

Further more the Tribal Sub Plan document is also required to be sent to Govt. of India and Planning Commission soon after the finalization of UT plan. If separate meeting is called for discussion of Tribal Sub-Plan there will be delay in the finalization of Tribal Sub-Plan and sending it to the Govt. of India and Planning Commission.

As such under these circumstances a decision is required to be taken in the matter. There could be following options:

1. A detailed letter could be sent to Chairman DPC explaining the impracticability of discussing the Tribal Sub Plan after the finalization of UT plan.
2. Separate meeting with all concerned sectoral departments of Tribal Sub-Plan with DPC immediately after finalization of UT Plan could be held. Schemes included in the Tribal Sub-Plan under respective sectors could be discussed by the DPC, but total outlay already finalized for respective sectors for the UT as a whole would remain same.

Submitted for consideration.

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As at present Tribal Sub-plan is part of Total UT Plan, there is no time to discuss it separately before finalising 10th Five Year Plan. However, inputs received from the field, tribal leaders and those received from tribal leaders HODs during interactive sessions held on 1st & 2nd August, 2001, have already been included in the draft 10th Plan.

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