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Government of India
Ministry of Drinking Water & Sanitation

Pt. Deendayal Antyodaya Bhawan
4th Floor, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road
New Delhi-110003
Dated : 23rd February, 2017

To

The Principal Secretary/Secretary
In-charge of RWSS
All States

Subject : Meeting of Chief Chemists and Director, WSSO of All States

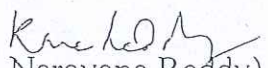
Sir,

The Parliamentary Standing Committee on Rural Development (2016-17) in its meeting held on 22nd February, 2017 to examine the Demands for Grants (2017-18) of Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation has seriously recommended regular testing of contamination of drinking water sources including pesticides.

2. The Ministry is of the opinion that the actual preparedness level of laboratories in various States need to be assessed including understanding their constraints. Therefore, you are requested to kindly depute Director, WSSO and State Level Chemist/Consultant on 02nd March, 2017 to attend a meeting starting from 1030 AM at 4th Floor Conference Hall of the Ministry of Drinking Water & Sanitation, Pt. Deendayal Antyodaya Bhawan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003.

3. The participants may be advised to prepare a presentation comprising of five slides showing the existing infra-structure, physical performance of last 3-years, allocation and expenditure during the last 3-years, constraints and recommendations so that threadbare discussions can be held for overall improvement in Water Quality Monitoring Surveillance(WQMS).

Yours sincerely,


(K Narayana Reddy)
Under Secretary (WQ)