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Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation
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Subject: Visit of National Level Monitors in State / Districts - Advisory to State and Districts - reg.

The Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation has engaged National Level Monitors (NLMs) for monitoring various schemes of the Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation. These NLMs are deputed for the Regular Monitoring, Special monitoring and Enquiry / Complaints of serious nature etc. The Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation will pay TA/DA and other monitoring charges to the NLMs for the aforesaid assignments as per the approved Terms & Conditions of this Ministry.

2. All the State / District authorities and concerned programme implementing agencies may note the following:-


- a) List of all the NLMs engaged by the Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation are available on the website of this Ministry (www.mdws.gov.in) under the link '**Monitoring and Evaluation**'.
- b) As the NLMs will be paid TA/DA and other monitoring charges by the Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation, no expenses would be borne by the State / Districts authorities in this regard.
- c) The NLMs are reimbursed the cost of boarding / lodging and travel expenses. In case subsidized (or free) lodging / travel facility is provided to the NLMs, Districts administration may issue a certificate to the concerned NLMs to that effect, indicating the details and with a copy endorsed to this Ministry. In case subsidized (or free) lodging / travel facility is not provided, a certificate to that effect may be issued to the concerned NLMs, if they request.

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d) Whenever NLMs will be deputed to any district, a copy of the assignment letter would be endorsed to the State SBM Coordinator, District Collector, Districts Magistrate, Deputy Commissioner and District Coordinator.

e) In case of any undesirable action by any of the NLM(s), the same should be immediately brought to the notice of this Ministry indicating the details.

3. Principal Secretaries / Secretaries in charge of Rural Drinking Water Supply and Sanitation in the States and Districts Administration of these States are requested to provide the necessary support to the NLMs for carrying out the monitoring work effectively.


(Hironya Borah)
Deputy Director General (Stat)

To,

1. Principal Secretaries / Secretaries in charge of the Rural Water Supply and Sanitation of the concerned States

Copy to,

1. State SBM Coordinator, District Collector, Districts Magistrate, Deputy Commissioner and District SBM Coordinator
2. All the NLMs engaged by MDWS

Copy for kind information:

Chief Secretaries of the concerned States