

GOVT. OF HIMACHAL PRADESH
DEPARTMENT OF IRRIGATION & PUBLIC HEALTH

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To

The Chief Engineer,
Shimla, Mandi, Hamipur &
Dharamshala Zones,
IPH Department, H.P.

Subject:- Target and achievements of National Rural Drinking Water Program (NRDWP).

It has been noticed that against the previous fixed targets of habitations 2074, the achievement as on 29.02.2016 is only 1536 habitations; however, revised target given by Govt. of India is 1115 habitations.

During the year 2015-16, while making action plan for fixing the targets, all the Chief Engineers/Superintending Engineers were told that Govt. of India has given priority to cover habitation falling under 0-25 and 25-50 coverage category.

Also during SLCC meeting held on 26.11.2015, the matter was discussed in detail, where worthy chairman has taken a serious view for not following the Govt. of India instruction in true spirit which may result in reduction of funds from Govt. of India.

It has also been noticed that efforts are not being made at all level for completing the schemes within the construction period taken in the estimates resulting into awkward position of the state.

As per IMIS data, out of 478 ongoing schemes, 18 schemes are more than 10 years old, 39 between 5 to 10 years old and 59 are between 3 to 5 years old.

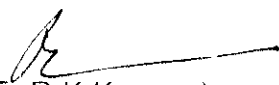
The above figures clearly indicate that various Zones/Circles/Divisions are not sticking to completion schedule of the schemes. Therefore, it has been decided that while allocating funds under NRDWP, the waitage will be given as per coverage category for achievement to be made meaning 1st priority will be given to 0-25 then 25-50 category and so on as per directions of the Govt. of India.

As per guidelines of Govt. of India, 279 habitations falling in the category of 0-25 should have been completed in the year 2015-16; whereas as per online IMIS data, 213 habitations are still pending in 0-25 category and 2506 habitations are uncovered under 25-50 category @ 40 LPCD. The number of habitations falling in this category will be covered only if we follow the coverage criteria.

Therefore, it is requested to ensure that during 2016-17 all the habitations falling in the category of 0-25 be completed. However, Zones/Circles/Divisions will 1st cover 0-25 category @ 40 LPCD and then 25-50 and if no habitation available for particular division, then they will go for next category.


Please ensure that instructions of Govt. of India be followed strictly and all allocations under NRDWP will be made according to the guidelines of Govt. of India.

Receipt of this letter may please be acknowledged.


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1. The Secretary(IPH)to the Govt. of H.P. for information please.
2. The Chief Engineer(D&M) for information please.
3. The Asstt.Controller(F&A) of this office with the direction to ensure allocation of funds strictly as per instructions of Govt. of India.
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