

**STATE FINANCE COMMISSION
GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
FINANCE DEPARTMENT**

No. 13114 /SFC, Date 29.04.2025
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From

**Dr. Satya Priya Rath, I.A.S
Member Secretary**

To

All Collector & District Magistrates

Sub: Submission of suggestions/Memorandum to the 6th State Finance Commission.

Sir,

In pursuance of Article 243-I and Article 243-Y of the Constitution of India read with section 3 and 8 of the Odisha Finance Commission (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1993 (Odisha Act 28 of 1993), Honourable Governor of Odisha has constituted the Sixth State Finance Commission under the chairmanship of Dr. Arun Kumar Panda, I.A.S (R). The Commission has been given the mandate to recommend principles as mentioned below after taking into consideration the revenue proceeds of the State Government and the demands thereon, on account of expenditure of civil, administrative, police and judicial administration, education, maintenance of capital assets, social welfare, debt and receipts and other committed expenditure and liabilities, in addition to the liabilities of Panchayati Raj Institutions and Urban Local Bodies in respect of discharging and implementing the schemes entrusted to them under the article 243(G) and 243(W) of the constitution.

- (i) (a) the distribution between State and 3-tier Panchayati Raj Institutions and the Urban Local Bodies of the net proceeds of taxes, duties, tolls and fees leviable by the State which may be divided amongst them under Part-IX and Part-IXA of the Constitution and the allocation between 3-tier Panchayati Raj Institutions at all levels and the Urban Local Bodies of their respective shares of such proceeds.
- (b) the determination of taxes, duties tolls and fees which may be assigned to, or appropriated by 3-tier Panchayati Raj Institutions and Urban Local Bodies; and
- (c) the grants-in-aid to the 3-tier Panchayati Raj Institutions and Urban Local Bodies, from the Consolidated Fund of the State;
- (ii) The measures needed to improve the financial position of 3-tier Panchayati Raj Institutions and Urban Local Bodies; and

- (iii) Any other matter, which the Governor may refer to the Commission in the interest of sound finance of 3-tier Panchayati Raj Institutions and Urban Local Bodies.

Since the report is to be submitted within a very short time, the Commission seeks your views and suggestions in shape of a Memorandum, for strengthening the resource base of Panchayati Raj Institutions & Urban Local Bodies and improvement in system for discharging the obligatory functions, among others, which would be beneficial to the Commission in formulating the principles for devolution of funds to the above bodies and for development of working of ULBs and PRIs at different tiers.

Accordingly, you are requested to submit the Memorandum to SFC Cell, Finance Department by 31.05.2025 at the following address:


Member Secretary
State Finance Commission, Odisha,
Finance Department, Annex Building,
Email- sfc@odisha.gov.in/odisha6thsfc@gmail.com

Yours faithfully,


29/4/2025
Member Secretary

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Members, 6th State Finance Commission for kind information of Chairman
and Members of 6th State Finance Commission.


29/4/2025
Member Secretary

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Member, 6th SFC, H&UD Department/ Director, Panchayati Raj & Ex-officio
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Municipal Administration and Director, Panchayati Raj.


29/4/2025
Member Secretary