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Ministry of Rural Development
Department of Drinking Water Supply

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To

1. The Secretary
(In-charge Sanitation) All States/UTs
2. The Secretary (In charge of SWSM) All States/UTs.

Subject: Release of funds to CCDU under TSC-Regarding

Sir,

This has reference to letter /proposals received from States for release of funds to CCDU for undertaking HRD/IEC activities relating to sanitation at State level. There have been some recent developments in the institution arrangement in the States for undertaking such activities under water supply and sanitation. The matter has since been examined by the Department in the light of changes made in the recently issued guidelines on National Rural Drinking Water Programme.

In this regard it is hereby clarified that the IEC and HRD activities are to be converged at the state level to be undertaken through the Water and Sanitation Support Organization (WSSO) under State Water and Sanitation Mission. CCDUs will be part of WSSOs having expertise and infrastructure for carrying out IEC and HRD activities of all programmes of rural water and sanitation sectors. The WSSOs will be provided upto 2% of the NRDWP allocation for funding in support activities as per the new National Rural Drinking Water Programme guidelines. All CCDUs in the State including CCDU for sanitation are required to present their work programme to the SWSM and obtain funds through the WSSO from the NRDWP allocation No separate funds will be released to CCDUs from the Total Sanitation Campaign.

Yours sincerely,

(Vijay Mittal)
Director (CRSP)

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