

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

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

Progress in JalJeevan Mission (JJM)

During October, 2021, 17,49,224 households have been provided with functional household tap water connections and an amount of Rs.1050.04 crore has been released to the States / UTs.

Progress in Swachh Bharat Mission- Grameen Phase-II

During October, 2021, 1,85,353 Individual Household Latrines (IHHLs) and 1,684 Community Sanitary Complexes (CSCs) have been constructed and an amount of Rs.13.02 crore has been released to the States/UTs.

Jal Jeevan Samvad by Hon'ble PM with Gram Panchayats & Pani Samitis

Hon'ble Prime Minister held Samvad with Gram Panchayats/ Village Water & Sanitation Committees/ Pani Samitis under Jal Jeevan Mission on Gandhi Jayanti, i.e. 2nd October, 2021, to help in developing a responsive and responsible leadership at grassroots level and to make village a WASH (Water, Sanitation and Hygiene) enlightened village. In the Samvad, Hon'ble PM interacted with five community leaders from the village across different parts of the country, viz. five States of Manipur, Gujarat, Tamil Nadu, Uttarakhand and Uttar Pradesh, motivating them to continue their good work in managing in-village water supply system and encouraging them to function as public water utilities. Hon'ble PM also exhorted the Gram Panchayats across the country associated with this program to work wholeheartedly for the protection and cleanliness of the water sources in the village and emphasized achievement of sustainable use of water by saving rain water, using household wastewater for agriculture and promoting crops which consume less water.

Review of progress and implementation of Jal Jeevan Mission.

The mid-year review of implementation of JJM was taken by Secretary, DWS through video conferences with the States of Tripura, West Bengal, Nagaland, Uttarakhand, Maharashtra, Chhattisgarh, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh, Tamil Nadu and Andhra Pradesh during the month.

Further, Additional Secretary & Managing Director of National Jal Jeevan Mission took the mid-year review of implementation of JJM with the States of Arunachal Pradesh, Odisha, Mizoram, Himachal Pradesh, Punjab, Haryana and Jammu & Kashmir through video conferencing.

The implementation of Jal Jeevan Mission in aspirational districts, namely, Haridwar and Udham Singh Nagar, Uttarakhand was also reviewed by Additional Secretary & Managing Director of National Jal Jeevan Mission on 30th October 2021 through video conference. The meetings were attended by senior officials and engineers of PHE Department from the States.

Review of progress and implementation of SBM(G).

Video Conferences were organized at DDWS, New Delhi under the chairmanship of Additional Secretary, SBM(G) on 22.10.2021 with ACS/Principal Secretary/Secretary and Mission Directors in-charge of Rural Sanitation in all States/UTs to review “Dus Ka Dum Swachchata Har Dum” Campaign. Additional Secretary also took a virtual meeting with Nodal Officers of South Asian Conference on Sanitation (SACOSAN) on 25.10.2021 for preparation of SACOSAN-VIII. A review meeting of implementation of SBM-G was undertaken on 27th October, 2021 with State and Districts Officials of Uttar Pradesh at Lucknow.
