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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:-Reconstitution of the Mission Steering Committee (MSC) on Climate Change Programme of DST.

The Department of Science & Technology, Ministry of Science & Technology is coordinating and implementing two out of eight national missions as part of the National Action Plan on Climate Change (NAPCC). These are: (a) National Mission for Sustaining Himalayan Ecosystem (NMSHE) and (b) National Mission on Strategic Knowledge for Climate Change (NMSKCC).

Consequent upon completion of its tenure, the competent authority has approved reconstitution of the Mission steering Committee (MSC) to provide guidance to the Climate Change Programme (CCP) in terms of its overall assessment and recommendations for support to the R&D projects, already scrutinized and recommended by the Expert Committee (EC) but having proposed budget in excess of 3 crores with the followings composition, terms of reference and tenure.

A. Composition of the Expert Committee:

	The Secretary, DST, New Delhi	Chairman
1.	The Secretary, DST, New Delhi	Member
2.	The Secretary, MoEF & CC, New Delhi	Member
3.	The Secretary, MoWR, New Delhi	Member
4.	The Secretary, MARE/DG,ICAR, New Delhi	Member
5.	The Secretary, MNRE, New Deini	
6.	AS & FA, DST, New Delhi	Member
7.	IS (A) DST New Delhi	Member
8.	Prof. S.K. Dube, Former Director, III, Kharagpur, Chairman of the Expert	Member
9.	Ommittee- Ex officio Dr. S.P. Singh, Ex-Vice-Chancellor,	Member
10.	HNB Garhwal University, Dehradun Dr. Akhilesh Gupta, Head (SPLICE-CCP),	Member-Secretary
	DST, New Delhi	



B. Terms of reference for the Mission Steering Committee:

- The Mission Steering Committee will provide overall guidance and direction to the Expert Committee of Climate Change Programme.
- ii) The committee will carry out overall assessment of the Climate Change Programme and provide recommendation for support to R&D projects with proposed budget in excess of Rs. 3 Crores.
- iii) The Committee if necessary may co-opt any additional member during the tenure of the Committee.

C. Tenure of the Mission Steering Committee

The Tenure of the Mission Steering Committee will be for a period of **THREE** years from the date of its first meeting.

D. Payment of TA/DA:

- i) The non-official members will be paid TA/DA/local hospitality as per their entitlements under GOI norms.
- ii) The non-official members of the committee will be paid Rs.4000/- per day towards honorarium for attending the meeting of the Committee.

This issues with the approval of Secretary, DST vide his dairy No. 9097 dated 21.08.2018

(Dr. Susheela Negi) Scientist-E/27.08.2018

To,

- All the MSC members
- 2. Head (SPLICE, DST
- 3. Sr. PPS to Secretary, DST
- 4. PS to AS&FA, DST
- 5. PS to Chief Controller of Accounts, DST.
- 6. Pay & Accounts Office, DST.
- 7. DDO, DST