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D.O No. 4/2/2016 - SBM I

Date: 7th November 2016

Sub: Request for sharing information on specific instances from state for proposing recommendations by Group of Joint Secretaries (GoJS)

Dear Sir/Madam,

As you may be aware, Hon'ble PM has appointed a Group of Joint Secretaries (GoJS) to brainstorm and propose their recommendations on the theme of Health, Sanitation and Urban Development (Group 4 B). You would be happy to know that the undersigned has been designated as the Rapporteur for the group proceedings.

- 2. The group has proposed to present their recommendations pertaining to the following instances, for which you are requested to share substantial cases from your respective states.
 - Instances where State Governments were slow in releasing Mission related funds. Please substantiate the gap by providing specific dates.
 - Instances where projects were affected due to non-availability of land for physical components. Please share your specific experiences and name the projects where difficulty was faced.
 - Instances where tenders were not being closed at first instance and repeated tenders had to be called due to low interest among the vendors.
 - Instances where big firms were on boarded but did not meet expectations. Please share specific cases, tenders and firms involved.
- 3. You are requested to kindly email the data points requested in para 2 above, to sbmmod@gmail.com by 7th November 2016, 5:00 pm. For every case mentioned, please share as much detail as permissible to share their recommendations accordingly.

Your response is extremely critical in facilitating transformational changes in the Mission implementation. Looking forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely

(Praveen Prakash)

To,

State Mission Directors of all State

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