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Government of India Ministry of Drinking Water & Sanitation

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> > Date: 22-April, 2016

To Secretary / Principal Secretary In Charge of Rural Water Supply (All States and UTs)

Subject: - Furnishing the project proposal for External Assistance

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Ministry even no. letter dated 10.02.2016 regarding the above mentioned subject and to say that all States / UTs are requested to comply with the following procedure for submission of proposal for external assistance;

- All projects proposals will be submitted to the DEA, through the central line Ministry, with their concurrence / comments. For North-Eastern State, the project proposals are required to be submitted through M/o DONER, who in turn will consult the Central line ministry, and MEA, MHA etc. if required.
- 2. Debt sustainability certificate from the Finance Department of the State Government concerned may be provided.
- 3. The minimum counterpart funding is 30% of the project size, in respect of State Sector project proposals.
- 4. Maximum external funding is capped at US\$500 million at present.
- 5. All project proposals are to be accompanied by a SWOT analysis for perusal of the Screening Committee in the DEA.

If State / UT Government had sent any proposal without compliance of above, it is requested to send the confirmation / compliance of this immediately.

State / UT is hereby requested to reply within 15 days.

Yours Sincerely

Referral -

(Rajesh Kumar) Director (Water)