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**MINUTES OF THE VIDEO CONFERENCE HELD ON 16.07.2018 AT 11 A.M WITH
DEPUTY COMMISSIONERS UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF PRINCIPAL SECRETARY
TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM, URBAN DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT**

At the outset, the Principal Secretary, Urban Development Department welcomed all the members present in the video conference namely the Deputy Commissioner of 14 districts viz Dibrugarh, Tinsukia, Sonitpur, Jorhat, Cachar, Nagaon, Bongaigaon, Dhubri, North-Lakhimpur, Karimganj, Goalpara, Sibsagar, Golaghat and Barpeta. Then, he discussed the objective of the flagship Scheme-City Infra Development Fund (CIDF) of the State Govt. and how it would lead to development of critical infrastructure in the cities provided it is implemented in letter and spirit. He also reviewed the progress of the said scheme with all the Deputy Commissioners and discussed the bottlenecks that they faced in executing the scheme. The Project Director, Assam Urban Infrastructure Investment Programme also addressed the Deputy Commissioners and appraised them that they could take up big schemes of Water Supply Projects in urban areas, Solid Waste Management, Sewerage management and City bypass/ring roads under phase II of EAP and for that, the Deputy Commissioners need to submit a concept paper at the preliminary stage for examination for funding under EAP. The Principal Secretary, Urban Development Department also informed the Deputy Commissioners that the Deputy Commissioners would be provided fund under Swachh Bharat Mission(U) within a period of 3-4 months for solid waste management as per DPR and hence they should not take up big Solid Waste Management projects under this scheme.

After threadbare discussion, the following decisions were taken in the said video conference:

1. The Deputy Commissioners/Director, Town & Country Planning, Assam are requested to submit proposals for 'In Principle" approval and Administrative Approval Proposals respectively.
2. The cost of land acquisition should be within the cost of the projects accorded "In Principle"
3. The DPR preparation which could not be done by the line Departments should be handed over to the Consultants.
4. The "In Principle" Approval/ Administrative Approval/ Technical Sanction/ calling of NIT/ finalization of NIT/ Work Order to the contractor should be completed by September, 2018 for the six cities viz. Nagaon, Jorhat, Tinsukia, Dibrugarh, Cachar and Sonitpur.
5. The other 8 (eight) cities viz. Bongaigaon, Dhubri, North-Lakhimpur, Karimganj, Goalpara, Sibsagar, Golaghat and Barpeta are to finalize the list of projects and send it to the Department within a period of 4 (Four) weeks.
6. The Guidelines of City Infra Development Fund (CIDF) modified is to be followed by the Deputy Commissioners of 14 districts.
7. The Deputy Commissioners of the 14 districts are to erect entry gate at 4 points of the cities under this scheme and this is to be funded under CIDF. The entry gate should depict the cultural heritage of the cities.

At the end, the Secretary Urban Development Department also addressed the Deputy Commissioner and appraised them the importance of the scheme which is to be implemented with a mission to provide maximum benefit to the citizens.

The video conference ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

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Principal Secretary to the Govt of Assam,
Urban Development Department

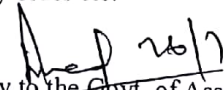
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2. PS to Principal Secretary/Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Urban Development Department, Dispur, Guwahati-6.
3. The Director, Town and Country Planning, Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6.
4. The Managing Director, Assam Urban Water Supply and Sewerage Board, Dispur, Guwahati-6
5. Concerned Deputy Commissioners.
6. Person Concerned.

By order etc.


Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,
Urban Development Department

26/7/18