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To
The Principal Secretary/ Secretary
In-charge of Rural Sanitation,
All States

Subject: - Opening of IMIS allowing the States/UTs to update beneficiary level data - regarding.

Madam/Sir,

The SBM (G) focusses on achievement of open defecation free (ODF) villages. When an intervention is started in an ODF village, it becomes important to address all the existing households that are without toilets, even if their name has been left out of the original baseline. Of these, those eligible for incentive as per the SBM (G) guidelines have to be provided incentive; while the remaining categories - ineligible APL, defunct, those provided subsidy earlier - have to be motivated or provided funding from other sources such as CSR, Gram Panchayat own funds, community contribution, Swachh Bharat Koshete as prescribed.

- 2. The issue of opening the IMIS for updating of beneficiary level data has been raised time and again by several States so as to enable them to reflect the actual position of sanitation coverage in the States/UTs. The SBM (G) guidelines provide for updation of this data.
- 3. In view of the above, the IMIS is being opened to allow updation/ correction of data. This updation may be carried out by the States/ districts to reflect the corrections as may have been necessitated due to certain households left out from baseline. The additions/ corrections are to be made with due diligence to reflect the status as is and keeping in mind the eligibility criteria. The defunct toilets i. e. those that have been provided incentive money earlier under any sanitation programme cannot be included in the eligible category.
- 4. It may however be noted that the total funds released under SBM (G) will be limited to the PIPs of the respective States/UTs as approved by the NSSC.

Yours faithfully,

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