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Government of India
Ministry of Rural Development
Department of Rural Development (Mahatma Gandhi NREGA Division)

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi

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To: The Spl CS /Prl Secretary/ Secretary (in charge of MGNREGA)

Government of *Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Chhattisgarh, Gujarat, Himachal Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala, Manipur, Odisha,*

Rajasthan, Sikkim, Tamil Nadu, Uttarakhand, West Bengal, Goa, Arun, MP, Mizoram, Meghalaya, Nagaland, Telangana

Subject: Designs, using appropriate technologies for construction of Gram Panchayat and Anganwadi buildings under MGNREGS.

Sir/Madam,

In pursuance of the Para 13 (a) of Schedule-1. MGNREGA, that, "For all works involving construction, cost effective, labour intensive technologies and usage of local materials shall be employed as far as possible" one National Workshop, five Regional Workshop and 15-day "Awareness Cum Demonstration Workshop for Masons/ Artisans" were convened by the Ministry of Rural Development. In addition to these, 260 members of State Technical Resource Teams from all over the States/ UTs have been trained on 'SAMARTHYA' Technical Training Manual (MGNREGS) including use of appropriate technologies in construction of MGNREGA buildings.

2. To carry forward the learning in the field, Ministry of Rural Development and Ministry of Panchayati Raj, organized a Workshop cum Design-Shop at NIRD&PR, Hyderabad from 2nd to 5th April, 2016, to prepare State specific designs using appropriate technologies for construction of Gram Panchayat and Anganwadi buildings. In this workshop 11 States/ UTs, where most of GPs are without buildings, were invited.

3. In this Workshop cum Design-Shop, representatives from States were exposed to different labour intensive, cost effective, eco-friendly and usage of local material appropriate technologies being used successfully, by the renowned resource persons in different parts of the country. After getting exposed and in consultation with resource persons (**list enclosed**) State representative Engineers prepared designs & estimates for construction of Gram Panchayat and Anganwadi buildings under MGNREGS, using appropriate technologies, suitable to the their State (**copy of design sheets enclosed**).

4. State representatives were also convinced for production of fly ash bricks or stabilized soil blocks under MGNREGS, as fly ash is solid waste of thermal plants and production of fly ash bricks and stabilized soil blocks will be eco- friendly also.

5. Copy of the booklet on, "specifications of different appropriate technologies for production of building materials & construction of buildings" to be used is available on the MGNREGA website, under category 'Engineers' and head, "**specification of different appropriate technologies for production of building materials and construction of buildings**" as already communicated to the States/ UTs vide Ministry letter dated 20th January, 2016.

6. It is requested that, the States/ UTs, who did not participate in the workshop can also use these designs, using appropriate technologies for construction of Gram Panchayat and Anganwadi buildings, suitable to their areas.

Yours faithfully

(Aparajita Sarangi)

Joint Secretary, MGNREGS

Enclosure: As above (list of resource persons and 7 design each of GP & AWC buildings)

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**LIST OF RESOURCE PERSONS PARTICIPATED IN THE WORKSHOP CUM
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