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To

- (3) The Commissioners,
Corporations of Kolkata / Chennai / Delhi
- (4) All District Collectors/District Magistrates/ Deputy Commissioners

Subject: Provision to recommend construction of individual toilets under MPLAD Scheme.

Sir/Madam,

Reference has been received in the Ministry seeking clarification as to whether MPLADS funds can be used for construction of individual toilets.

2. The matter has been examined carefully and it is clarified that as per existing Guidelines, construction of public toilets and bathrooms are permissible under MPLADS but 'assets for individual / family benefits' are prohibited. Therefore, construction of toilets for individuals is not permissible.

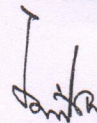
3. However, para 3.18 of the Guidelines on MPLADS provides as follows:

"The MPs may recommend augmentation by certain amount out of his MPLADS funds in a Centrally Sponsored Scheme against Central plus State share indicating the geographical area where to be implemented and the amount recommended, but will not be permitted to indicate the beneficiaries, which will continue to be as per any prior list / priority list / already drawn up by the District Authority, and the list would not require a change on the request of the MP."

4. This implies that MPs may recommend funds for augmentation of funds for Schemes such as 'Swachh Bharat Abhiyan' which provide for construction of individual toilets, subject to provisions contained in para 3.17 and 3.18 of the Guidelines on MPLADS.

5. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully,



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