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R.K. Puram, New Delhi-110066.

Dated: 11th November, 2024.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Minutes of the 11th Empowered Inter-Ministerial Committee (EIMC) Meeting of PM-DevINE Scheme held on 22.10.2024 at Vigyan Bhawan Annexe, New Delhi.

The undersigned is directed to refer the subject mentioned above and to forward herewith a copy of Minutes of the 11th meeting of EIMC of PM-DevINE Scheme held on 22nd October, 2024 under the Chairmanship of Secretary, Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region (MDoNER) at the Vigyan Bhawan Annexe, New Delhi, for kind information and necessary action please.

2. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

Encl: As above.



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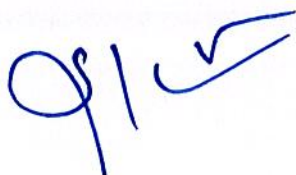
To

1. Chief Executive Officer, NITI Aayog, NITI Bhawan, Sansad Marg, New Delhi-110001.
2. Home Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs, North Block, New Delhi-110001
3. Foreign Secretary, Ministry of External Affairs, South Block, New Delhi- 110011.
4. Secretary, Department for Promotion of Industries and Internal Trade (DPIIT), New Delhi
5. Secretaries of central Ministries/ Departments (as per list attached).
6. Chief Secretaries of North Eastern States.
7. Additional Secretary & Financial Adviser, Ministry of DoNER, New Delhi-110011.
8. Secretary, North Eastern Council (NEC), Shillong, Meghalaya.
9. Joint Secretary (PM-DevINE), Ministry of DoNER, Vigyan Bhawan Annexe, New Delhi-110011.
10. Joint Secretary (Infrastructure Wing), Ministry of DoNER, Vigyan Bhawan Annexe, New Delhi-110011.

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16. Managing Director, NEHHDC
17. Director, NESAC
18. Director General, NECTAR
19. Managing Director, AMTRON, Guwahati.
20. Director, Dr D. Borooah Cancer Institute, Guwahati.
21. Managing Director, NERAMAC.

Copy for information to:

1. PS to Hon'ble Minister, Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region, New Delhi-110011.
2. APS to Hon'ble Minister of State, Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region, New Delhi-110011.
3. Sr. PPS to Secretary, Ministry of DoNER, Vigyan Bhawan Annexe, New Delhi- 110011.
4. DS, IFD/ DS(SDM) Ministry of DoNER, New Delhi.
5. Sr. Technical Director (NIC), Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region, New Delhi-110011.
6. EE, Infrastructure Wing, MDoNER.



List of Ministries/Departments

1. Ministry of Civil Aviation, New Delhi.
2. Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance.
3. Ministry of Culture, New Delhi.
4. Ministry of Corporate Affairs, New Delhi.
5. Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, New Delhi.
6. Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs, New Delhi.
7. Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises, New Delhi.
8. Ministry of Power, New Delhi.
9. Ministry of Science and Technology, New Delhi.
10. Department of Space.
11. Ministry of Textiles, New Delhi.
12. Ministry of Tourism, New Delhi.

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Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region

Minutes of the 11th Empowered Inter-Ministerial Committee (EIMC) Meeting of PM-DevINE scheme held on 22.10.2024 at Vigyan Bhawan Annexe, New Delhi.

The Eleventh meeting of the Empowered Inter-Ministerial Committee (EIMC) for the PM-DevINE scheme was held on 22nd October, 2024 at Vigyan Bhawan Annexe, New Delhi. The meeting was chaired by the Secretary, Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region (MDoNER) and aimed to deliberate on the project proposals submitted by the North Eastern States and other agencies for implementation. The meeting was attended by Chief Secretaries and Senior officials from the North Eastern States, as well as Senior Officers from concerned Central Ministries/Departments and NITI Aayog. The list of participants is at **Annexure**.

2. At the outset, Joint Secretary (PM-DevINE), MDoNER welcomed all Officers present both physically and virtually. After introductory remarks, he with the permission of the Chair started presentation wherein the agenda of the meeting was discussed beginning with confirmation of the minutes of the last EIMC meeting held on 10.9.2024, followed by scrutiny of new candidate projects/ review of ongoing projects, etc. A summary of agenda-wise discussions and decisions taken by the EIMC, is as follows:

Agenda I: Confirmation of the minutes of the last EIMC meeting:

Minutes of the 10th EIMC meeting held on 10.9.2024 were issued on 24 September, 2024. As no comments were received on the minutes, the same were considered as confirmed.

