

Subject: Request for submission of 'Good Practices' from the State & UT Government

The GoI-UNDP project on 'Human Development: Towards Bridging Inequalities' seeks to document successful initiatives in social sector service delivery by the State Governments in the form of a Resource Book on Good Practices in Social Sector Service Delivery. In this context, OneWorld Foundation had been awarded the contract to document 'Good Practices' case studies.

2. You may recall that the earlier two compendiums published in 2002 and 2009 (available at <http://planningcommission.nic.in/plans/stateplan/ssphd/gprb.pdf>), on successful development initiatives by the State Governments in key fields like livelihoods, health, food security and nutrition, women empowerment, child protection, e-governance, etc. was found useful.

3. The proposed compendium proposes to document recent innovations in the fields of health, education, livelihoods and skill development, food security, women & child development, environment, drinking water & sanitation, social security, energy and any other key sector that you may find important. This document aims at understanding the emergence and operation of a good practice, gauging the conditions for their replicability and sustainability as well as extract lessons for the future.

4. In this context, you are requested to:

- i. **Circulate the template** on Good Practices template to all the concerned departments for submitting the case studies for consideration. The Template for submitting the case study and criteria guidelines is enclosed.
- ii. **Send maximum 4 case studies implemented between 2009 to 2012**, that may be considered for incorporating in the Resource Book.
- iii. **Provide contact details of the nodal officer from the departments submitting the case studies** so that they may be contacted for additional information or clarification.

5. The OneWorld Foundation team members: Ms. Aditi Dayal (Knowledge and Research Manager) and Ms. Manju Khurana (Research Analyst) will be in touch with you regarding the same.

6. Kindly send the case studies by email on the template to the Ms. Swayamprabha Das, Project Manager, HDBI project (email: swayamprabha.das@undp.org) **latest by 30 May 2013**.



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To,
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