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Subject : Summary of Discussions held with the States through Video Conference on 28th August 2017 to review the progress of Implementation of Geographical Information System (GIS) under PMGSY for 5 states (Assam, Haryana, Meghalaya, Nagaland & West Bengal)

The undersigned is directed to enclose herewith a copy of the Summary of Discussions held in the meeting to review the progress of Implementation of Geographical Information System(GIS) under PMGSY on 28th August, 2017.

2. The concerned State Governments and CDAC are requested to take further necessary action.


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1. To Principal Secretaries dealing with PMGSY of respective States.
2. The CEO/Chief Engineer/Empowered Officer of respective States.
3. Shri Sajeevan, Joint Director, CDAC
4. All Directors in RC Division and NRRDA

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A review meeting, through VC, to assess the current status of the Implementation of GIS for PMGSY, was held on 28th August, 2017 at Unnati Hall, MoRD, New Delhi. The progress was reviewed by the Director (RC), MoRD and Director-P-I (P-II in charge), NRRDA. The GIS Team from C-DAC and the representatives from 5 States namely Assam, Meghalaya, West Bengal, Nagaland & Haryana were present in the VC.

2. Director (RC), MoRD while welcoming the participating States informed the states that the GIS project is one of the top priority items of the Ministry and also outlined the importance of the project and emphasized the need for launch of the project as per the timeline i.e, January, 2018 as per the MoU between NRRDA and CDAC, which was signed on 27.10.2015. He also briefly explained the States various discussions and decisions taken in the meeting chaired by Secretary RD to review the status of implementation of GIS on 18.08.2017 for 15 states and impressed upon the States to take follow up action on the deliverables (the minutes of the meeting has been already shared with all the states). The State were also informed that the Ministry intends to hold a soft launch of the web GIS for 6-10 States (which are completely ready with their State data) in the month of October 2017.

3. After due deliberation, the following timelines have been set for the States and C-DAC as agreed to by them for various deliverables for the implementation of the project.

Sl. No.	State	Present Status of Implementation	Issues discussed	Time limit		
				State		C-DAC
				Pilot Block	Entire State Data	
1	Nagaland	State informed that Pilot Block data submitted to C-DAC and comments of C-DAC (QC) has been sent to the State. (OMMAS IDs not assigned)	The state is required to submit the corrected data to C-DAC with IDs.	11 th Sep. 2017	31 st Dec. 2017	C-DAC to conduct QC of the pilot block and revert back to the state before 15 th September 2017.
2	Assam	Pilot Block data submitted to C-DAC and comments of C-DAC (QC) has been sent to the State. (Spatial accuracy not proper)	The State informed that the services of the GIS consultant who has been engaged for carrying out the GIS of all the roads in	15 th Sep. 2017	State to submit action plan for submission of entire data.	C-DAC to conduct QC of the pilot block and revert back to the state before 20 th September 2017.

			<p>the state is being utilised for PMGSY also.</p> <p>State informed that the consultant has quoted a total sum of Rs.112 lakhs as against the sanction of Rs.41.86 lakhs by NRRDA.</p> <p>The state was advised to first carry out the corrections in the pilot block and concurrently to submit a proposal to NRRDA with detailed justification for additional funds. The issue will be discussed during RRM on 05.09.2017.</p>			
3	Haryana	The State has submitted the entire State GIS data to C-DAC.	In case if there are minor corrections then the state will do it in-house (as the GIS consultant is discontinued after March 2017).	Completed	Completed	C-DAC to ensure that the data is ready for hosting by 15.09.2017.
4	West Bengal	The state has identified a GIS consultant for carrying out digitisation of the pilot block only on	The state informed that Barasat-1 in North 24-Parganas has been identified as	25 th Sep. 2017	State to submit action plan for submission of entire data.	C-DAC to guide/brief the new GIS team in the state to ensure progress.

		25.08.2017 and as such the state is yet to commence the GIS work.	the pilot block. The state informed that additional funding is required to complete the GIS work for the entire state. The state was requested to send proposal in this regard to NRRDA with detailed justification for additional funds.			
5	Meghalaya	Pilot Block data submitted to C-DAC and comments of C-DAC (QC) has been sent to the state.	The state informed that the GIS data in respect of all the 39 blocks in the state has been digitised and the work is being done by the in-house GIS team.	15 th Sep. 2017	15 th Dec. 2017	C-DAC to conduct QC of the pilot block and revert back to the state before 20 th September 2017.

4. It was observed that except Haryana, the other 4 states are much behind the schedule and particularly West Bengal and Assam. The GIS nodal officers and the GIS consultants in all these 4 States were asked to be in constant touch with the GIS team in C-DAC and to jointly work to expedite the process. C-DAC was also requested to constantly monitor the progress of these states and to bring to the notice of NRRDA in case of any issues requiring intervention.

5. It was also informed that the status would further be reviewed in all the RRM's with the participating States and also through VC at regional basis.

6. The Meeting ended with vote of thanks to all.

