

“ECONOMIC SURVEY 2019-20”

Directorate of Municipal Administration / Urban Development

Major achievements of this Department during the financial year 2019-20 are as follows:-

1. Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana- National Urban Livelihood Mission (DAY-NULM)

The key objective of the scheme is to reduce poverty and vulnerability of the urban poor households by enabling them to access gainful self employment and skilled wage employment opportunities, resulting in an appreciable improvement in their livelihoods on a sustainable basis, through building strong grassroots level institutions of the poor. The mission also aims to provide shelters equipped with essential services to the urban homeless in a phased manner. In addition, the mission addresses livelihood concerns of the urban street vendors by facilitating access to suitable spaces, institutional credit, social security and skills to the urban street vendors for accessing emerging market opportunities.

Physical Achievements are as follows:-

During the current financial year, the work orders have been issued to 1224 beneficiaries for pursuing skill development courses across all 14 ULBs and the revolving fund has been disbursed to 94 Self Help Groups (SHGs) under social mobilization and institutional development.

2. Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) (Urban)

The scheme has been launched on 2nd October, 2014. The objective of the campaign is to achieve the vision of the National Urban Sanitation Policy (NUSP) which is all Indian cities and towns become totally sanitized, healthy and liveable and ensure and sustain good public health and environmental outcomes for all citizens with a special focus on hygienic and affordable sanitation facilities for the urban poor and women.

This campaign aims to create awareness in Government bodies, Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) and community at large for their full involvement in achieving the goal of clean India.

Physical Achievements are as follows:-

Under Swachh Bharat Mission- Urban, the State of Goa has been certified as Open Defecation Free (ODF) by the Quality Control of India (QCI) team which is a certifying agency notified by Government of India. There is 100% Door To Door collection of waste and segregation is at 86% (Average) in 14 ULBs. The process of establishment of Material Recovery Facility (MRF) in all 14 ULBs is ongoing. In ULBs like Ponda, Margao, Valpoi, Sankhali Mormugao, Mapusa and Canacona

a plan of action is proposed to augment wet waste treatment capacity using Bio-Methanation technology.

3. Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana- Housing for All (Urban) Mission

With growing population and urbanization, the housing needs of all sections of our society has to be considered. A house is required to ensure basic standards of living and to build a better civilization. Government of India has launched 'Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojna- Housing for all' (PMAY-HFA) scheme, especially planned for the people who can't afford a house under their financial circumstances. The PMAY-HFA scheme is a Housing solution for all the citizens of India.

Physical Achievements are as follows:-

Under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana – Urban, Goa State Urban Development Agency has provided financial assistance at the rate of Rs 2, 80,000/- to construct new houses and under Credit Linked Subsidy Scheme of PMAY-U a total of 640 applicants have benefited with subsidy amounting Rs. 10.00 Crores.

4. Integrated Development of Major towns (IDMT)

This is a state scheme implemented for accelerating overall infrastructure development of Municipal Towns. The scheme envisages construction of Markets, Bus stand, Parking lots, roads and such other infrastructural developmental works in the urban areas. Fair Recreational Activity and Non-Competitive Involvement in Sports (FRANCIS) 2013 is sub- scheme to the IDMT. The scheme is implemented by this department through the Goa State Urban Development Agency (GSUDA).

Physical achievements are as follows:-

Goa State Urban Development Agency is undertaking various projects under Integrated Development of Major Towns (IDMT) amounting to Rs. 100 Crores in this financial year.

5. Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT) / Smart City Mission (SCM)

The objective of the AMRUT Mission is for providing basic services (e.g. water supply, sewerage, urban transport) to household and build amenities in cities which will improve the quality of life for all, especially the poor and the disadvantaged.

The objective of the Smart City Mission (SCM) is for providing adequate water supply, assured electricity supply, sanitation, including solid waste management, efficient urban mobility and public transport, affordable housing, especially for the poor, robust IT connectivity and digitalization, good governance, e-Governance and citizen participation, sustainable environment, health and education etc.

The Government of Goa has formed Imagine Panaji Smart City Development Ltd. (IPSCDL) as the Nodal Office for implementation of AMRUT & SCM schemes.

Physical achievements are as follows:-

Under AMRUT Mission project namely Development of Altinho Steps near Portuguese Consulate and Church Square is due for completion this year. It is estimated that approximately 5000 Nos. of citizens will be impacted particularly in respect to providing better access facilities for school children as the steps are leading to the Progress High School and further, provides access to the High Court.

Under SCM projects, namely Goa Intelligent City Management System – Panaji City (GICMS) and Smart Conversion of Overhead to Underground Electrical Networks Panaji and Ribander are due for completion this year.

6. Real Estate Regulatory Authority (RERA)

The Permanent Authority for Goa RERA has been appointed vide Notification No. 1/RERA/Chairman & Members/2018/2200 dated 16th October, 2019. For the purpose of adjudicating compensation, RERA has appointed Adjudicating Officers on the panel of Goa RERA vide Order No. 11/59/2019-DMA/Adjudicating Officer/278 dated 21/11/2019. For the FY 2019-20 total 149 nos. of projects and 54 nos. of agents have been registered with Goa RERA. The online registrations are being carried out.

7. Directorate of Municipal Administration in collaboration with Goa State Urban Development Agency (GSUDA) has implemented various E-Governance applications through a common web portal for all ULBs like Online collection of house tax, issuance and renewal of trade licenses, collection of shop rentals. In addition to the above, the online issuance of construction licenses, issuance of Birth & Death certificates and door to door service of house tax collections using GPRS devices are scheduled to be rolled out shortly.

