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Dear Sir,

In order to give a renewed vigour to the implementation of NREGA, the formats for submission of Monthly Progress Reports (MPRs) were under review in the Ministry. After due consideration of all relevant aspects of the programme implementation that require constant focus, the formats of the MPRs have been revised. The formats have been simplified and new formats have been prescribed to collect additional information which were not being collected on a regular basis earlier. Copies of the revised formats are enclosed. You are requested to send the information for the month of April, 2008 and onwards in the revised formats.

2. The revised MPR-I has been designed in a manner so that it captures the information which were provided in the earlier MPR-I and MPR-II formats. Some data items which were of not much significance have been excluded in the revised format. Thus, the earlier MPR-II format stands discontinued. The earlier MPR-IV format on Works remains the same, but it will be known as MPR-III.

3. Information on labour budget has been made integral to the MPRs as the release of funds is based on information submitted by the State Governments on labour budget. In respect of eight States the labour budget has been approved by the Ministry. The columns on labour budget given in the MPR-I and MPR-II will be filled by the Ministry and these should not be filled by the State Governments. In regard to the States whose labour budgets have not been approved, the columns on labour budget in MPR-I and MPR-II will be kept blank for the time being till the labour budgets are approved.

4. The column on releases of funds by the Central Government in the new MPR-II will be filled by the Ministry. State Governments should not enter data in this column.

5. For collecting information on performance on stipulated standards of transparency and accountability, and disposal of complaints and grievances, new format, MPR-IV has been prescribed. Additional formats of MPR-VA and MPR-VB have been introduced to capture information on administrative strengthening of the programme implementation machinery. You will recall that the Draft Performance

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Audit Report of CA&G has singled out the weaknesses in the administrative and technical facilities available in the States as the major constraint to the successful implementation of NREGA. You are requested to collect the additional information from the field offices and submit them to the Ministry every month. For a quick glance at the revision of the MPR formats a summary of the changes and additions in the MPRs of NREGA is given below :

Sl.No.	Old MPR	New MPR
1	MPR-I and MPR-II	Both old MPR-I and MPR-II have been consolidated into one MPR to be known as MPR-I with certain modifications.
2.	MPR-III	Old MPR-III has been slightly modified and known as MPR-II in the revised format
3.	MPR-IV	Remains the same but known as MPR-III.
4.	-	MPR-IV, VA and VB have been introduced from current year 2008-09 to capture details on transparency, technical and administrative strengthening.

6. You are requested to inform all concerned regarding the revision of the MPR formats of NREGA by the Ministry, circulate copies of the same to them and ensure that these formats are duly filled in every month. The revised formats of the MPRs can also be downloaded from the NREGA website.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Niten Chandra)

Encl: as above

To,

Secretaries of Rural Development
All States and UTs

EMPLOYMENT GENERATION UNDER NREGA

MPR PART-I

1	2	3				4	5	6	7	8	9					10	11	12
		a	b	c	d						a	b	c	d	e			
S.No	District	Cumulative No of HH issued jobcards (Till the reporting month)				Cumulative No of HH demanded employment (Till the reporting month)	Cumulative Labour Budget estimation of employment provided (Till the reporting month)	Cumulative No of HH provided employment (Till the reporting month)	No. of HH working under NREGA during the reporting month	Cumulative Labour Budget estimation of persondays (Till the reporting month)	Cumulative Persondays generated (in Lakhs) (till the reporting month)					Cumulative No of HH completed 100 days (Till the reporting month)	No. of HH which are beneficiary of land reform/ IAY	No. of Disabled beneficiary individuals
		SC	ST	Other	Total						SC	ST	Others	Total	Women			
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