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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Monthly summary of principal activities undertaken and important decisions taken during the month of January, 2020 in respect of Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region.

The undersigned is directed to refer to Cabinet Secretariat's D.O. letter No.1/26/2018-Cab. dated 30th May, 2018 from Shri Rajesh Bhushan, Additional Secretary, Cabinet Secretariat on the subject mentioned above.

2. The monthly summary pertaining to the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region for the month of January , 2020 is hereby circulated for information.

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Encl. As above.

To

All Members of the Council of Ministers.

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Monthly summary of principal activities of and important decisions taken in the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region during the month of January, 2020.

1.0 Principal activities and the important decisions:

1.1 Hon'ble MoS(IC), M/o DoNER took a review meeting on 29th January, 2020 with officers of the Ministry, North Eastern Council and organizations under the administrative control of MDoNER.

1.2 Hon'ble MoS(IC), M/o DoNER alongwith Hon'ble LG of J&K inaugurated a Bamboo Workshop-cum-exhibition on 11.01.2020 at Jammu. This workshop was organized jointly by NEC and J&K administration on 11 and 12 January 2020 at Jammu.

1.3 Third Quarterly (FY 2019-20) Review Meeting on mandatory allocation and utilization under 10% GBS of non-exempted Ministries/Departments chaired by Secretary, Ministry of DoNER was held on 16.1.2020 at 9.30 a.m. Ministries / Departments, especially those whose utilisation of 10% GBS was low, were advised to regularly monitor the implementation status and take all requisite steps to ensure full utilisation of earmarked resources for NER. Ministries/Departments were also advised to send requisite proposals for additional fund requirement under re-appropriation mechanism.

1.4 A total of Rs 3567.24 Lakh was released by NEC for various projects under various sectors that include (i) Irrigation & Flood Control Sector: Rs 119.00 Lakh as final installment for 1 ongoing project (ii) T&C Sector : Rs 3364 lakh was released to 2 projects under NERSDS (iii) Medical & Health Sector : Rs 84.24 Lakh was released as 3rd and final installment for 1 ongoing project .

1.5 Rs 522.35 Lakh against 2 projects , namely, Construction of 2x2.5 MVA, 33/11 KV S/s at P&E complex with associated 33 KV lines in the heart of Lawngtlai Town, Mizoram, and Construction of districts sports complex at Udaipur, in Tripura under North East Special infrastructure Scheme (NESIDS) ; and Rs. 10 Lakh against Construction of building for 52 Anganwadi centres with one toilet and rain water harvesting in Chandel District under Non-Lapsable Central Pool of Resources –State(NLCPR-State) Scheme was released by the Ministry to NE States .

1.6 Sanctions have been accorded for release of Rs. 5.39 Crores under North Eastern States Roads Investment Programme (NESRIP) for the road projects in Tripura - Udaipur(NH44) to Melaghar (20.3 km); Assam – Tamulpur to Paneri (AS-02) and Paneri to Udalguri (AS-03) and 5 major bridges (61.6 km).

1.7 Secretary MDoNER chaired a meeting on 07.01.2020 to review the implementation of various programmes in the 14 Aspirational Districts of NER. Deputy Commissioners of concerned districts and state government representatives attended the meeting over VC. Some Central Prabhari Officers were also present.

1.8 MDoNER furnished its support to the following Externally Aided Projects:

- (i) Meghalaya Health Systems Strengthening Project with a total project cost of Rs. 352 Crores with World Bank assistance.
- (ii) Assam Urban Infrastructure Investment Program II with a total project cost of Rs. 2083.59 Crores with assistance from ADB.
- (iii) Infrastructure Development of Industrial Estate under TIDC Ltd. , Tripura Govt. with a total project cost of Rs. 406.7 Crores with assistance from ADB.

1.9 Two SFC/DIB/IMC were held on 08.01.2020 & 27.01.2020 under the Chairmanship of Secretary, DoNER to consider the projects under 'Schemes of NEC' and 'NERSDS' and following projects were considered and appraised by the SFC under NERSDS:

- (a) "Rehabilitation and upgradation of Mirem-Mikong-Janai Road in Arunachal Pradesh (Length 15.568 km) for an estimated amount of **Rs.42.27 crore**".
- (b) "Improvement of Mawshynrut Hahim Boko road in Assam 14.60 km under NERSDS Scheme of NEC for an estimated amount of **Rs.25.93 crore**"
- (c) Construction of Margherita-Deomali Road (29.16 km) in Arunachal Pradesh at an estimated cost of **Rs.43.57 cr.** under NERSDS
- (d) Extension to NERCORMP Phase -III for one more year or till the new restructured Scheme of Livelihood, namely ,North East Agri Horticulture and Economic Development Project (NEAHEDP) gets approved, whichever is earlier with an estimated cost of Rs. 50 Crore.

1.10 SFC/IMC meeting (VC) on "Tele-education project-Establishment of smart virtual classrooms in Aspirational Districts of NER" held on 23.01.2020 under the Chairmanship of Secretary, NEC wherein the cited project was approved by the SFC for an estimated cost of **Rs.8.79 crore**.

1.11 Meetings /Visits

- (i) Secretary DoNER chaired a meeting on 27.01.2020 to review the implementation status of five key sectors – Bamboo, Tea, Animal Husbandry, Pisciculture & Tourism identified by NITI Forum on North East. Chief Secretaries, along with, Principal Secretaries of North Eastern States attended the meeting on Video Conference, while the representatives of the concerned Ministries/Departments attended the meeting in the Committee Room of Ministry of DoNER.

1.12 Secretary MDoNER attended a Bamboo Workshop organised jointly by NEC and J&K administration at Jammu on 11.01.2020.
