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Ministry of Drinking Water & Sanitation

9th Floor Paryavaran Bhavan, CGO Complex, New Delhi-110003 Dated: 05.11.2012

To,

The Principal Secretary/Secretaries in-charge of Rural Drinking Water and Sanitation.

States of Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Haryana, Maharashtra, Punjab, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu , Gujarat & Rajasthan

Subject: Video Conference on National Drinking Water Security Pilot Projects held at Ministry of Drinking Water & Sanitation, 12th Floor Paryavaran Bhavan, CGO Complex, New Delhi, on 23rd November, 2012

Dear Sir,

The progress of implementation of the Drinking Water security Pilot Projects in 15 over-exploited blocks in various states was reviewed at the recently held National review workshop, attended by officers concerned with implementation of National Drinking Water Security Pilot projects from your state, at Ahmedabad by the Joint Secretary, MoDWS from 24-25th September 2012.

To accelerate the pace of implementation of the project, Secretary, DWS shall chair a video conference with the Principal Secretaries of the States, State Nodal officers for the project, Executive Engineer concerned for the pilot blocks, and Team leaders of the Support Organisations on 23rd November 2012.

The List of officers to participate, time schedule, and agenda for the Video Conference are enclosed.

You are therefore requested to attend the video conference and participate in the discussions on key issues related to implementation of the project. It is also requested that the State Nodal Officers and Executive Engineers of the identified blocks may be directed by you to attend this video conference.

Yours faithfully,

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Sujoy Mojumdar Director (Water)

Encl: As above

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Annex-1 List of officers to participate in the Video Conference

Sr No.	Officers -		
1	The Principal Secretary/Secretaries in-charge of Rural Drinking Water and Sanitation, Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat, Haryana, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Punjab, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu, & Uttar Pradesh.		
2	The District Collectors of		
,	District Anantpur, Nalgonda, & Chittoor (A.P.), Mehsana (Guj), Kaithal (Haryana), Kolar (Karnataka), Ratlam, Satna (M.P.), Amarawati (Maha.), Dhuri (Punjab), Bheelwara(Raj), Dharmapuri (TN), Agra, Jhansi (U.P.)		
3	State Nodal Officers		
	Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat, Haryana, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Punjab, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu, & Uttar Pradesh.		
4	Executive Engineers, Rural Water Supply Agencies,		
	District Anantpur, Nalgonda, & Chittoor (A.P.), Mehsana (Guj), Kaithal (Haryana), Kolar (Karnataka), Ratlam, Satna (M.P.), Amarawati (Maha.), Dhuri (Punjab), Bheelwara(Raj), Dharmapuri (TN), Agra, Jhaṇṣi (U.P.)		·
5	Team Leaders		
	Support Organisations from the Pilot Blocks		
	Gorantalu, Moothey, Pileru, Kheralu, Kaithal, Mulbagal, Piploda, Rampur Baghelan, Warud, Morshi, Dhuri, Raipur, Morappur, Mauranipur, Barauli Aheer	X ®	

Annex-2 Time Schedule, and Agenda for the Video Conference

The time schedule of the sessions for VC shall be as follows

11:00 AM to 1:30 AM

Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat, Haryana, Karnataka, Maharshtra

2:30 PM to 5:00 PM

Madhya Pradesh, Punjab, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu,

Uttar Pradesh

Agenda

Activity		
Opening remarks by Secretary, MDWS		
Overview of the project by JS (Water), MDWS		
Review on following points		
Organisational activities:		
District Core group and Block Core group formations and meetings		
Activities of Support Organization and whether it is functional at the site.		
Formation/rejuvenation of VWSC (Village Water and Sanitation		
Committees)		
Field Work/ mapping		
Identification and Training of the Village groups,		
Water Budget Training,		
Baseline Data Collection		
GIS mapping		
Procurements such as establishment of Rain gauge stations, HGM maps		
Exposure Visits		
Documentation:		
Inception reports, Project Implementation Plans,		
Village water security plans prepared/ finalised.		
Work Plan for next Three months		