

Government of India
Ministry of Jal Shakti
Department of Drinking Water & Sanitation

Subject: Monthly summary for the month of February, 2021 in respect of Department of Drinking Water and Sanitation.

Progress in Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM)

During February, 2021, 34.31 lakh households have been provided tap water connections. So far 2.84 crore households have been provided with tap water connections in the year 2020-21. An amount of Rs.1,597.64 crore has been released to States/UTs under the programme during the month.

Progress in Swachh Bharat Mission- Grameen Phase-II

During the month of February, 2021, 2.88 lakh Individual Household Latrines (IHHLs) and 7,197 Community Sanitary Complexes were constructed and an amount of Rs.114.83 crore was released to the States/UTs.

Webinar on Implementation Strategy for Budget Announcements 2021-22

A webinar on implementation strategy for the Budget announcements 2021-22 was organized on 16th February, 2021. Sectoral experts/subject experts/stakeholders participated in the webinar. They were addressed by Hon'ble Prime Minister.

Further, breakout sessions with sectoral experts/subject experts/stakeholders concerned with water supply and sanitation were held on 17th February, 2021 for detailed discussion on the road map for implementation of initiatives announced in the Union Budget 2021-22.

Meetings with the Parliamentary Committees.

A meeting of the Consultative Committee attached to Ministry of Jal Shakti (Department of Drinking Water and Sanitation) was organised on 12th February, 2021. The agenda/subject of the meeting was "Jal Jeevan Mission".

Standing Committee on Water Resources took oral evidence of the representatives of the Ministry of Jal Shakti (Department of Drinking Water and Sanitation) in connection with the examination of Demands for Grants (2021-22) on 24th February, 2021.

Launching of unified portal on 'Gobardhan' Scheme

A unified portal on the 'Gobardhan' scheme, was launched on 3rd February, 2021 at Media Centre, New Delhi by Hon'ble Minister, Jal Shakti in august presence of Hon'ble Union Minister of Agriculture, Hon'ble Union Minister of Animal Husbandry, Hon'ble Union Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas and Hon'ble Union Minister of State for Jal Shakti .

Sharing of Highlights of Union Budget 2021-22, D/o DWS

Secretary, Ministry of Jal Shakti interacted with members of media on 8th February, 2021 at Sharam Shakti Bhawan, New Delhi to share the highlights of Union Budget 2021-22 related to both the Departments under Ministry of Jal Shakti.

Monitoring of JJM

Union Minister, Jal Shakti reviewed the planning and implementation of JJM with the Chief Minister of Uttarakhand through video conferencing on 23rd February, 2021.

3rd quarter review of planning and implementation of JJM with States of Chhattisgarh, Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu, Assam, Mizoram, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir and Sikkim was taken by Secretary through video conferences during the month.

Workshop on Social Media

A workshop on social media was organized on 10th February, 2021 through video conference from Pt. D D Antyodaya Bhawan, New Delhi. State and District IBC Consultants participated in the workshop.

Sarpanch Samvad

Sarpanch Samvad "An interaction with PRIs" was held on 26.02.2021 through video conferencing under chairmanship of Secretary. 14 Sarpanches participated in the above samvad. Discussion took place were held on ODF sustainability and ODF Plus activities.

Training on ODF

Training on ODF Plus for State officials of Mizoram and Arunachal Pradesh was organised on 5th February, 2021 through video conference from Pt. D D Antyodaya Bhawan, New Delhi.
