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To

The Secretaries/Principal Secretaries/In-Charge, Rural Water Supply Department, All States.

Sub:- Release of 1st instalment of NRDWP-Support and WQM&S funds.

Sir,

Under NRDWP, 5% and 3% funds are earmarked for Support and Water Quality Monitoring Surveillance (WQM&S) components. These components are integral part of the programme as expenditure on account of Water Quality testing, software components, salaries of the hired staff is met through these components.

- 2. The 1st instalment of the NRDWP has already been released to States in the month of April itself, however, it has been found that many States like Uttar Pradesh, Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh, Gujarat, Assam, Karnataka, Odisha, Telangana have not been released their 1st instalment of NRDWP-Support and WQM&S components due to low pace of expenditure or any other pending issues like non receipt of State matching Share UC. These States have been requested many times during various Video conferences / telephonic conversations for sending the proposal for release of 1st instalment of these components but the needful has still not been done.
- 3. In view of above, it is again requested that all States who have not been released their 1st instalment of above funds, send the proposal for release of above cited funds to this Ministry at the earliest for smooth implementation of NRDWP.

Yours sincerely,

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