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New Delhi, Dated the 9 July, 2020

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Monthly Summary on principal activities for the Cabinet for the month of May, 2020.

The undersigned is directed to forward herewith a copy of the unclassified Monthly Summary on principal activities of Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs, for the month of May, 2020.

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1. All Members of the Council of Ministers

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Monthly summary on the principal activities of Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs for the month of May, 2020.

I. Swachh Bharat Mission

i. On Swachh Bharat Helpline (1969), for all issues related to Swachh Bharat, 5.40 lakh calls have been answered with an average handling time of 1 minute 28 seconds.

ii. A total of 4,324 cities/ towns have been declared as ODF (Open Defecation Free), 1,306 cities have been certified as ODF+ and 489 cities have been certified as ODF++. An ODF++ city requires to achieve sanitation sustainability by addressing complete sanitation, including safe containment, processing and disposal of faecal sludge and septage.

iii. 60,000 toilet across 2,800+ cities are live on Google Maps with the name of "SBM Toilet" covering 55% of urban population.

iv. 270 cities have been registered on Swachh Nagar Mobile App so far. This app helps in effective waste management of a city like monitoring, collection of segregated waste, tracking the movement of waste vehicles etc.

v. As on date 9,700 Garbage Vulnerable Points (GVP) have been mapped, out of which 1,235 are being monitored. 390 cities comprising of 2,349 active wards are using this module. The Swachh Survekshan 2020 has a dedicated indicator on monitoring and transformation of GVPs.

vi. The result of the Star Rating of Garbage Free Cities for the assessment year 2019-2020 have been announced by Minister of State (I/C) for Housing and Urban Affairs on 19 May 2020 at National Media Centre, New Delhi. The number of cities with 5 Star Certification is 6, 3 Star Certification is 65 and 1 Star Certification is 70 under Star Rating Protocol for Garbage Free Cities.

The Ministry also launched the revised protocol for Star Rating of Garbage Free Cities at the event. After declaration of all Urban India as ODF, focus of SBM is now on sustaining ODF Town/Cities rather than counting toilets and complete the value chain of Sanitation holistically, through the ODF+/ODFF++ and Water plus protocols.

vii. Under Swachh Manch, 4,000 Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) are involved by posting of 1,52,690 events with more than 7.16 crore citizen's participation.

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viii. In order to help individuals and organisations to cope up during these difficult times, Isha Foundation in collaboration with MoHUA, has organized a series of webinar based interaction of Sadhguru with State Government officials and Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) on 08 May 2020. An hour long webinar titled 'With Sadhguru in Challenging Times: Interaction with Swachhata Warriors' featured insights from Sadhguru, and interactions with some select ULB officials and sanitary workers, thus inspiring everyone to overcome the crisis and move forward with renewed vigour.

ix. The MoHUA has developed a range of communication and awareness materials and disseminated the same to States and cities. MoHUA has also run dedicated social media campaigns on its official social media properties. Some of these campaigns include:

- International Labour Day (1 May 2020)
- Zara Socho' Campaign.
- 'Kahin Bhule Toh Nahi' Campaign.

II. Smart Cities Mission (SCM)

- i. During the month work has been completed in 28 projects worth Rs. 138 crore. Work has been started for 64 projects worth Rs. 645 crore and tenders were issued for 88 projects worth Rs. 1,508 crore. Total of 4,617 projects worth Rs. 1,64,545 crore were tendered. Work orders have been issued for 3,761 projects worth Rs.1,23,757 crore , out of which 1,614 projects worth Rs. 26,755 crore have been completed.
- ii. Smart Cities Mission (SCM) launched a webinar series titled 'Connect.Learn.Build' for knowledge sharing among the 100 Smart Cities. Webinars are being held on different topics like safe distancing protocols, public transport safe operating procedures, urban sanitation, public bike sharing, public-private-partnership, cybersecurity, COVID war room etc. The webinars are intended to support capacity building of the SPV officials and PMC staff working in the Smart Cities.
- iii. World Economic Forum's Centre for the Fourth Industrial Revolution and Smart Cities Mission conducted a Global webinar that brought Administrators from all across India together with global networks of cities. The panelists shared technological interventions and technology governance insights that have been effective in flattening the curve. Keynote address was given by Minister of State (IC), Housing and Urban Affairs and Secretary, Housing and Urban Affairs, Government of India.
- iv. SCM conducted three brainstorming sessions with the 100 Smart Cities across 19th, 20th and 21st of May 2020 to come out with ideas to restart/ expedite projects which have been stalled due to COVID-19.

