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No. eG/15/2018-NIC-MOWS  
Government of India  
Ministry of Jal Shakti  
Department of Drinking Water and Sanitation  
**National Jal Jeevan Mission (NJJM)**

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**To,**  
**Principal Secretary/Secretary**  
In charge of Rural Water Supply/ PHE Department  
All States/UTs,

**Subject :** Jal Jeevan Mission - Extension of deadline for data updation (2019-20)

**Madam/ Sir**

In continuation to this Department's letter eG/ 15/ 2018-NIC- MOWS, dated January 28, 2020 and as provided in the Operational Guidelines for the implementation of Jal Jeevan Mission, and subsequent follow up through video-conferences, email, messages on whatsapp group, etc, it was continuously emphasized that 're-validation of baseline data' should be completed at the earliest and 'on priority', but not later than 31st March, 2020. The 'value of data updation' may please be appreciated as this data is used to decide the allocation of funds under JJM and in case data of any State is not updated completely, weightage cannot be given to incomplete data and thus for those parameter(s), weightage to become 'zero'.


2. Further, it was also communicated that for 2019-20, last date for entry of information in IMIS related to re-validation of baseline data, updation of directories and monthly progress of physical & financial achievement for the current year, will be 31st March, 2020.

3. However, in view of country-wide lock down declared to stop the spread of Corona Virus, a number of representations have been received through email and messages from various States requesting to extend the last date for data entry/updation exercise.

4. Keeping in view the prevailing extraordinary situation due to the lock down, the matter has been reviewed and it has been decided to extend the deadline for data updation of directories (population and house hold data for all the habitations), coverage information, quality-affected habitation

information, verification of baseline data (tagging) and monthly progress of physical & financial progress, **upto 22nd April, 2020.**

5. You will appreciate that if data updation is not complete, the allocation of funds to States as well as Annual Plan (2020-21) will be adversely affected. It may not be possible to hold back allocation of fund exercise and in the absence of updated data and the particular State may get adversely affected. Thus, updation of data is of 'critical importance'. In view of the need to have updated data before allocation and release of funds in 2020-21, you are requested to accord very high priority to this exercise and complete the same.



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