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ABSTRACT

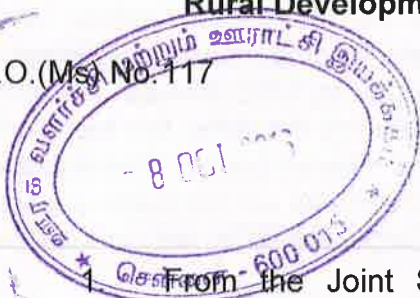
MGNREGA – Launching of GeoMGNREGA by the Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India w.e.f 1.09.2016 – State Level GeoMGNREGA Working Group constituted – Orders – Issued.

Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS.1) Dept.,

G.O.(Ms) No. 117

Dated : 7.10.2016

Read :



1. From the Joint Secretary, Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act, Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India, Letter No.M -11011/02/2016 -RE-III, Dated 29.08.2016.
2. From the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Letter RC.No. 41146/16/MGNREGS-II-2 Dated 02.09.2016.

ORDER:

The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, in the letter second read above, has stated that the Government of India, Ministry of Rural Development had initiated a project on Geotagging of Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act on 24th June, 2016. The pilot was launched on 1st August 2016 onwards in Nerkunapattu Village panchayat of Lathur Block in Kancheepuram GIS Pioneer District. Government of India has informed that the pilots were successful in finalising the user requirements, mobile and web solution and National Remote Sensing Centre has intimated that the present mobile app is tested, functional and usable for deploying in the field for operational use. Further, the development of Web GIS Bhuvan portal is now completed. As per Government of India instructions training on "GIS Implementation in MGNREGA" was completed from 3rd to 4th August 2016 at SIRD, Maraimalai Nagar to Wave-I Districts viz., Kancheepuram, Tiruppur, Ariyalur, Theni and for the Wave -II Districts (27 Districts) from 11th to 31st August 2016 with the help of GeoMGNREGA Regional Resource Persons trained at NIRD&PR, Hyderabad.

2. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has also stated that G.O.I have now informed that as per the original schedule, from 1st of September 2016, GeoMGNREGA will be launched in all the Village Panchayats of Wave-I Districts. The Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act Spatial Enumerator (MSE) (i.e Panchayat Secretaries and Overseers of the concerned Village Panchayat) can now download their current data of Village Panchayats in their Mobile phones and start capturing the photographs and Latitude/Longitude of the completed assets under MGNREGA. The GIS Asset Supervisor(GAS) (Assistant Engineer/Union Engineer of respective Block) should start validating the assets uploaded by MSE through the online portal. Though the Geotag can be uploaded /validated during the time, the web portal will not be made available for General Viewing during this Wave-I period. This wave will be called as GeoHome. The assets coordinate and photographs will be made available for General viewing w.e.f 1st Nov 2016 for Wave-I and GeoMGNREGA will go 'GeoLive' from this date. The timeline for Wave –I is as follows:

Wave	GeoHome Period	GeoLive Date
Wave I District (Kancheepuram, Ariyalur, Theni and Tiruppur Districts)	1 st September to 31 st October 2016	1 st November 2016 (Inauguration of GeoMGNREGA)
Wave II District (Remaining 27 Districts)	1 st November 2016 to 31 st January 2017	2 nd February 2017 (on MGNREGA Sammelan day)

3. Further, the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has stated that the Government of India has requested to ensure smooth rollout of the Geolive to constitute a State Level "GeoMGNREGA Working Group", headed by Principal Secretary/ Secretary looking after MGNREGA as the chairman during GeoHome. This working group will consist of officials from Wave –I Districts DPCs, DGNOs and other officials as deemed fit. The working group will resolve all issues pertaining to assets mapping, geo coordinates, picture validation and data consistency during this GeoHome period. The Working group will hold one or more meetings and the final preparedness report for GeoLive should be submitted to MoRD on 24th October 2016 on email to Kushal@nic.in

4. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has therefore requested the Government to constitute "Geo MGNREGA Working Group" with following officials :

Sl. No	Name	Designation/Office	
1	Thiru. Hans Raj Verma I.A.S.,	Principal Secretary, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, Chennai-9.	Chairman, GeoMGNREGA Working group
2	Thiru.K. Baskaran I.A.S.,	Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj	Vice - Chairman, GeoMGNREGA Working group
3	Tmt.G.Muthumeenal	Additional Director (W&E)	Convenor
4	Thiru.A.Kuttalingam	Superintending Engineer(MGNREGS)	Member
5	Thiru.K. Jayabalan	Principal System Analyst, NIC, Chennai- 90	Member
6	Thiru.S.Thanikachalam	Executive Engineer(RD)/DGNO, Kancheepuram District	Member
7	Thiru.K. Senthilkumar	Executive Engineer(RD)/DGNO, Ariyalur District	Member
8	Thiru.S. Sankarajothi	Executive Engineer(RD)/DGNO, Theni District	Member
9	Thiru.S. Sadaippan	Executive Engineer(RD)/DGNO, Tiruppur District	Member
10	One Assistant Engineer/Junior Engineer from Wave I Districts Kancheepuram , Ariyalur, Theni and Tiruppur	Assistant Engineer/Junior Engineer /DPCs.	Member

5. The Government, after careful examination of the proposal of the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, have decided to accept the same and

accordingly constitute the State Level "Geo MGNREGA Working Group" with the following composition :

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(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

HANS RAJ VERMA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai-15,
All Collectors (Except Chennai) (Thro' DRD&PR., Chennai-15)

At: Project Directors,
District Rural Development Agencies
(Thro' DRD&PR., Chennai -15)

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- 2) The Principal Private Secretary to
Principal Secretary to Government,
Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department,
Chennai-9.

//Forwarded by order//

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