Monthly summary on the principal activities of Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs for the month of October, 2022

I. Indian Urban Housing Conclave 2022, Rajkot, Gujarat

- i. The Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs, Government of India organized a three-day event namely 'Indian Urban Housing Conclave-2022' (IUHC 2022) from 19-21 October 2022 at Shastri Maidan, Rajkot, Gujarat which was inaugurated by Hon'ble Prime Minister. The event consisted of multiple activities including inauguration of Light House Project (LHP) at Rajkot, Gujarat by Hon'ble Prime Minister on 19.10.2022 and handling over houses to the beneficiaries. During the event various publications, compendium and the books prepared by the Ministry were released. To recognize the outstanding contribution by States, UTs & ULBs, felicitation through PMAY(U) Awards 2021 was also held. The Award for the Best Performing States were given by Hon'ble Prime Minister and remaining by Hon'ble Minister of Housing & Urban Affairs. The event was organized in physical as well as virtual mode with webcasting and live streaming. The event also consisted of following components as under
 - National Exhibition on Innovative Construction Practices
 - Exhibition on transformative Urban Missions of MoHUA
 - Exhibition on best practices by States/UTs under PMAY-U
 - Three days deliberations on Affordable Housing Discourses
- ii. The Conclave has been planned to help devise strategies, action plan and roadmap for achieving the vision of "Future Ready Urban India" as well as help in widening the horizon and bringing technology transition in construction sector for sustainable development.

II. Swachh Bharat Mission

- i. All 4,715 cities/ towns have been declared as ODF (Open Defecation Free) of which 4,355 cities have been certified through third party verification, 3,547 cities have been certified as ODF+, 1191 cities have been certified as ODF++ and 14 cities (Indore, Surat, New Delhi Municipal Council (NDMC), Tirupati, Chandigarh, Navi Mumbai, Vijayawada, Hyderabad, Greater Visakhapatnam, Karad, Panchgani, Bhopal, Baramati and Mysore) have been certified as Water+.
- 67,407 toilets across more than 3,326 cities are live on Google Maps with the name of "SBM Toilet".
- iii. Swachhata App emerged as an important tool towards enabling citizens to have their grievances addressed by the concerned Municipal Corporation. The Swachhata App has a total of 2.08 crore users, who have posted 2.55 crore complaints, of which 2.39 crore complaints have been resolved, with a resolution of above 94%.

- iv. The number of cities with 7-Star Certification is 1, 5-Star Certification is 11, 3-Star Certification is 199 and 1-Star Certification is 234 under Star Rating Protocol for Garbage Free Cities(GFC). In order to make at least every city 3 Star, by the end of SBM 2.0 and also, to ensure that more and more cities are certified under GFC, it is proposed to conduct the GFC assessment on quarterly basis. In this regard, for this quarter the application window for the ULBs to apply for GFC certification will be opened on the Swachhatam Portal from 15th Nov' 2022 onwards.
- v. Over 75 lakh students from nearly 45,000 schools from across India took part in the in what may be termed a massive awareness campaign on segregating wet and dry waste at source initiated by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA) towards achieving the goal of garbage-free cities. In addition, citizens, community groups, and organizations participated enthusiastically in this campaign led by their city's urban local bodies, the municipal corporations. The campaign titled "Swachhata ke Do Rang" (two colours of cleanliness), with "HaraGeelaSookhaNeela" (green bin for wet waste and blue bin for dry waste) as the campaign's call to action, stressed on minimum two-bin segregation at source.

III. Smart Cities Mission (SCM)

- i. During the month 198 projects worth ₹ 8,858 crore have been completed, work has been started on 39 projects worth ₹ 2,731 crore. So far 7,714 projects worth ₹1,81,846 crore have been grounded and 4,868 projects worth ₹ 91,462 crore have been completed.
- ii. On the eve of the 75th Anniversary of Independence, Integrated Command and Control Centers (ICCC) were operationalized in all the 100 Smart Cities under the Smart Cities Mission (SCM). ICCCs will improve city management, integrate municipal service delivery, create better situational awareness, enhance efficiency of urban service delivery and ensure data-driven governance in an inclusive and sustainable manner.
- iii. 'Open Streets Campaign' was launched on India's 75th Anniversary of Independence in all the Smart Cities. Open Streets Campaign is a recurring event that aims to reimagine streets as safe, happy, and healthy public spaces by opening up streets to play games, exercise and socialize with friends...
- iv. SCM conducted a workshop on Data Initiatives launched by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA). Delegates from NITI Aayog and UNICEF attended the workshop held at the Indian Urban Observatory (IUO) at MoHUA.
- v. The second Orientation Workshop for Urban Outcomes Framework 2022 (UOF 2022) was organized at Pune Smart City. All 100 Smart Cities were invited to participate in this one-day workshop. UOF 2022 aims to create a cross-sectoral urban data bank based on city outcomes.

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

- i. State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs) have been finalized for all the states for ₹77,640 crore. As on date, Detailed Project Reports (DPRs) have been approved for the projects costing ₹82,903 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 4,626 projects worth ₹32,372 crore and work is in progress for 1,246 projects worth ₹50,121 crore. In all, physical work worth about ₹65,819 crore has been carried out in completed/ongoing AMRUT projects implying that around 85% of physical work has been completed.
- ii. So far, ₹37,493 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 under subschemes on 'Formulation of GIS based Master Plans in AMRUT cities' and 'Local Area Plan (LAP) and Town Planning Schemes (TPS)' in 25 selected cities.
- iii. MoHUA conducted 'Training workshops on Toolkit and Portal of Pey Jal Survekshan' with all States/UTs from 11th to 18th October 2022.

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

- i. 7,066 Self Help Groups (SHGs) have been formed; 6,440 SHGs were given Revolving Fund; 21,247 candidates were skill trained and certified; 5,229 trained candidates were given placement; 5,769 beneficiaries were assisted with loans for setting up of individual and micro enterprises and 12,699 loans were given to SHGs under SHG-Bank linkage programme.
- ii. A total of ₹25.32 crore have been released under the mission during the month.

VI. PM Street Vendor's AtmaNirbhar Nidhi (PMSVANidhi)

- Under PM Street Vendor's AtmaNirbhar Nidhi (PMSVANidhi), 57,16,908 applications have been received against which 40,97,773 sanctions and 36,54,561 disbursals have been made.
- ii. A total of ₹5.957 crore have been released under the mission during the month.

VII. Pradan Mantri Awas Yojana (PMAY)/Housing for All (HFA)

- Since the inception, Mission has sanctioned 1.23 crore houses of which 105.32 lakh houses have been grounded for construction of which 64.33 lakh houses have been completed/delivered.
- ii. A total of ₹163.72 crore have been released under the PMAY mission during the month of October, 2022.

VIII. Housing

- All States/ UTs have notified rules under RERA except Nagaland, which is under process to notify the rules.
- 31 States/UTs have set up Real Estate Regulatory Authority (Regular 25, Interim - 06). Ladakh, Meghalaya, Sikkim & West Bengal have notified the rules while yet to establish authority.
- iii. 28 States/UTs have set up Real Estate Appellate Tribunal (Regular -24, Interim 04).
- iv. Regulatory Authorities of 28 States/UTs have operationalized their websites under the provisions of RERA.
- v. So far, 1,01,599 complaints (including 1,412 complaints during the month) have been disposed of by the Real Estate Regulatory Authorities across the country
- vi. So far, 92,515 projects and 70,602 agents have been registered under RERA. 1,231 projects and 1,384 agents have been registered during the month.
