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Dear Madam / Sir,

Access to safe and adequate drinking water for all in rural areas is a key catalyst for achieving the Swachh Bharat by 2nd October, 2019. Hence, the Ministry proposes to review the steps taken by each of the states to provide potable drinking water to the rural households.

2. Accordingly, a review meeting of National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP) with State Ministers incharge of Rural Drinking Water/ Public Health Engineering and State Secretaries incharge of RWS/PHED will be organized on 3rd February, 2016 at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi. The agenda for the meeting under NRDWP is as under:

- Coverage of water quality affected habitations(through piped water supply) / through Community Water Purification Plants;
- Coverage of partially covered habitations through piped water supply or through other schemes;
- Progress under household connection,
- Laboratory testing/ water quality monitoring,
- Solar power based dual pump systems;
- Expenditure under sustainability;
- IEC/ HRD Action plan under Support Fund;
- Water security pilot project.

3. Best practices of the States can be shared through a brief presentation during the review meeting. Best practices and brief write up may be sent to Smt. Sandhya Singh, Director (Stat) at sandhya.singh@nic.in

4. It is requested to kindly make it convenient to attend the meeting on 3rd February, 2016 at 9:30 AM along with Engineer-in- Chief/Chief Engineer. The programme schedule and detailed agenda notes will be uploaded on the Ministry's Website shortly.

With Regards,

Yours sincerely,

[Satyabrata Sahu]

To,
The Principal Secretaries/ Secretaries in-charge of Rural Water Supply
in all States/UTs.

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