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Government of India  
Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation

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CGO Complex, Lodhi Road,  
New Delhi – 110003  
Dated: 07.04.2017

To

The Principal Secretary/ Incharge,  
Rural Water Supply Department  
Chhattisgarh, Gujarat, Jharkhand, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra,  
Telangana, Uttar Pradesh, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Kerala, Punjab and  
Uttarakhand

**Sub: Video Conference with the States on drought like situation scheduled to be held on 10.04.2017-reg.**

Sir / Madam,

Secretary , Drinking Water and Sanitation will be taking a Video Conference with the Principal Secretaries / In-Charge of Rural Water Supply Department of the States (list enclosed) where the Drought / Drought like situation was declared last year or where Drought / Drought like situation is likely to be declared during coming months. This Video Conference will be held from 16:30 PM to 17.30 PM on 10.04.2017.

2. You are requested to make convenient to attend the Video Conference at the scheduled date and time.

Yours faithfully.

  
(A.K. Srivastava)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India  
Phone: 24363515

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1. Sr. Technical Director (NIC), for uploading letter on website.
2. US (Admin) – for making necessary arrangement for the VC.

**List of States for Video Conference to be held on 10.04.2017**

S. No.	State	Status
1	Chhattisgarh	Declared Drought in 2016
2	Gujarat	Declared Drought in 2016
3	Jharkhand	Declared Drought in 2016
4	Karnataka	Declared Drought in 2016
5	Madhya Pradesh	Declared Drought in 2016
6	Maharashtra	Declared Drought in 2016
7	Telangana	Declared Drought in 2016
8	Uttar Pradesh	Declared Drought in 2016
1	Haryana	Declared Water Scarcity but not drought in 2016
1	Himachal Pradesh	Identified afresh as drought prone by MoWR in 2017
2	Kerala	Identified afresh as drought prone by MoWR in 2017
3	Punjab	Identified afresh as drought prone by MoWR in 2017
4	Uttarakhand	Identified afresh as drought prone by MoWR in 2017