Sub: Construction Management System: Circular-86
Ref: Modalities for Execution of Sewerage Works.

RUIDP has laid sewer lines and built sewerage treatment plants in 5 cities (Bikaner, Kota, Ajmer, Jaipur and Jodhpur) in Phase 1 and is in the process of laying sewer lines in 12 cities in Phase 2 of RUIDP and in 9 cities through funding in the scheme of UIDSSM. It has been observed that the sewer network has not been utilized in the cities of Ajmer and Kota even after 5-7 years of its completion and is under-utilized in Bikaner.

For more effective and quicker utilization of sewerage network created by RUIDP, greater participation of local municipal authorities, municipal councilors and the residents of the city is required. To ensure this, following directions are issued:

1. Sewerage Treatment Plant (STP) and Sewerage Pumping Stations (SPSSs) which are critical components of the system need to be completed and commissioned at the earliest. In many places, where these are ready, effluent from local drains can be diverted to them for immediate commissioning and testing.

2. Outfall and main trunk lines need to be laid on priority – any missing links in these are to be laid first and completed.

3. No part payment shall be released to the contractor without carrying out Hydro testing as per the norms.

4. Laterals in the streets are to be laid ONLY in those streets where 90% of the residents have filled out forms for house service connection with the local municipal body along with the requisite connection fee. In those streets where residents have not opted for house service connections, the lateral is NOT TO BE laid even though it may be part of the original plan.

In order to ensure immediate commissioning, the residents should also give the undertaking that they will build house service chamber and connect entire sullage water (i.e. kitchen, bathroom and flush toilet) to the sewerage network, immediately after commissioning. For this purpose, consumer will be required to construct property connection chamber outside the house for connecting household pipe carrying sullage from house and pipe (which is being laid by RUIDP) connecting manhole. The consumer can have following options for constructing property chamber:

I. Through the contractor laying the sewer line in his street by paying pre-approved rate, approved by local municipality.

II. By depositing the refundable caution money of Rs. 5000/- to Municipality, which will be refunded after construction of property chamber by the consumer through a plumber/contractor of his choice.
5. In those streets where laterals have already been laid before the issue of Circular, camps should be held by the municipality to encourage the local residents to opt for house service connections as per mentioned options under Para 4.

6. In chapter XII of Rajasthan Municipality Act 2009; there are mandatory provisions for taking sewer connections and penalty provisions against defaulters under section 202; 203; 204; 208; 214 and 222. EEs may use these provisions and ensure 100% sewer connections in association with Municipal Authorities.

7. Road restoration in the street shall be done IMMEDIATELY (within 7 days) after the laying of 150/200mm lateral is complete (with all the manholes) and all the house service connections are done.

8. Government has authorized the PHED to collect 20% of the water bill as sewerage charge in the streets where sewer line has been laid and 33% of the water bill in those cities where both the treatment plant and the sewer network has been laid. This money is to be recovered by PHED and transferred to the local municipal body that will use it for Operation & Maintenance of sewerage system. The local municipal bodies of all these towns should be pursued for immediately writing to local PHED officials to start collecting this sewerage cess. A separate dedicated account can be opened in PHED for maintaining proper record of collection and smooth transferring of the funds to municipality.

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Copy to following for information and necessary action:

1. Director, Directorate of Local Bodies to issue necessary directions to all ULBs for releasing sewer house connection by holding camps.
2. Addl. PD / ACE (T)/ FA / Dy. PD (Adm.)/ Dy. PD (NLCP)/SE (Co-ord)/ SE (WW)/ (WS) / (Roads)/ (Brigades)/ PO (all)/ CAO / All APOs, RUIDP, Jaipur.
3. Commissioner/Executive Officer, Municipal Council/Board
4. Zone SE, RUSDP, Jaipur(Dholpur)/Jodhpur(Barmer)/Kota(Jhalawar).
5. Executive Engineer, IPJU, RUSDP Alwar, Baran, Barmer, Bharatpur, Bundi, Chittorgarh, Churu, Dhaulpur, Jaislamer, Jhalawar-Jhalarapan, Kalauni, Nagaur, Rajasmand, Sawai Madhopur and Sikar for necessary action and arrange to provide the copy of same to concerned ULB.
6. Executive Engineer/Assistant Engineer, UIDSSMT, Pali, Sumerpur, Jalore, Hanumangarh, Sardarsehur, MountAbu, Jhalawar-Jhalarapan, Kishangarh & Jhunjhunu and arrange to provide the copy of same to ULB.
7. Team Leader IPMC, Jaipur/ DSC-I, Jaipur(Bharatpur)/ DSC-II, Jodhpur(Churu)/ DSC-III, Kota(Chittorgarh), RUSDP.
8. ACP, RUIDP, Jaipur to send by e-mail and put up the Guidelines on the website.

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