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पेयजल एवं स्वच्छता विभाग/Department of Drinking Water and Sanitation स्वच्छ भारत मिशन (ग्रामीण)/Swachh Bharat Mission (Grameen)

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To,

Addl. Chief Secretary/Principal Secretary/Secretary, In-charge of rural sanitation, All States/UTs

Subject: Clarification reg. basis of population for implementation of Swachh Bharat Mission (Grameen) Phase-II

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the Operational Guidelines for SBM(G) Phase-II in which, inter alia, per capita funding norms have been prescribed for taking up Solid and Liquid Waste Management (SLWM) works in the rural areas.

- 2. In this regard, it has come to the notice of this Department that some States are taking Census 2011 population for planning of construction of SLWM assets and funds requirement under SBM(G).
- 3. In view of this, it is hereby clarified that for taking up different activities of SBM(G) Phase-II, States/UTs should calculate their requirements on the basis of projected population considering the average annual growth rate of population in the State/UT. Further, in villages seeing high population growth such as in peri-urban areas, future increase over the next 5 years or so could also be factored in as necessary.

Yours faithfully,

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