inform that the applications for new projects submitted till now and to be submitted till 12/05/2023 by the NGOs/VOs will be treated for FY 2023-24 only instead of FY 2022-23. Hence, NGO/VO's who has already submitted their applications for new projects need not to submit application again. Further, the portal for submission of application for new project will not be opened separately for FY 2023-24.
- 3. Accordingly, all NGOs/ VOs who could not submit their applications may be requested to submit the same and above timelines may kindly be given wide publicity at State / District level in your state.

Yours faithfully,

(K. Chandra Sekhar)

Under Secretary to Government of India

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- 2. All NGOs/VOs