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III. Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT)

- i. State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs) to the tune of Rs. 77,640 crore have been finalised for all the States. Detailed Project Reports (DPRs) have been approved for the projects costing Rs. 80,943 crore. Some States have taken up projects in excess of their approved SAAPs. Entire excess amount in such cases will be borne by the States/ULBs. Works have been completed for 2,649 projects worth Rs. 10,507 crore, contracts have been awarded and work in progress for 2,720 projects worth Rs. 64,387 crore. 242 projects worth Rs. 4,421 crore are under tendering and DPRs worth Rs. 2,739 crore are under preparation.
- ii. So far, Rs. 26,326 crore has been released to States/UTs towards project implementation including the eligible projects of erstwhile JnNURM, Administrative & Office Expenses (A&OE), Reform Incentive and for formulation of GIS based Master Plans & Local Area Plan (LAP) and Town Planning Schemes (TPS).

IV. Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana / National Urban Livelihood Mission (DAY/NULM)

- i. 521 Self Help Groups (SHGs) were formed, 1,129 SHGs were given Revolving Fund, 204 candidates were skill trained and certified, 707 trained candidates were given placement, 539 beneficiaries were assisted with loans for setting up of individual and micro enterprises and 554 loans were given to SHGs under SHG-Bank linkage programme.
- ii. The Hon'ble Finance Minister, on May 14, 2020 announced about the launch of a scheme to facilitate affordable credit to the Street Vendors, who are amongst the most adversely impacted by lockdowns due to COVID-19 pandemic, for enabling them to restart their business. Accordingly, approval was accorded to the PM Street Vendors Atma Nirbhar Nidhi (PM SVANidhi) on May 28, 2020. This Scheme envisage an initial working capital loan upto Rs. 10,000/- for each street vendor from urban/peri-urban/developmental rural areas, vending in the city. It will be implemented up to March 2022. through an integrated IT Platform, providing end to end solution to all stakeholders. Scheme also promotes timely repayments of loan and digital transactions through monetary incentives.
- iii. A Video Conferencing (VC) under the Chairmanship of Secretary (HUA) held with Pr. Secretaries (UD) of all States/UTs to deliberate on scheme of micro-credit facility for the street vendors.

V. Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (PMAY)/Housing for All (HFA)

- i. A total of Rs. 1278.56 crore has been released during the month.
- ii. Since the inception of the Mission, it has achieved milestone of sanctioning more than 1.05 crore houses against the validated demand of 1.12 crore houses. 64.80 lakh houses have been grounded for construction of which 34.20 lakh houses have been completed/delivered.

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VI. Housing

- i. 31 States/ UTs have notified rules under RERA; 2 North Eastern States namely Nagaland and Sikkim are under process to notify the rules under RERA.
- ii. 30 States/UTs have set up Real Estate Regulatory Authority (Regular - 24, Interim - 06).
- iii. 24 States/UTs have set up Real Estate Appellate Tribunal (Regular -16, Interim - 08).
- iv. Regulatory Authorities of 25 States/UTs have operationalised their websites under the provisions of RERA.
- v. So far, 47,627 complaints(including 1469 compliants during the month) have been disposed of by the Real Estate Regulatory Authorities across the country
- vi. So far, 52,307 projects and 40,657 agents have been registered under RERA. 374 projects and 162 agents have been registered in month of May, 2020 across the country.
