K-15016/65/2015-SC-I Government of India Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi Dated: 18th December 2017

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Clarifications to the queries/modifications in the Screening Framework of India Smart City Program (ISCP).

The undersigned is directed to refer to DO letter of even number dated 27th October 2017 forwarding herewith Detailed Note on the India Smart City Program (ISCP) along with Screening Framework and to convey that the queries/suggestions received from States/Smart Cities have been considered with due diligence in terms of Smart Cities Mission Guidelines. Clarifications to the queries on the Screening Framework are attached as Annexure for further necessary action.

Encl:-As above

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Principal Secretaries (UD/MA) of States/UTs in respect of 60 Smart Cities selected till Round 2

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Municipal Commissioners/CEOs in respect of 60 Smart Cities selected till Round-2.

Clarification on the Screening Framework for India Smart Cities Program based on Queries received from Smart Cities and States

SI.No.	Query	Clarification
1.	In the Rank of the selected Smart City Plans in the State Indicator, by considering fast track selection, cities are scoring less. Kindly clarify whether to consider fast track cities in the calculation or not.	As mentioned in the MoHUA's OM dated 13.12.2017, the state needs to select any one Smart City from their state and present the information for that particular smart city against all indicators of Part B. The scoring of the state (Part B) will be done based on the score of this selected Smart City. Hence the rank of other smart cities in the state becomes irrelevant.
2.	In format-15 on Project Information, O&M sustainability details have been asked to fill. In Tamil Nadu, 1 year O&M is inbuilt in the contractor contract agreement itself. After one year, O&M is managed through user fee charges being collected for such service provision and to be given to a private contractor for O&M. How to incorporate such provision in Format- 15?	Information mentioned in TUFIDCO communication are direct responses to the requested information in Columns-5 (if O&M is built into the construction contract), Column-6 (for how many years is the O&M contract), and Column-7 (whether O&M is met by the contractor).
3.	Kindly clarify Annexure-07 mentioned in the screening framework is referring to Smart City Guidelines Annexure-07?	Yes. Please note that the information needs to be provided as of 15-December 2017