Dear Chief Secretary,

The results of State level Business Reform Action Plan (BRAP), 2017-18 were released by DIPP on 10th July, 2018. I would like to place on record my appreciation for your State’s/UT’s active participation in this exercise. Due to your effort, the national implementation average has increased from 48.93 in 2017 to 60.21% in 2018.

DIPP had circulated a draft Action Plan containing 203 reform points to be undertaken in 2019 vide email dated 12th June, 2018 addressed to you. 13 States have shared their inputs on the Draft Reform Action Plan.

It is proposed to assess States/UTs in 2019 only based on the feedback received from the users and industries. After due consideration of the comments received from the States, the Action Plan has been thoroughly revised and compiled into an 80-point document. The same is annexed herewith in a separate file.

These 80 points for feedback have been substantially derived from the 372 points BRAP 2017-18. However, 7 new points as indicated in Annexure I to this letter have been added to the areas covered in 2017-18. Certain points which were not suitable for obtaining feedback have been eliminated. A number of associated action points have been merged together to simplify the feedback process. DIPP shall be putting up these details on the EoDB portal shortly.

The revised plan has been designed to obtain feedback on all reform points. However, the EoDB portal will be functional and States/UTs are still required to submit evidence of implementation of points. Feedback would be sought only on those reform points which have been implemented by the States/UTs and no feedback will be solicited on other points. A separate note on the feedback methodology will be shared shortly.

11th October 2018
The States/UTs are requested to implement the reforms by 28th February, 2019 and upload on the BRAP Portal.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Ramesh Abhishek)

To:

Chief Secretaries of all States / UTs