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Dear Sir/Madam,

Ministry of Drinking Water & Sanitation is organising a one-day review meeting under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Minister for Rural Development, Panchayati Raj and Drinking Water & Sanitation (RD, PR & DWS) on **3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2016 at Vigyan Bhavan, New Delhi** to review the progress in Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) and cross-share learnings between the States/UTs. In this connection, the letter of even number dated 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2016 of Hon'ble Minister of RD, PR & DWS, Government of India addressed to the Chief Minister requesting therein to nominate the Minister and Secretary in-charge of Water and Sanitation may please be referred to.

2. In respect of Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin), the following items will be reviewed:
- Sanitation coverage
  - Achievement in open defecation free (ODF) villages and progress in ODF verification
  - Solid and Liquid Waste Management

The performance of States/UTs on these parameters, as uploaded on the MIS, will be shared with the States/UTs prior to the meeting.

3. It is also proposed to disseminate few best practices amongst the participants. You are, therefore, requested to share brief write-ups/power-point presentations, on one best practice in your State/UT. Ten best presentations from across the country will be selected for presentation during the review meeting.

4. It is requested to make it convenient to attend this national review meeting, along with the State/UT Coordinator, SBM-G. You may also like to bring along 1-2 champions of sanitation from your State/UT for participation/presentation during this review meeting. Expenditure on their travel and boarding/lodging (in case they are non-officials) may be made out of the Administration / IEC component of SBM (G).

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

  
(Saraswati Prasad)

To  
Principal Secretary/Secretary in-charge of Rural Sanitation  
All States/UTs

Copy to: State SBM (G) Coordinator of all States/UTs for information and necessary action