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Joint Secretary Government of India Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare Department of Animal Husbandry, Diarying & Fisheries Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi-110001

Dated the 2nd March, 2016

D.O.No.12035/1/2016-Fy (WU)

Dear Shor Hugar Lollenji,

As you are aware the Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) Programme is mandated to provide an overarching vision and direction to enable direct cash transfers of benefits under the various Government schemes and programmes to individuals. Leveraging the gains made in the Aadhar Project for financial inclusion, the DBT programme has an avowed objective of accurately targeting the intended beneficiaries and enhancing efficiency, transparency and accountability.

- The component on Saving-cum-Relief of the Central Sector Scheme 'National Scheme of Welfare of Fishermen' offers direct cash transfer to fishers during the lean fishing season and it has been decided to bring this component under the DBT Platform. Accordingly, the State Governments/UTs have been requested vide this Department's letters of even number dated 20.02.2015 and 01.02.2016 to complete the prerequisites for this integration such as digitization of beneficiaries database, Aadhar enrolment of beneficiaries and seeding of Aadhar number into beneficiaries bank accounts etc., for on-boarding of the DBT platform. It was also requested to encourage beneficiaries without bank accounts to open their bank accounts under Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana.
- 3. Reference is also invited to the letter written by the Secretary (ADF) on 04.2.2016 to the Chief Secretary of all States/UTs emphasizing urgent action by the States/UTs to bring the direct cash benefit oriented schemes under the ambit of DBT.
- We are however yet to receive any reply on the action taken/being taken by your Department in this regard. I shall be grateful if you could kindly look into the matter personally and apprise us of the progress made in this regard at an early date.

Best Lyards,

Yours sincerely,

Encl: As above

Shri Huzar Lollen, Commissioner cum Secretary (Fisheries), Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, New Itanagar - 791 111.

This is important and urgent.

Be put up ammetly for a formal discussion on the matter.

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