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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Monthly Summary of important activities of Department of Land Resources during July, 2020 -reg.

The undersigned is directed to refer to Communication No.1/26/1/2018-Cab. dated 17.08.2018 and 11.10.2018 from Cabinet Secretariat on the above cited subject and to circulate herewith the copy of unclassified portion of the monthly summary of activities of Department of Land Resources for the month of July, 2020.

Encl: As above

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Monthly Summary of principal activities and important decisions taken by the Department of Land Resources during July, 2020

A document on 'Best Practices' under Digital India Land Records Modernization Programme (DILRMP) was released on 31.07.2020 by Hon'ble Minister of Rural Development & Agriculture and Farmer Welfare in the presence of major States participated through Video Conference.

A meeting of National Monitoring Committee (NMC) under the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement (RFCTLAAR) Act, 2013 and National Rehabilitation and Resettlement Policy (NRRP), 2007 was held on 24.7.2020 under the Chairmanship of Secretary (LR).

A Video Conference was held by Project Sanctioning and Monitoring Committee (PS&MC) on 15.7.2020 at 11.00 AM under the Chairmanship of Secretary (LR) wherein Project proposals of NIC, Sikkim, Tamil Nadu, UP and Tripura amounting to more than Rs.23.00 Crore was considered.

A Video Conference was held by the Department on 15.7.2020 at 3.30 PM regarding "identifying best practices and devising action plan to improve India ranking in Global Competitiveness Index (GCI) and Ease of Doing Business (EoDB)".

Secretary(LR) vide his D.O letter dated 23.07.2020 has requested Secretary, Department of Expenditure to consider the World Bank Assisted Project "Rejuvenating Watersheds for Agricultural Resilience through Innovative Development (REWARD)" for exemption for formulation of Scheme with reference to their guidelines dated 04.06.20 regarding suspension of appraisal and approval of all public funded scheme for the FY 2020-21.

Under Watershed Development Component of the Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (WDC-PMKSY), 4202 watershed development projects have been completed till date out of the total 6382 {8214 (sanctioned) - 1832 (transferred to States)}. Rs.65.51 crore against the Budget Allocation of Rs.2000 crore has been released in July, 2020 during FY 2020-21. Under Digital India Land Records Modernization Programme (DILRMP), Rs.11.62 crore against the Budget Allocation of Rs.238.65 crore has been released in July, 2020 during FY 2020-21.
