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Dear, *sh. Pandey*

As you are aware, Puducherry has been allocated two (2) clusters under all three Phases of Shyama Prasad Mukherjee Rurban Mission (SPMRM). You would appreciate that, the Mission if implemented well as per the tenets of the SPMRM framework, will see investment of Rs 225 crore in the selected clusters under phase 2 and 3. This will also result in two (2) Rurban clusters, with thematic center of economic growth, which would be inter-alia Open Defecation Free, Zero Waste, saturated with LPG connections and with skilled manpower in every household.

2. The clusters have to be developed within a fixed time frame of three years. I am highlighting some of the key issues which need your intervention at this stage as follows:

**Under Phase 2 Cluster:** The Integrated Cluster Action Plan (ICAP) has been approved and Rs 9.00 crore has been released to the UT on 01.03.18, apart from Rs 0.35 crore as administrative fund. However, confirmation of approval for DPR for one (1) cluster is pending for more than 5 months.

The Status of works, confirmation of approval of DPRs and the requisite UC may please be forwarded at the earliest so as to enable us to release the 2<sup>nd</sup> installment of CGF.

**Under Phase 3 Cluster:** The Integrated Cluster Action Plan (ICAP) has been approved and Rs 9.00 crore has been released to the UT on 30.05.18, apart from Rs 0.35 crore as administrative fund.

The Status of works, confirmation of approval of DPRs for one (1) cluster, and the requisite UC may please be forwarded at the earliest so as to enable us to release the 2<sup>nd</sup> installment of CGF.

I would request for an early action and response.

With regards,

Yours Sincerely

  
(Sanjeev Kumar)

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**Secretary (RD),**  
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