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**8th November 2021**

Respected Sir/Madam

I am extremely delighted to share that the Hon'ble Members of Parliament have identified more than 2,330 Gram Panchayats to date in the country and with the efforts of the State Government, these GPs are taking the shape of model villages under the guidance of Hon'ble MPs concerned. So far, 1,726 GPs through a meticulous structured participatory process have prepared Village Development Plans (VDP) containing 83,234 projects, of which implementation of 53,600(63%) has already been completed.

2. As you are aware, the MoRD in collaboration with the National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj(NIRD&PR) has organized capacity building programs and trained around 3,000 stakeholders of SAGY which includes the State Team of Trainers, State Nodal Officers, Charge Officers, and the GP representatives of the SAGY GPs on SAGY implementation process .

3. You would agree that training GP representatives and the grass-root level functionaries, who are associated with implementing the activities suggested in the SAGY Guidelines in regional languages would create a greater impact in converging the existing resources to the extent possible and in generating maximum synergy at the ground level. Therefore, may I request you to direct the Directors, State Institutes of Rural Development, State-level training institutions to organize training for the GP functionaries by the State Team of Trainers(SToTs) who have already been trained by NIRDPR for this purpose. Also, SIRD in the States need to translate the existing supporting material on SAGY into the regional languages for their reference and wider dissemination. I assure you that the NIRD&PR and the SAGY PMU at MoRD will provide necessary assistance in this regard.

4. Further, I would like to bring to your kind notice that SAGY is one of the flagship programmes that has already been onboarded on the Integrated Government Online Training (IGOT) e-learning platform of the Govt. of India. Hence, the Charge Officers can now train themselves through this platform as well. For this purpose, may I request you to direct the officers concerned to share the Name of the Charge Officers, Designation, Mobile No, their Gov mail ids (IGoT cannot be accessed through personal email IDs) to aid the MoRD/NIRD&PR to register their names on the portal.

5. MP Dashboard has been developed on scheme portal wherein the Hon'ble MPs can log in and check the progress of their identified GPs and review it. The dashboard can be accessed on <https://saanjhi.gov.in/login.aspx> . The state and Hon'ble MPs can access the dashboard using their respective login credentials.

6. Also, I request you to provide necessary instructions to the concerned officials to;

- a. Pursue with the Hon'ble MPs to identify GPs under SAGY-II(2019-24).

- b. Organise orientation programme for the Hon'ble MPs as requested by the Hon'ble MRD in his letter to CM dated 17th June 2021.
- c. Expedite the preparation of VDPs in the remaining GPs and implementation of proposed projects and update the data on the SAGY web portal (<http://saanjhi.gov.in>).

I eagerly look forward for your support and actions to facilitate transformation of the Gram Panchayats identified under SAGY as 'Adarsh Grams'.

*with regards,*

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KZ Bhutia  
Joint Secretary (SAGY&MA)

To  
All Principal Secretaries, RD/PR (in-charge of SAGY), All states

Copy to :  
DG,NIRD&PR with a request to facilitate the training of GP heads through SIRDs in the regional language by providing them the training template for SAGY and relevant resource material.