K-16014/1/2015-SC-IV Government of India Ministry of Urban Development

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi Dated: 20th August, 2015

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Constitution of Apex Committee at National level to monitor the Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT)

In pursuance of Para 10.1 of AMRUT Guidelines, the Apex Committee (AC) is hereby constituted for approval of proposals for AMRUT, to monitor their progress and release of funds under AMRUT, as under:

Secretary (UD)	Chairman
Secretary(Department of Expenditure)	Member
Secretary(Department of Economic Affairs)	Member
Principal Advisor(HUD), NITI Ayog	Member
Secretary (Drinking Water & Sanitation)	Member
Secretary(Ministry of HUPA)	Member
Secretary (Environment & Forest)	Member
Joint Secretary & FA, MoUD	Member
OSD(UT), MoUD	Member
Adviser(CPHEEO)	Member
TCPO	Member
Director, NIUA	Member
Mission Director (MoUD)	Member Secretary
	Secretary(Department of Expenditure) Secretary(Department of Economic Affairs) Principal Advisor(HUD), NITI Ayog Secretary (Drinking Water & Sanitation) Secretary(Ministry of HUPA) Secretary (Environment & Forest) Joint Secretary & FA, MoUD OSD(UT), MoUD Adviser(CPHEEO) TCPO Director, NIUA

The Apex Committee may co-opt any representative from any Government Department or organisation as Member or invite any expert to participate in its deliberations.

- 2. The Apex Committee will provide overall guidance and play an advisory role to the Mission. Apex Committee will meet according to requirements but at least once in three months. Its key responsibilities in terms of para 10.1 of the AMRUT guidelines are as under:
 - i. Approve the SAAP submitted by the State High Powered Steering Committee, including the Annual Comprehensive Action Plan for Capacity Building of States, the Reform roadmap in the SAAP.
 - ii. Allocate and release funds to the States/UTs/Mission Directorate.
 - iii. Overall monitoring and supervision of the Mission.
 - iv. Advise the State/UT/implementing agencies on innovative ways for resource mobilization, private financing and land leveraging.
 - v. Confirm appointment of organisations, institutions or agencies for third party monitoring (IRMA).
 - vi. The Apex Committee may delegate, as it considers appropriate, some of the functions within prescribed limits to the Mission Director for ensuring speedy implementation of the Mission.
 - vii. Formulate the threshold of physical progress of project at which to release funds to the States.

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3. Additional Secretary (Smart Cities) will be National Mission Director. He will be the overall in-charge of all activities related to the Mission. The Mission Directorate will take support from subject matter experts and such staff, as considered necessary. The National Mission Director will be the Member Secretary in the Apex Committee.

(Shiv Pal Singh)
Director (Smart Cities-IV)

To

- 1. Secretary, Ministry of Urban Development
- 2. Secretary, Housing and Poverty Alleviation
- 3. Secretary (Expenditure)
- 4. Secretary(DEA)
- 5. Principal Advisor(HUD), NITI Aayog
- 6. Secretary(Drinking Water & Sanitation)
- 7. Secretary (Environment & Forest)
- 8. Joint Secretary & Financial Advisor, MoUD
- 9. OSD(UT), MoUD
- 10. Adviser(CPHEEO)
- 11. Director, National Institute of Urban Affairs
- 12. Chief Planner, Town and Country Planning
- 13. Selected Principal Secretaries of States
- 14. Mission Director

Copy also forwarded to:-

- 1. All Chief Secretaries / Administrators of State/UTs
- 2. AS (UD), MoUD
- 3. All JS, MoUD/ All JS (MoHUPA)
- 4. All Director, MoUD/MoHUPA
- 5. All Under Secretaries (Smart Cities Division), MoUD.
- 6. Sr. Technical Director, NIC, with request to upload on the website of AMRUT.