



D.O No. MD-SBM/AA/97/2016



27th October 2016

Sub: Clarification on Appraisal of DPRs for projects under Swachh Bharat Mission (Urban) - Reg.

Dear Sir/Madam,

As you are aware, under the guidelines of Swachh Bharat Mission (Urban), para 10.5.4, the State High Powered Committee (SHPC) is to authorize institutes of national repute for technical and economic appraisal of DPRs for projects by ULBs.

2. We have received a lot of queries from states and cities regarding the same, wherein issues have been highlighted in getting the DPRs appraised by institutes, including delays and non-continuity.
3. MoUD would like to clarify that in case such DPRs have been prepared by third party consultants, the appraisal may be done by a technical arm of the state government, such as PWD/Public Health/other similar arms, as may be authorized by the concerned department of the state. Such appraisal may be done by competent approval levels in the technical arms as permissible by extant rules within the states. This appraisal may be considered by the SHPC towards approving projects under SBM-Urban, and does not require any further/additional appraisal by institutes of national repute are outlined in the guidelines.

I look forward to your continued support towards Swachh Bharat Mission (Urban).

With regards,

Yours sincerely,


(Praveen Prakash)

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