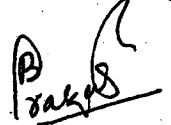


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Please find enclosed herewith a copy of minutes of the meeting of the Pre-Empowered Committee held on 8th December, 2017 (Friday) at 12.30 Noon to discuss the project proposals of Bihar for regular PMGSY, 2017-18 (Batch-IV), for information and necessary action.



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Minutes of the Meeting of Pre-Empowered Committee held on 08.12.2017 for the proposals of State of Bihar under Regular PMGSY Batch-IV (2017-18)

A Meeting of the Pre- Empowered Committee for PMGSY was held under the Chairmanship of Joint Secretary (RC) in her Chamber on 8th December, 2017 at 12.30 PM to discuss the project proposals from the State Govt. of Bihar under Regular PMGSY Batch-IV (2017-18). The following officers were present in the meeting:

Ms Alka Upadhayaya	Joint Secretary(RC), MoRD & DG NRRDA
Dr. Surabhi Rai	Deputy Secretary(RC)
Shri I. K. Pateria	Director (Tech),NRRDA
Shri Uttam Kumar	Director (P-III), NRRDA
Smt. Shanti Priya	Director (Finance), NRRDA
Shri. Swarna Ganapathi	Advisor, Niti Aayog
State Govt. Representatives and Others	
Shri Vinay Kumar	Secretary, Govt. of Bihar
Shri Indu Bhusan	SE/SQC.RWD
Shri Bhagwat Ram	R.W.D, Bihar
Shri Anand Prakash	AE/BRRDA

Proposal by the State

2. Dir (Tech.) presented the proposals sent by the State as under:

Details of current proposals:

As per Pre EC submission dated 08.12.2017					As per OMMAS dated 08.12.2017			
Item	No of Roads	Length (in km)	Cost (Rs in Crores)	Avg. Cst /km (Lakhs)	Nos	Length (in km)	Cost (Rs in Crores)	Avg. Cost/km (Lakhs)
New Connectivity	144	319.70	184.37	57.67	116	267.52	150.88	56.40
Up-gradation	3	5.07	2.69	53.04	1	1.46	0.82	56.16
Bridges	92	4,901.65	243.72	4.97/m	41	2,294.10	108.46	4.73/m
Total	147 roads 92bridges	324.77 Kms roads 4,901.65 m bridges	430.78*		117 roads 41 bridges	268.98 Kms roads 2,294.10 m bridges	260.16 *	

*MoRD Share : Rs. 143.97 Crores

State Share : Rs. 116.19 Crores

STAs have not uploaded some of the proposals which the State assured are in process and will be completed soon.

Category wise benefitted Habitations (as per OMMAS)

The State was asked to upload details of the habitations benefitted by PMGSY on OMMAS by **25th December, 2017.**

DPR ISSUES:

- State was asked to look into the higher average cost.
- The State was directed that the districts which have proposed CC roads of more than 15% of total proposed length should be verified and CC length needs to be reduced accordingly.
- State was asked to see if roads proposed for East Champaran district could be done fully under CC.
- State has not proposed any roads using Fly ash, Pond ash and Bottom ash. Fly ash can be used for stabilization and embankment construction at least the districts where the thermal power plants are located. Thermal plants are available in Begusarai, Muzaffarpur, Bhagalpur and Patna districts. The transportation cost of fly ash will be borne by the Thermal Power Plants and couple of adjacent districts.
- Joint Inspection formats of STA and SE for bridge works, copy of SLSC approval and MPI, MPPII, MPPIII formats have been asked from the State.

Maintenance Issue:

- State was asked to provide higher % of maintenance costs

R&D proposals and Technology issues:

- The state was asked to convert Cell filled concrete to Panelled Cement Concrete and specify the technology under other technologies.

Financial Issues:

- Pending Stale Cheques and Payment made through cheques but not recorded in Cash Book were main issues to be paid attention to by the state.
- 349 Pending bills shown in OMMAS have been reduced by the state and state has been asked to reconcile the details.

Recommendation of the Committee:

- Details of the habitations benefitted by PMGSY to be uploaded on OMMAS by **25th December, 2017.**
- Empowered Committee Meeting is scheduled on the 21st of December, 2017.

(The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair)