

JAWAHARLAL NEHRU NATIONAL URBAN RENEWAL MISSION (JNNURM)

JNNURM is the single largest and most important programme initiated by the Government of India under the Ministry of Urban Development and Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation, in December 2005 for planned development of key cities of the country. Shillong has been selected for planned development under the programme. Assistance under the programme is linked to reform the Urban sector. As a prerequisite State Governments are required to prepare a City Development Plan and sign a Memorandum of Agreement expressing commitment to take up the reforms in a specific time frame. Accordingly necessary action has been taken as follows.

- i) Memorandum of Agreement towards implementation of reforms agenda has been signed between State Government and Ministry of Urban Development on **6th June 2007**.
- ii) City Development Plan and Vision Statement for Shillong has been prepared and submitted to Ministry of Urban Development. This shows an investment requirement of Rs. 2543.92 crores consisting of Rs. 2114.4 crores for the urban infrastructure and governance and Rs. 429.52 crores for the basic services to the urban poor. This City Development Plan has been approved by the Ministry.
- iii) The following projects have been approved
 1. Construction of 300 Dwelling Units for EWS/LIG/Urban Poor and Slum Rehabilitation at Nongmynsong, Shillong (Phase-I) at a total project cost of Rs. 13.76 crores
 2. Construction of 300 Dwelling Units for EWS/LIG/Urban Poor and Slum Rehabilitation at Nongmynsong, Shillong (Phase-II) at a total project cost of Rs. 16.68 crores.
 3. Storm Water Drainage Master Plan for Shillong at a total project cost of Rs. 25.00 crores.

For availing fund under the programme, which is in the ratio 90:10, the State Government has to submit Detailed Project Reports for the projects to be taken up under the programme.

First installment being 25% of the central share has been released by the Ministry for the projects at 1 & 2 above and for the project at 3 above, the same was sanctioned by the Ministry only during the month of June 2008. The work for the above cited projects ***will be initiated during the month of July 2008***.

- iv) DPR for the following projects have been/are being submitted to the Ministry :
 1. Augmentation of Water Supply for Greater Shillong Planning Area excluding New Shillong Township at a total project cost of Rs. 322.60 crores
 2. Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage for New Shillong Township at a project cost of Rs. 52.36 crores.
 3. Integrated Slum Development Programme for 5 (five) notified slums at Shillong at a total project cost of Rs. 15.66 crores.