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Dear

The process of conducting survey for selection of Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRI) for Nirmal Gram Puraskar (NGP) 2010 has already started and as per the schedule, the survey agencies shall be completing the data collection by 31st Aug 2010. In terms of NGP guidelines, a sample cross checking of the data collected by the survey agencies is required to be carried out in the Gram Panchayats which are prima facie found eligible for the award as per the survey data provided by the agencies.

Accordingly, all the States are required to organize teams each consisting of a Government official looking after Total Sanitation Campaign (TSC), of an appropriate level, and a representative from an NGP awarded PRI. The team which would visit neighboring State(s) for a cross checking of data on sample basis. It would also provide an opportunity as an exposure visit to the visiting team.

The process of sample cross checking shall be as follows:

1. Each State would be required to constitute teams of 2 (two) persons and send them for sample cross checking to the State(s) allocated to them. The number of teams required to be constituted by each State and the States to be visited by them is attached.
2. Team leader would be a district level Government official of an appropriate level working under TSC and member would be President/Sarpanch/ Pradhan of an already NGP awarded PRI. In case there is no suitable/willing President/ Sarpanch/Pradhan then another PRI member/volunteer from such NGP village may be the second member of the team.
3. Each State will be required to enter the team member details so constituted on the NGP online system. The GPs to be visited by each team shall be allocated by this Department subsequently through the online system.
4. The teams would be required to conduct a sample cross checking of data collected by the survey agency and report the same on a prescribed format on the NGP online system. The State users can access the list of GPs to be visited

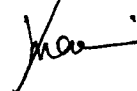
by their teams and the sample data to be cross checked on the NGP online system using their State user IDs and passwords already allocated to the State TSC coordinators. The teams shall take a print of the format and information collected can be filled on the same which thereafter shall be entered on the NGP online system.

5. Each cross checking team shall be required to visit approximately 10 Gram Panchayats and report information as per the prescribed format.
6. The data collected by the cross checking team shall be entered online by 30th Sept 2010 for all the GPs visited.
7. The cross checking teams are to report to the host State headquarters on a notified date and the host State will make logistic arrangements for assisting the visiting teams.
8. The expenditure for the visiting teams will be borne by the districts under the IEC budget provided for the TSC project treating it as an exposure visit.

You are accordingly requested to issue necessary directions to the concerned officials in this regard indicating the urgency to adhere to the time schedule so as to enable the Department to complete the entire process in a time bound manner.

With regards

Yours sincerely,



[J.S MATHUR]

All the State Secretaries (in charge of Rural Sanitation)

Sl.No.	State Name	No. of teams to be constituted	State to be visited
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	13	Orissa (3), Maharashtra (10)
2	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	1	Nagaland (1)
3	ASSAM	1	Arunachal Pradesh (1)
4	BIHAR	1	UP (1)
5	CHHATTISGARH	6	Madhya Pradesh (6)
6	GUJARAT	45	Maharashtra(45)
7	HARYANA	10	Uttarakhand(3), Punjab (2),Rajasthan (5)
8	HIMACHAL PRADESH	10	Haryana(10)
9	JHARKHAND	0	
10	KARNATAKA	16	Tamil Nadu (16)
11	KERALA	16	Karnataka(16)
12	MADHYA PRADESH	36	Gujarat (36)
13	MAHARASHTRA	45	Madhya Pradesh (45)
14	MANIPUR	1	Mizoram (1)
15	MEGHALAYA	1	Assam(1)
16	MIZORAM	3	Meghalaya (3)
17	NAGALAND	1	Manipur (1)
18	ORISSA	5	West Bengal(5)
19	PUNJAB	10	Himachal Pradesh (10)
20	RAJASTHAN	6	Haryana (6)
21	TAMIL NADU	7	Kerala (1), Andhra Pradesh (6)
22	TRIPURA	0	
23	UTTAR PRADESH	4	Chhattisgarh(4)
24	UTTARAKHAND	5	Himachal Pradesh (5)
25	WEST BENGAL	2	Jharkhand (1), Bihar(1)
Total		245	