Agenda-II Action Taken Report on the decision of the last meeting:

Under PM-DevINE, DPRs of 5 project proposals were placed before 10th EIMC meeting held on 10.09.2024, out of which 2 were recommended for approval and the remaining 3 were deferred for want of documents/comments of NITI Aayog/concerned line Ministry. Concept Notes of 5 Project proposals were also placed before the EIMC in the above-mentioned meeting out of which Arunachal Pradesh withdrew their only proposal. The remaining 4 were deferred for want of documents/comments of NITI Aayog/concerned line Ministry.

Agenda III – Proposal for Approval of DPR (5 Projects)

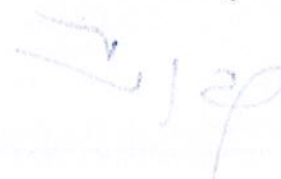
Sl.	State/ Agency	Title of the Proposed Project	Deliberations	Decision
1	Nagaland	50 Bedded Hospital at District Headquarter Peren (Rs. 50.00 Crore)	DPR was shared with M/o H&FW and NITI Aayog. M/o H&FW supported the proposal with component-	To be placed in the next EIMC meeting.

			<p>wise monetary ceilings. However, a few components were not supported by M/o H&FW</p> <p>State Govt submitted that they have submitted the point-wise reply on the observations of M/o H&FW. M/o H&FW was requested to submit their comments.</p> <p>NITI Aayog observed that cost is too high for 50 bedded hospital. State Govt. submitted that they have added some ancillary beds also to the 50 beds, therefore, the cost of construction is high.</p> <p>The State Govt. was advised to re-visit the DPR, particularly the cost component as per the observations made by NITI Aayog and MoHFW.</p>	
2	Nagaland	Multi-speciality hospital at Chumoukedima in Nagaland (Rs. 60.00 Crore)	<p>DPR was shared with NITI Aayog and MoH&FW on 11.10.2024.</p> <p>NITI Aayog and MoH&FW were requested to expedite their comments.</p>	To be placed in next EIMC
3	Sikkim	<p>Gap funding for construction of Government Medical College at Sichey, East Sikkim for Annual Intake of 100 Students (Rs. 170.00 Crore).</p> <p>[Total project cost is Rs. 555.31 crore].</p>	<p>DPR was shared with M/o H&FW and NITI Aayog.</p> <p>NITI Aayog and M/o Health & FW supported the proposal.</p> <p>In view of the limited balance outlay share for Sikkim under the scheme, it was decided that the gap funding for the project will be limited to the balance outlay share of</p>	Recommended for Approval.

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			<p>Sikkim or Rs.170 crore whichever is less.</p> <p>The State Govt agreed to bear the remaining cost.</p>	
4	IICA, M/o Corporate Affairs	Establishment of Campus of Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs (IICA) at Shillong (Rs. 100.95 Crore)	<p>DPR was shared with NITI Aayog.</p> <p>Ministry of Corporate affairs, the parent Ministry for IICA supported the proposal.</p> <p>NITI Aayog asked for more time to examine the response of IICA on their observations.</p> <p>NITI Aayog was requested to expedite their views/ comments within one week.</p>	To be placed in the next EIMC meeting.
5.	NESAC	<p>Setting up of Regional Drone Innovation Facility (RDIF) at NESAC (Rs.51.50 Crore).</p> <p>Proposal for single Stage appraisal and approval.</p>	<p>The updated Concept Note along with draft DPR was shared with NITI Aayog, M/o Civil Aviation and D/o Space.</p> <p>NESAC informed that draft DPR and updated Concept Note of the project proposal have been submitted for single stage appraisal/approval.</p> <p>NESAC stated that there are few changes in the components of the proposal and hence the approval of Deptt. of Space has been sought. NESAC assured that final DPR will be more or</p>	To be placed in next EIMC meeting.

			less same as the draft DPR and the final DPR, duly approved by D/o Space, will be submitted within 10 days. NESAC was asked to expedite submission of the final DPR to have views of NITI Aayog etc. on the same.	
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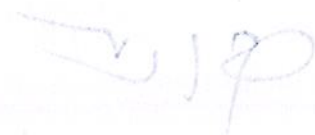
Agenda IV – Proposals for In-principle Approval (3 proposals):

