Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology Major achievements Month of November, 2019

The significant developments pertaining to Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology for the month of November, 2019 are as given below:

I. Important Policy decisions taken and major achievements during the month:

1) International Cooperation

- i) Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI), Japan conducted a study tour and visited MeitY to study further Digital India, India Stack, and related programmes. A meeting cum demonstration was held on 5th November, 2019 in MeitY, to demonstrate and discuss issues related to Digital India products and India Stack concepts to find out the possible model of development in India-Japan Digital Partnership. Several Japanese IT companies viz. NTT Data Corporation, ITOCHU Techno-Solutions Co., NEC Corporation, Fujitsu Limited, Oki Electric Industry Co., Ltd. Etc. participated in the study tour.
- ii) A meeting between Hon'ble MoS(E&IT) and a 12 member Japanese delegation of international Friendship Exchange Council (FEC), headed by Vice Chairperson, Mr. Watanabe, and former Ambassador Hirabayashi was held on 5th November, 2019 in MeitY during their visit to India. During the meeting, Hon'ble MoS(E&IT) highlighted Digital India programme and its benefits to the large Indian population and also appreciated the progress made on India-Japan Digital Partnership.
- iii) Under the framework of the expected visit of the Latvian Foreign Minister to India, a Latvian ICT delegation, including Mr Juris Štālmeistars, Director General of the Economic Relations, Trade and Development Cooperation Directorate of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Latvia, and representatives of the leading Latvian telecommunications operator "Latvijas Mobilais telefons" (LMT), visited India. Latvia is keen to explore cooperation opportunities with India in the ICT sector. In this regard, a meeting cum demonstration under the Chairmanship of Shri Rajiv Kumar, Joint Secretary, MeitY was held on 21st November 2019 in MeitY, to demonstrate and discuss on the Digital India products, concepts to find out the possible model of development in India-Latvia Digital Partnership. It is expected to be followed by a high level ICT delegation from Latvia in January.
- iv) On the request of the Embassy of Japan, Secretary, MeitY held a meeting with Mr. Shigehiro Tanaka, Vice-Minister for International Affairs, Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI), Government of Japan on 22nd November, 2019 in MeitY to discuss progress on India-Japan Digital Partnership and to extend the cooperation. Both sides expressed satisfaction with ongoing progress being made on India-Japan Digital Partnership and expressed their confidence to enhance the cooperation activities.
- v) A meeting between Secretary, MeitY and Mr. Jari Gustafsson, Permanent Secretary, Finland was held on 22nd November, 2019 in MeitY. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss ICT/Digital collaboration and opportunities between Finland and India. A Joint Declaration of Intent (JDI) was also signed on Cooperation in the field of Digitalisation between India and Finland. The scope of the JDI is to emphasize G2G and B2B cooperation with Finland and pivoting to the Nordic region.
- vi) Global Exhibition on Services (GES 2019) organized by the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Government of India was held during 26-28 November 2019 in Bengaluru. MeitY participated in GES 2019 under the theme of 'New India-Digital India' to showcase broad spectrum of MeitY's activities towards harnessing Public Digital Platforms and startup ecosystem in the country. During the event, a session on IT was also organized by CII on "Software Products for Innovation and Growth". Two B2B sessions were also held with African and European countries

2) <u>UIDAI</u>

A seven member delegation from New Zealand, comprising parliamentarians, visited UIDAI on 25th November 2019. A demonstration on Aadhaar was given to the delegation followed by question and answer session.

Important developments under MeitY's Schemes:

- As on 30th November, 2019, total number of Aadhaar generated are 124.86 crore against the 'projected population 2019' of 135.39 crore. Aadhaar saturation (Projected Population 2019) across India stands at 89.60%.
- Total number of e-Services registered in eTaal till 30th November, 2019 is 3,751.

I) Minimum Government, Maximum Governance

Jeevan Pramaan

The number of Digital Life Certificates (DLCs) generated till November, 2019 is 332.86 lakh and number of DLCs generated in the month of November, 2019 is 66,88,307.

MyGov

MyGov has 814 discussion themes and 854 tasks. Around 96 lakh people have registered on the Platform and each one is receiving weekly newsletter.

Open Government Data Platform (OGD) India

Around 3.41 lakh resources have been contributed under 7,935 catalogues and 1,887 Visualizations and 21,793 APIs have been created.

- II. Important policy matters held up on account of prolonged inter-ministerial consultations: 'NIL'.
- **III.** Compliance of CoS decisions: Decisions of CoS meetings on the issues relating to MeitY are being updated on e-SamikSha portal under "Committee of Secretaries" module.
- IV. No. of cases of 'sanction for prosecution' pending for more than three months: 'NIL'
- V. Particular of cases in which there has been a departure from the transaction of Business Rules or established policy of the government: There has been no departure from the Transaction of Business Rules or the established policy of the Government.
- VI. Status of implementation of e-Governance: MeitY has initiated File Management System through e-Office.

Total No. of Physical files created during November, 2019	Total No. of e files created during November, 2019
71	160

VII. Status of Public Grievances:

disposed during the the November, 2019	No. of Public Grievances pending at the end of the month November, 2019
611	472

VIII. Information on the specific steps taken by the Ministry/department for utilization of the Space technology based tools and applications in Governance and Development.

The Geographic Information System (GIS) based decision support system (DSS) platform was established under the National Centre of Geo-Informatics (NGoG) which was approved by the Competent Authority on 31.12.2015 for total outlay of Rs.98.28 crore.

Following are the key achievements on NCoG:

i) Total number of Applications: 517

ii) Total number of Web applications: 489

iii) Total number of Mobile applications: 28

iv) Number of Central Ministries/Departments/Agencies :27

v) Number of States/UTs: 19