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Office Memorandum

Sub: Minutes of 2nd Preparatory on SACOSAN VI- communicated-reg.

The minutes of the 2nd preparatory meeting on SACOSAN-VI held under the Chairmanship of Joint Secretary (SBM-G), MDWS on 26th June, 2015 at 11.00 AM at Conference Hall, 4th Floor, Paryavaran Bhavan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi is forwarded herewith for information and appropriate action.

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Minutes of the 2nd Preparatory Meeting to SACOSAN VI held on 26-6-2015

To discuss on the preparations of SACOSAN VI, a meeting was held at Conference Hall of MDWS, 4th floor Paryawaran Bhawan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi on 26th June, 2015 under the Chairmanship of Shri Saraswati Prasad, Joint Secretary (Sanitation). The meeting was attended by the following members:-

1. Dr. Nipun Vinayak, DS, SBM(G), MDWS
2. Mr. G.Balasubramanian, Deputy Advisor, SBM(G), MDWS
3. Mr. Junaid Ahmed Usmani, Consultant-NRC, MDWS
4. Mr. Salim Hyder – Asst. Adviser, MDWS
5. Mr. Sujoy Mojumdar- UNICEF
6. Mr. Neeraj Jain- Water Aid
7. Mr. Siddhartha Das- Water Aid
8. Mr. Gulshan Lal- MWCD
9. Mr. R. Murli- FANSA
10. Mr. A. Kalimuthu- Water for People
11. Mr. S.N.Ghosh- Water for People
12. Mr. Vinod K.Mishra- WSSCC
13. Ms. Archana Patkar- WSSCC- through skype

DISCUSSIONS

At the outset, Joint Secretary (Sanitation), welcomed all the participants and initiated the discussion on SACOSAN VI preparations.

Agenda 1: Discussion on first draft of India country paper for the SACOSA-VI by UNICEF.

Mr. Sujoy Mojumdar, from UNICEF informed that 1st Draft of India Country Paper will be ready by 15th July, 2015. In the Country Paper best practices under IEC, Monitoring and Triggering will be included. Progress since SACOSAN-V will also be included in the Country Paper.

Agenda 2: Discussion on technical focus session (TFS) for R & D, Innovation abstracts received from the experts/officials/other for SACOSAN-VI

Mr. G.Balasubramanian, informed that all Papers of Technical Focus Session received by Ministry were sent to SACOSAN Secretariat Bangladesh. 14 Papers are to be

scrutinized by India under R & D and Innovation theme. Mr. Murli suggested that good papers may be used as compendium.

Ms. Archana Patkar, WSSCC informed that under the theme of R & D and Innovation, there are four sub themes (i) R & D (ii) Capacity building (iii) Monitoring (iv) Technology

Agenda 3: Composition of Indian delegation to participate in SACOSAN-VI and sponsorship of delegation by regional partners.

The Indian delegation will consist of 80 members. All regional partners will sponsor more or less that of last SACOSAN-V numbers. Representation from MWCD informed that Anganwadi Worker, should be also part of Indian delegation.

Agenda 4: Discussion of side events of SACOSAN-VI.

It was decided that two side events of SACOSAN-VI will be organized by India. Side event on Menstrual Hygiene Management (MHM) will be organized by WSSCC. Ms. Archana Patkar also informed that WSSCC will organized two and half days MHM Fair. About 300 persons are expected to participate in the fair.

The side event on Solid and Liquid Waste Management will be organized by Water Aid.

Mr. Murli informed that common set of indicators have been developed through consultative process to monitor progress of the countries.

JS said that Government should be involved in developing Monitoring Frame Work and necessary approval should be taken.

Agenda 5: Discussion of exhibition of SACOSAN-VI

The exhibition will be organized by Water for People. Representative from Water for People informed that they have started the process. Mr. Neeraj Jain, Water Aid suggested that highlights of SBM (G) guidelines should also be showcased.

The meeting ended with thanks to the chair.