

F.No.J-14013/1/2015-e-Gov.  
Government of India  
Ministry of Water Resources,  
River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation,  
(e-Governance Cell)

Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg,  
New Delhi, dated the 09 September, 2016.

To,

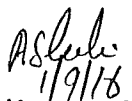
All Head of Attached Offices/ Subordinate Organizations under the  
Ministry.

**Subject:- Establishment of Project Development Fund (PDF) funded by World  
Bank under Digital India Program - reg**

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of DO letter No.NeGD/04-06/2015 part-II dated 09.08.2016 received from Secretary, Ministry of Electronics & IT addressed to Secretary (WR, RD & GR) wherein it has been informed that under the Digital India Programme of Government of India, a 'Project Development Fund' (PDF) has been established to provide financial assistance to the Central /State/ UTs for formulation and conceptualization of new and innovative e-Governance initiatives.

2. It is, therefore, requested that a complete proposal seeking funding assistance under PDF may be formulated and sent to National e-Governance Division, Ministry of Electronics & IT in case of any requirement of Funds for the development of e-Governance Mission Mode Projects.

Encl: as above.

  
(Ashok Kumar Gupta)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India,

Tel:- 011-23714350,

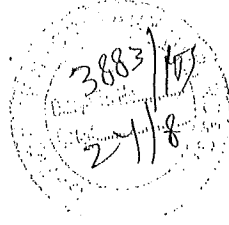
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Copy to:-

1. All Wing Heads in the Ministry.
2. NIC Cell for uploading on IntraMoWR.



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इलेक्ट्रॉनिकी और सूचना प्रौद्योगिकी मंत्रालय  
भारत सरकार  
Secretary  
Ministry of Electronics &  
Information Technology (MeitY)  
Government of India

D.O. No. NeGD/04-06/2015,Part-II  
Date: 09.08.2016

Dear Secretary,

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meitY)  
I am happy to inform you that under Digital India Programme, a Project Development Fund (PDF) funded by World Bank has been established under the National e-Governance Division, Deity to provide financial assistance to the Centre/State/UTs for formulation and conceptualization of new and innovative e-Governance initiatives associated with Mission Mode Projects (MMPs), areas other than existing MMPs, Pilot or prototype projects for e-Governance and Innovative projects.

2. The PDF is available for the following activities:

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I. Consulting fee for technical and financial feasibility studies  
II. DPR preparation for new projects  
III. Out of pocket expenses for requirement gathering e.g workshops, field visits etc  
IV. Any other assistance for developing projects

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Last year Deity had requested state/central government to send the projects for funding under World Bank-PDF and multiple projects have been approved for funding.

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4. A template has been formulated to facilitate Ministries/Departments and State/UTs in submission of proposals for accessing funding assistance under PDF facility (copy attached as Annexure). It may be noted that the implementation cost of the approved project would have to incurred by the owner Ministry/Department. You are requested to send the project proposals to fund under World Bank PDF to Mr Premjit Lal, Director, NeGD ( [premjit.lal@nic.in](mailto:premjit.lal@nic.in) , Ph 30481638 ) and Mr Pravin Sinha, Senior Consultant, NeGD, ( [sinhapravin@negp.gov.in](mailto:sinhapravin@negp.gov.in) , Ph : 30481620 ) by 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2016.

With regards,

Yours sincerely

(Aruna Sundararajan)

Secretaries of all the Ministries/ Departments, Government of India