Sl.	State/ Agency	Title of the Proposed Project	Deliberations	Decision
1.	Manipur	Construction of Manipur International Convention Centre, Imphal Phase-I (Rs. 167.00 Crore)	<p>Concept Note was shared with M/o Tourism, M/o Culture, MoH&UA, and NITI Aayog.</p> <p>MoH&UA, M/o Tourism and M/o Culture supported the proposal.</p> <p>NITI Aayog did not support the proposal, with certain observations.</p> <p>The Chief Secretary, Manipur stated that they will submit their reply on the observations made by NITI Aayog.</p> <p>SG was advised to expedite their response to the observations of NITI Aayog.</p>	To be placed in next EIMC meeting.
2.	Meghalaya	<p>Gap funding for Unity Mall, New Shillong Township, Umsawli, Meghalaya, (Rs. 72.93 Crore).</p> <p>[Total cost of project is Rs.205 crore].</p>	<p>Concept Note was shared with DPIIT, M/o Textiles, M/o Culture, MoH&UA and NITI Aayog.</p> <p>MoH&UA supported the proposal subject to necessary compliance for waste management by the State Govt.</p>	To be placed in next EIMC meeting.

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			<p>The Commissioner & Secretary, Meghalaya stated that the proposal if for gap funding and Tender has already been awarded and the work has started. Waste Management measures are already in place.</p> <p>MoH&UA was asked to submit their comments formally within one week.</p> <p>M/o Culture, M/o Textiles and M/o Tourism supported the proposal.</p> <p>DPIIT had asked to obtain comments of D/o Expenditure.</p> <p>Accordingly, comments of DoE were sought. DoE advised to clearly segregate the construction activities to be taken up under the 'Scheme of Special Assistance to States for Capital Investment' and PM-DevINE so that duplication is avoided.</p> <p>SG informed that there is no duplication and that they have already shared the component-wise segregation to DoE.</p> <p>Since IFD, MDoNER represented DoE in the meeting, IFD were requested to submit comments on behalf of DoE.</p>	
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			NITI Aayog supported the proposal stating that a formal communication in this regard will be sent in a week.	
3.	Meghalaya	Construction of 2 x 50 MVA, 132/33kV Substation at Mawkhan, East Khasi District, Meghalaya, along with the construction of 132kV D/C Saiseij-Mawkhan Line and GIS Bay at Saiseij Meghalaya. (Rs. 92.50 Crore)	<p>Concept Note was shared with M/o Power and NITI Aayog.</p> <p>M/o Power stated they had initially suggested to construct 2 x 25 MVA, 132/33 kV substation instead of 2 x 50 MVA, 132/33 kV substation. However, after consulting CEA, construction of 2 x 50 MVA, 132/33 kV substation at Mawkhanu, East Khasi District is considered suitable, and as such M/o Power supported the proposal.</p> <p>M/o Power was asked to furnish their comments formally within 7 days.</p> <p>NITI Aayog supported the proposal with the advice to not overrun the estimated time of 24 months, on which the SG agreed to complete the project in 24 months.</p>	To be placed in next EIMC meeting.

Agenda V – Proposal for change in scope and condonation of delay

Sl.	State / Central Agency	Title of the proposed project	Deliberations	Decision
1	BBCI	Establishment of Dedicated Services for the Management of Paediatric and Adult Haematolymphoid Cancers	It was informed that there is change in scope of project work viz. from originally sanctioned structure of G+6 floors to	Change in scope was approved with condonation of delay in award of the work.

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		<p>in North East India, Guwahati.</p> <p>Project Cost: 129.00 Crore. AFS date: 31.05.2023.</p>	<p>B+G+5 floors. Further, delay of 1 month and 12 days has also occurred in award of the work.</p> <p>BBCI informed that the floor area, services, facilities, and components of the project will remain same as sanctioned in AFS, and the cost is also same i.e. Rs.129 crore. The revised DPR has been vetted by IIT Guwahati for the safety and stability of the structure.</p> <p>Further, the services not directly related to patient treatment like mortuary etc. will now be shifted to basement. BBCI also informed that the project is progressing as per timeline and by the end of Dec, 2024 project will achieve 10 % physical progress and project will be completed by March, 2026.</p> <p>BBCI accordingly requested the Committee to approve the change in scope and condone the delay in award of work.</p>	
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Agenda VI – DPRs of In-principle recommended projects awaited from the States/ Central Agencies:

Sl.	State / Central Agency	Title of the proposed project	Deliberations	Decision
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	Construction of Advance Landing Ground (ALG) at Anini (Rs. 183.0 Cr.) and at	State Govt. informed that there is huge escalation in the cost estimates.	SG to expedite submission of DPR/documents.

