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Government of India
Ministry of Urban Development
(UT-I Division)

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi,
Dated the 14th January, 2016.

To

1. Addl. Secretary (Shri Susheel Kumar), Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jorbagh Road, New Delhi
2. Chief Secretaries of all States/UTs
3. Principal Secretaries/Secretaries of Urban Development of all States/UTs
4. Principal Secretaries/Secretaries of Urban Transport of all States/UTs
5. Joint Secretary (MI), Deptt. of Economic Affairs, North Block, New Delhi
6. The Chairman, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi
7. Director General of Police of all States/ UTs
8. Managing Directors of all Metro Rail Corporations
9. DG, CPWD.

Sub: "Capacity Building Programme – Building Leaders in Urban Transport Planning (LUTP)" – Nomination of officials for 3rd Batch of LUTP Programme to be held at the UITP, Dubai from 5th – 11th March, 2016 under the World Bank-GEF-UNDP assisted Sustainable Urban Transport Project (SUTP).

Sir/ Madam,

The rapid urbanization in India has brought to fore urban mobility as a critical issue and the capacity for dealing with complex issues related to urban mobility is generally lacking in the cities. With a view to building the capacity at institutional and individual at National, State and local levels, Ministry of Urban Development has undertaken the Sustainable Urban Transport Project (SUTP) in some selected cities in the country with the assistance from the Global Environment Facility (GEF), the World Bank and the UNDP.

2. As part of the on-going SUTP, the World Bank has developed a capacity building programme called "Building Leaders in Urban Transport Planning (LUTP) Programme" jointly with the UITP, Dubai. This Leaders' Programme aims at achieving the capacity building objective of the SUTP and is fully funded by the World Bank. The UITP, Dubai has already conducted 02 such LUTP Programmes and they are now planning to organize the third one from 5th – 11th March, 2016. A copy of the Programme Brochure received is enclosed for ready reference.

3. The programme is divided into two parts – the first one is a 5-week self-learning phase from participants' work locations during which the participants will need to go through a self-learning course based on the course material provided to them. The second part would be held from 5th – 11th March, 2016 at the UITP, Dubai during which participants would be required to attend a workshop. The objective of this workshop is to develop leadership capabilities in Urban Mobility Planning. It seeks to create awareness of what integrated mobility planning involves, what are its different components and how it needs to be undertaken.

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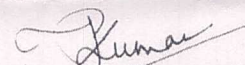
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4. The target groups of this programme are the senior level decision makers at National, provincial or city level – those who are at leadership level and who have a responsibility for urban transport at the policy making level, rather than a purely technical level. The objective is to help build capacity for holistic and comprehensive planning at senior level. **All expenditure towards programme fee, including hotel accommodation and air travel (by economy class and by the shortest route) plus Daily Allowance of the participants shall be funded by the World Bank.**

5. You are therefore requested kindly to nominate suitable officials who are actively involved in the planning and implementation of Urban Transport matters, including Police officials responsible for traffic matters, from your State/UT/Organization for consideration for this programme. Besides, officers at the level of Joint Secretary in the Ministries of Finance (Deptt. of Economic Affairs), Railways and Environment, Forests and Climate Change, who are responsible for matters relating to urban transport and the senior level officials in the Metro Railways could also be nominated with the approval of the Competent Authority for participation in this programme. **The nominations may please be made available to this Ministry latest by 27th January, 2016 to enable us finalize the nominations well in time.**

6. It has been further decided by the Ministry that the earlier nomination received for participation in the LUTP Programme at the LTA Academy, Singapore from 18th to 23rd January, 2016 will now be considered for LUTP Programme at UITP, Dubai to be held from 5th to 11th March, 2016. This decision has been taken in view of the delay in receipt of nominations from the States/UTs/Organization etc. and a very short duration of time left for obtaining necessary approvals/ clearances. You are, therefore, requested kindly to indicate the consent that the officials nominated by them earlier for the LUTP Programme at the LTA Academy, Singapore from 18th to 23rd January, 2016 will be spared for the forthcoming programme at UITP, Dubai.

Yours faithfully,

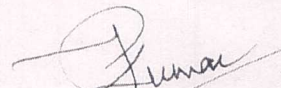

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