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झारखण्ड मंत्रालय, नेपाल हाउस,  
डोरण्डा, राँची-834002

DO letter No.....19.5/11.310

Ranchi dated.....28.10.2024

Dear...Dr. Kaninika Mitra,

Sub: **Implementation status of power delegated by DWSD to PRI & ULB and other department- School Education, Health & Family planning etc.**

Ref: **DWSD letter No; 891 dt 24.07.2024.**

Sir,

This is relevant to note that UNICEF is playing an important role in the assisting the DWSD for Swachh Bharat (ODF, ODF+) and Jal Jivan Mission. There may be some studies conducted on these aspects by Unicef or other agencies. The role of PRI is very important in the implementation of these schemes/activities. SFC request to get assistance of UNICEF's input on following points:-

- (i) Based on UNICEF's field experience please shared views on Implementation status of delegated power to PRI & ULB by the DWSD, Govt. of Jharlhand.
- (ii) UNICER's views on Awareness level of PRI about these delegated power by the DWSD.
- (iii) Are these DWSD notifications related to PRI & ULB are part of training of the PRI?
- (iv) Are GPDP schemes related to these activities are being included in the budget of DWSD? If yes, what is percentage of schemes do get place in the department budget and being implemented.
- (v) If there are gaps exist, what are the suggestive ways to reduce the gaps for better output?

Note: GPDP schemes are prepared since 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct of any financial year and these selected schemes are likely to be included in next year of Annual Financial Budget of the concerned departments. (Example GPDP it has prepared schemes in FY 2024-25 and these schemes are to be included in the annual budget of the concerned departments of FY 2025-26. (Department of Panchayati Raj had issued notification vide letter No;47 dated 09-01-2023 in relation to GPDP)

2. SFC also request to get information about the better coordinated efforts between the Department - PRI and outcome in any other state of the 5<sup>th</sup> schedule state vis-a vis Jharkhand. Note: (5<sup>th</sup> schedule states are Jharkhand, Orissa, Chatisgarh, MP, Telangana, Andhra Pradesh, Maharastra, Gujrat & HP).

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3. The ODF and ODF+ activities are being implemented by the respective departments in their administrative area, e.g. School Education & Literacy, Social Welfare, Health, Panchayati Raj and Revenue etc. SFC has visited some GP and this come to notice that in the school and Anganbadis - toilet and other related activities are being mostly financed under 15<sup>th</sup> FC grant by GP as informed by the Mukhiyas. The knowledge about the departmental resource are not being made available to GPs by the concerned local authorities of the concerned departments. Kindly suggests for better way of co ordination to avoid duplication or ensure better synergy among the all stake holders to produce better outcome.
4. Kindly provide an overview about status of ODF, ODF+ and Jal Jeevan Mission under different studies conducted by different agencies based study be conducted by the UNICEF in the state may be brought.
5. How it has being done to evaluate or declare any model GP /Block/District, it cannot be a simple activities above mentioned as 100% saturated under the said activities and how to ensure the sustainability of these activities?
6. Please also provide inputs on climate resilient actions in JJM and SBM (G) in the respective GP/Block/District.
7. Does SFC require to make any recommendation for the sustainability of these programme?

**Letter in ref. enclosed.**

*with best wishes,*

Your sincerely,

*A.P.*  
*25/10/2024*  
**(A.P.Singh)**

To,

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