		<p>Dirang (Rs. 225.42 Cr.) in Arunachal Pradesh (Total Rs. 408.42 Crore).</p>	<p>Therefore, they are trying to fit the cost within the balance outlay share of the State. Accordingly, the RITES has been asked to revise the DPR to change the costing.</p> <p>State Govt. assured to submit the DPR by December, 2024.</p> <p>State Govt. was asked to advise RITES to seek guidance from M/o Civil Aviation in the matter.</p>	
2	Meghalaya	<p>Gap funding for Passenger Ropeway at Shillong Peak, Shillong, Meghalaya (Rs. 70.11 Crore).</p> <p>[Total cost of the project is Rs.116.30 Crore].</p>	<p>SG informed that DPR of the project proposal has been recommended/appraised by the SLEC and the same will be uploaded with all the requisite documents on 'Poorvottar Vikas Setu' portal shortly.</p>	<p>SG to expedite submission of DPR/documents.</p>

Agenda VII – Work Order Awaited of sanctioned projects:

Sl.	State / Central Agency	Title of the project	Deliberations	Decision
1	Manipur	<p>Construction and Equipping of 60 Bedded State Mental Hospital in Manipur.</p> <p>Project Cost: Rs.70.47 Crore.</p> <p>AFS date: 10.02.2024.</p>	<p>The State Government informed that work has been awarded on 25.09.2024 and they will upload the work order on PVS portal by today i.e. 22 Oct 2024.</p> <p>SG requested the EIMC to condone the delay of one month and 15 days in awarding the work.</p>	Delay in award of work was condoned.
2	Manipur	<p>Infrastructure development for Manipur University of Culture at Wakha, Imphal East.</p>	<p>State Govt. submitted that the Tender has been floated and will be</p>	State to award and start the work

		Project Cost: Rs.31.19 Crore. AFS date: 24.09.2024.	finalized by 30 th November, 2024.	
3	Mizoram	Construction of Aizawl By-pass road on Western Side, Mizoram. Project Cost: Rs.500 Crore. AFS date: 10.02.2024.	State Govt. submitted that the award of work was delayed due to court case leading to retendering. Work Order will be issued by 30 th November, 2024.	State to award and start the work
4	Nagaland	Upgradation of the Radiation Oncology Centre at CIHSR in Nagaland. Project Cost: Rs.34.50 Crore. AFS date: 13.06.2024.	State Govt. submitted that Work Order has already been issued and will be uploaded on PVS portal by today i.e. 22 Oct 2024.	State to share the work order with MDoNER.
5	Tripura	Establishment of 200 bedded MCH (Maternal & Child Health) wing at AGMC & GBP Hospital, Tripura. Project Cost:Rs.192.09 Crore. AFS date: 23.01.2024.	State Govt. submitted that the Tender will be opened on 7 Nov. 2024 and the work will be awarded by 30 th November, 2024.	State to award and start the work under intimation to MDoNER.
6	Tripura	Establishment of Dental College at Agartala, Tripura. Project Cost: Rs.202 Crore. AFS date: 24.01.2024	State Govt. submitted that the Tender will be opened on 7 Nov 2024 and the work will be awarded by 30 th November, 2024.	State to award and start the work under intimation to MDoNER.
7	BBCI	Establishment of a Skill Development Centre at Dr. B. Borooah Cancer Institute (BBCI), Guwahati, Assam. Project Cost: Rs.35.12 Crore. AFS date: 13.06.2024	BBCI submitted that tendering has been done. Bid is under Technical Evaluation and by 7 th of Nov. 2024 work order will be issued.	BBCI to award and start the work under intimation to MDoNER.




Agenda VIII: Miscellaneous issue with the permission of Chair:

Sl.	State / Central Agency	Title of the project	Deliberations	Decision
1	Tripura	Setting up of Integrated Rehabilitation Centre for drug addicted at a total cost of Rs.121.90 crore, Tripura Project Cost: 86.12 crore. AFS date: 23.01.2024	The State Government informed that work has been awarded on 19.10.2024 and requested the EIMC to condone the delay of 2 months and 26 days in awarding of work.	Delay in award of work was condoned.

