

W-11042/59/2016-Water-II  
Government of India  
Ministry of Drinking Water & Sanitation

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CGO Complex,  
Lodhi Road, New Delhi.

Date: 5, Oct 2016

To  
The Principal Secretary / Secretary  
(In-charge of Rural Water Supply)  
All States/UTs

**Subject: Data for State of Environment Report, India 2015 –  
Request for information**

Madam/Sir,

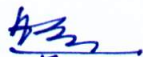
The undersigned is directed to refer to OM dated 17.08.2016 from Ministry of Health & Family Welfare and letter dated 22.07.2016 from Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change on above mentioned subject and to request to furnish the following information / data in respect of your state:

- Population with safe drinking water facility in the State/ UT.
- Water stressed Population of the State/ UT.

As the information is required to be sent to Ministry of Environment Forests and Climate Change early, it is requested that this may be given priority.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: As above.

  
(A.K. Srivastava)  
Under Secretary (Water)  
Phone: 24363515

F. No. 18012/22/2016-Environment/EPI  
Ministry of Health and Family Welfare  
(Environment Health & Climate Change Cell)

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 17 August, 2016

**Subject: Data for State of Environment Report (SoER) India, 2015-reg**

Sir,

The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC) is preparing the State of Environment Report (SoER) India, 2015. The SoER aims to give an overview of the environmental scenario of India that serves as a baseline document and assists in logical decision making. It also aims to provide policy guidelines and strategies for resources allocation for coming decades based on analysis of the state and trends of the environment.

A letter in the regard has been received from MoEF&CC (enclosed). Please provide the information in bullet point 1,2,3 directly to: Mr. Avanindra Kumar, Deputy Programme Director, B-32, Development Alternatives, Tara Crescent, Qutub Institutional area, New Delhi.

Kindly provide the requested information at the earliest.

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19/08/16  
② ~~US/W~~ DSR (SBM)

Yours Faithfully,

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Dr. Chhavi Pant Joshi,  
DADG (EH)

✓ Shri Rajesh Kumar  
Director (Water and Parl.)  
Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation  
Govt. of India, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Paryavaran Bhawan, CGO Complex,  
Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003.

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1. M P Johnson Advisor (Stat) MoEFCC, Jor Bagh, New Delhi.
2. Mr. Avanindra Kumar, Deputy Programme Director, B-32, Development Alternatives, Tara Crescent, Qutub Institutional area, New Delhi-110016.



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Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change  
Government of India

Office of Secretary (H&FW)  
e-office No. 326507/2016  
Date... 29/07/2016

D. O. No. 8/2/2014-15/EI  
Dated: 22/7/2016

Respected Sir,

The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change has decided to prepare the State of Environment Report (SoER) India, 2015. The project has been assigned to **Development Alternatives, New Delhi** with financial support by this Ministry. The SoER basically aims to give an overview of the environmental scenario of India that serves as a baseline document and assists in logical decision making. It also aims to provide policy guidelines and strategies for resource allocation for coming decades based on analysis of the state and trends of the environment and provide guidance for national environment action planning.

Your cooperation in this regard would enable us to bring out a comprehensive and up to date national document. We request you to provide **latest published information/data (both country level and state level)** on the following items to Development Alternatives as soon as possible. **Kindly ensure that the data is for years later than 2012.**

- Population with safe drinking water: national and state level data
- Population with access to sanitation: national and state level data
- Population with water Stress: national and state level data
- Incidence of air pollution related ailments vis-a-vis reported pollution levels
- Deaths per year due to indoor and outdoor air pollution

I shall be grateful if you could arrange to furnish the data in hardcopy or softcopy to the Development Alternatives at the given address.

**Mr. Avanindra Kumar**  
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Development Alternatives  
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It would help the Ministry to publish the report by October, 31st, 2016.

with warm regards,

Yours Sincerely,  
M. P. Johnson  
(M. P. Johnson)

Secretary (H&FW) (CK)  
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Secretary  
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