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16<sup>th</sup> November, 2022 Dated:

To.

The Addl. Chief Secretaries/Pr. Secretaries/Secretaries. In-charge of rural sanitation, All States/UTs

Subject: Clarification regarding utilisation of funds for IEC& Capacity Strengthening and Admin components upto 3% and 1% of the total funding for programmatic components under Swachh Bharat Mission (Grameen)- reg.

Madam/Sir.

I am directed to refer to the above subject and to say that references have been received from some States requesting that the 3% and 1% ceiling for IEC & Capacity Strengthening and Admin components respectively should be considered against the annual allocation of the State under SBM(G) instead of annual expenditure.

- In this regard it is clarified that the States/UTs can utilize the funds IEC & Capacity Strengthening and Admin components upto 3% and 1% respectively against the annual allocation under SBM-G subject to that the States/UTswill have to ensure that the total expenditure on IEC & Capacity Strengthening, and Admin components during the total five years period of the programme remains within the prescribed ceiling of 3% and 1% of the total expenditure out of SBM(G) funds for all the programmatic components. Further, emphasis will be given on Capacity Strengthening vis-à-vis IEC.
- 3. This is issued with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

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