3. Joint Secretary (PM-DevINE), MDoNER advised State Governments to submit the PERT chart of all the ongoing projects of PM-DevINE and to monitor the component-wise progress of the projects in accordance with the PERT Chart. He also advised the State Govts. to do regular follow-up with the contractors for early mobilization of machinery and raw material after the award of work.

4. The Chairperson of the EIMC advised the State Governments, in particular Nagaland, to pose additional and **impactful** projects in line with the Scheme guidelines & within their balance share of indicated outlays under the scheme. The State Governments and the Implementing Agencies (IAs) were also requested to submit the demand proposals as cumulative expenditure progress in not proportionately coming. State Govts. and IAs were advised to achieve substantial physical progress of their by using this working season.

5. It was informed that inspection of the MDoNER supported projects under its various schemes will be done through the officers of MDoNER/NEC, FTSUs, PQMs. The State Govts. and the other Central Agencies may also depute their officers to carry out the inspections of their projects to ensure effective and timely completion of the projects.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

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Annexure

List of the participants to the 11th meeting of the Empowered Inter-Ministerial Committee (EIMC) of Prime Minister's Development Initiative for North Eastern Region (PM-DevINE) scheme held on 22.10.2024 at Vigyan Bhawan Annexe, New Delhi

LIST OF PARTICIPANTS ATTENDED THE 11TH EIMC MEETING OF PM-DEVINE HELD ON 22.10.2024			
Sl.No.	Ministry/Department/ State	Name	Designation
1	Ministry of DoNER	Shri Chanchal Kumar	Secretary - In Chair
2	Govt. of Meghalaya	Dr. Vijay Kumar	Commissioner & Secretary, Planning
		Shri N.K. Bansal	CE, CPWD
3	Govt. of Mizoram	Shri K.Lalthawmmawia	Secretary, PWD
		Shri H. Zoramliana	CE (Highways), PWD
		Shri Lalbiaknunga	Sr. EE, PWD
4	M/o Textiles	Shri Nipun Pande	Joint Commissioner (Handloom)
		Dr. Janardhana RK	Deputy Director
		Shri Bharat Bhushan	Asstt. Director, Handloom
5	M/o Culture	Shri Karan Singh Tanwar	Deputy Director
		Shri Mohit Singh Rawat	Section Officer
6	M/o Corporate Affairs	Shri Sanjay Jain	Director
		Shri Debarun Kalita	OSD
		Shri Vineet Aggarwal	IT Manager
7	M/o Power	Shri Om Kant Shukla	Director (Trans)
8	MoHUA	Shri Ashish Kamal	EE, CPWD
9	M/o Civil Aviation	Shri Padamlal Negi	JS & FA
10	MDoNER	Shri Angshuman Dey	Joint Secretary
		Shri S.D. Meena	Deputy Secretary
		Shri Sandeep Verma	Deputy Secretary
		Shri Sunil Kumar Jain	Executive Engineer
		Shri Sachin	Section Officer
		Shri Tanuj Guliani	Associate Director
		Shri Mohsin	Consultant
		Smt. Vasanthi V. Babu	Consultant

List of participants attended meeting through VC

S. No.	Ministry/Department/ State	Name	Designation
1.	Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh	Shri R.K. Sharma	Secretary Planning
2	Govt. of Manipur	Dr. Vineet Joshi	Chief Secretary
3	Govt. of Mizoram	Mr. Lalmalsawma Pachuau	Secretary, Planning
4	Govt. of Nagaland	Shri Ramakrishnan	<i>Principle Secretary</i>
5	Govt. of Sikkim	Shri V.B. Pathak	Chief Secretary
6	Govt. of Tripura	Shri Jitendra Kumar Sinha	Chief Secretary
7	NITI Aayog	Shri Hemant Meena	Deputy Secretary
		Shri Devdarshan Chetia	Young Professional
8	MHA	Shri A.K. Dhyani	Director (NE)
9	MEA	Shri V.V.S. Ramakrishna	Under Secretary
10	MoHUA	Shri Vinod Kumar	Under Secretary (SBM-2)
11	M/o Tourism	Shri Gargi Mittal	Assistant Director Monitoring and Coord. Division
12	M/o H & FW	Shri Kumar Rahul	Director
		Shri R.P. Sati	Deputy Secretary
		Smt. Anuradha Ramakrishna	Under Secretary
13	BBCI	Dr. Mouchumee Bhattacharyaa	Deputy Director
14	AMTRON	Shri Pratik Nag	Financial Management Consultant
15	NESAC	Dr. S.P. Aggarwal	Director, NESAC

