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Dear Sir/Madam,

It gives me great pleasure to share with you that the Ministry has launched an e-learning platform consisting of various modules concerned with sanitation at field level to support capacity building under Swachh Bharat Mission.

2. I invite you to explore these modules by clicking on the icon "e-Courses" on our website <https://swachhbharaturban.gov.in/ISNAHome.aspx>. This will take you to the home page of the e-course at <https://swachhbharat.cloudapp.net/>. We have adopted the process of learning through study of successful practices, rather than mere theoretical information. You will note that the pedagogy includes a video and a power point presentation highlighting the perspective of the originator of the successful practice being studied. This is followed by a spoken tutorial, which deals with the mechanisms and necessary theory in an interesting way. The student may go through the material at his own pace at the end of which he can register and take an objective type test, also included in the module, to gauge his understanding of the subject matter.

3. Currently we have developed packages on Community Toilets, Collection and Transportation of MSW and the DRDO- Biodigester. By end of this year, we aim to have at least 50 different modules covering the entire gamut of sanitation and also get them dubbed in different languages.

4. The content is designed in such a way that an average municipal employee may be able, with 4-6 hrs of effort, to attempt the test. Experts will also be available to assist the student through online live- support for a certain number of days. For this, the Ministry has linked up with National Institute of Urban Affairs (NIUA), Delhi and Microsoft Learning, who will provide the necessary course content and teaching faculty. As soon as the candidate clears the module test, a certificate will be generated automatically and e-mailed to the individual with a copy to his office head. In future, I intend to integrate these certificates with some college/ institute. Officials, listed hereunder, are available for any clarification in this regard:-

- a) Jagan Shah, Director, NIUA - 09810215768
b) Rohit Kakkar, Dy Adviser (PHE), MoUD- 08750622900
c) Siddarth Prakash, Microsoft - 07829550551

5. May I request you to convey the information to municipal commissioners and their employees and also your own Mission Directorate staff to learn from these modules.

I await your feedback.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,


(Praveen Prakash)

To

All State Mission Directors, SBM