Review meeting on CLSS with CNAs on 5th April, 2017

by Secretary (HUPA), Ministry of Housing & Urban Poverty Alleviation

Officials Present:

1. Joint Secretary and Mission Director (HFA)
2. Deputy Secretary (HFA-4)
3. Sh. V. Rajan, GM, NHB
4. Sh. Ashish Jain, Manager, NHB
5. Sh. Shanuj Gupta, JGM (RF), HUDCO
6. Sh. Manoj Deodhar, JGM (F), HUDCO
7. Ms. Nitika Krishan, Lead (AH&US), PMU

- NHB informed that as on 31.03.2017, 27,883 beneficiaries have been accorded subsidy in CLSS and an amount of Rs. 512.03 crore has been released as interest subsidy, while HUDCO, for the same period, has covered 759 beneficiaries and has released Rs. 11.6 crore as subsidy, respectively.
- CNAs were requested to ensure compliance of MoEITY Circular on data sharing in compliance with IT Act, 2000 and Aadhaar Act, 20016. A copy of the circular was shared with CNAs on 29.03.2017.
- NHB confirmed that data sheets for filing claims under CLSS (3 additional data sheets) will be available in 7 working days and the online portal system will be available by end of April 2017.
- HUDCO confirmed that it has been able to ensure the time period of release of interest subsidy to 5 working days.
- HUDCO was requested to ensure that its own RCs and Zonal Heads access the state-wise online data of potential CLSS beneficiaries provided by NHB.
- NHB was requested to forward its requisition of provision of subsidy from MHUPA for FY 2017-18 as per the terms of the PMAY guidelines.
- HUDCO was requested to verify the claims received by it from one PLI in Bihar through a site visit.
- HUDCO was requested to check with SLBC and ULBs of North East region on cases where land as collateral is required for processing home loan applications and analyse the information wrt CLSS applications.
- HUDCO was requested to follow up on potential CLSS cases at Morigaon, Assam.
- NHB was requested to consider the feasibility of establishing a CLSS help desk at different SLBCs.
- NHB informed that it has submitted analyses data from call logs of its Tollfree Helpline Numbers. HUDCO was requested to submit similar data analyses.
- CNAs were requested to explore the idea of decentralising Toll free numbers for assistance in regional languages especially in South India.

- The next meeting of the Monitoring Committee under CLSS with Secretary (HUPA) and Secretary (DFS) as Co-chairs, is to be convened. A request to DFS for a convenient schedule for the same is to be processed on file.

- NHB is to examine and project additional manpower requirements in view of the enlarged role of activities under CLSS. Support required from MHUPA in this regard may also be ascertained.

- NHB was also requested to frame suitable criteria for awarding best performing PLIS under CLSS, both, at National level and State level, for further consideration of the Ministry.