W-11048/1/2016-Water-II Government of India Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation

4th Floor, Paryavaran Bhawan CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi. Date: ٥٤ May, 2016

To,

The Principal Secretary / Secretary, In-charge Rural Water Supply, State Government of Maharashtra, UP, Karnataka, MP, Rajasthan, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh, Odisha, Gujarat, Bihar, Haryana

Subject: Long term measures being taken to mitigate rural drinking water scarcity situation in case of drought

Sir,

The drought mitigation measures taken up by the State are being forwarded by them in a format on daily basis.

However, these measures are of short term nature. Hence you are requested to briefly intimate us the long term measures being taken to address the drinking water in these areas.

Nos. of water supply schemes to be commissioned in the current year and next two financial year may also please be indicated.

This information is urgently required as the matter will be discussed at the higher level in the Central Government. As such, the same may please be furnished by 01:00 PM on 05.05.2016 through e-mail to rajeshkumar2.ofb@ofb.gov.in and ak.srivastava15@nic.in.

Regards.

Yours Sincerely

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Rajesh Kumar Director (Water)