

DELHI DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
UTTIPEC:6th FLOOR:VIKAS MINAR
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NoF.1(2)08/UTTIPEC/D-88

Dated : 11.12.08

**MINUTES OF THE 8th UTTIPEC MEETING, HELD ON 21.11.08 AT 11.00 A.M.,
UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE HON'BLE LT. GOVERNOR OF DELHI.**

1. A meeting of the UTTIPEC was held on 21.11.08 at 11.00 A.M. at Vikas Minar, under the Chairmanship of the Hon'ble Lt. Governor of Delhi. The detailed agenda points for discussion for UTTIPEC meeting was circulated during the meeting. List of members and participants who attended the meeting is placed as Annexure 'A'.

2. A.C.(Plg.)III, DDA welcomed the Hon'ble Lt. Governor, VC, DDA, Chief Secretary Delhi, Chairman-NDMC and other members for the 8th meeting of UTTIPEC. Director (Plg.)UTTIPEC introduced new Jt.Dir.(Plg.)UTTIPEC/Ex. Engineer as Convenors of various working groups. Hon'ble LG appreciated the efforts made for systematic working of UTTIPEC and congratulated VC, DDA for strengthening the UTTIPEC.

3. Minutes of the UTTIPEC meeting held on 7.11.08 were issued vide No.F.1(2)08/UTTIPEC/Pt.III/D-50 dt:21.11.08 These were also circulated during the meeting & since there were no observations, the same were confirmed.

4. Brief review of actions arising out of UTTIPEC meeting held on 7.11.08:

- i) E.M., DDA informed that the minor work on entry/exit from Nizamudin Railway Station has already been started and shall be completed by the end of December 2008.
- ii) E.M., DDA apprised the members about the progress of underpass on Dwarka Circle. He intimated that the construction work will be completed in one year time after the finalization of structural design.
- iii) Engineer-in Chief- MCD, intimated that a team of experts of Delhi College of Engg. has already visited the Wazirpur Road and the samples for quality audit are being collected. L.G. stressed the need for maintaining high quality of workmanship, use of standard material & supervision during all road construction works by different road owning agencies. The UTTIPEC through its working group on quality assurance/audit is to quickly work out an independent panel of quality testing institutions in this regard, i.e. Delhi College of Engineering, Shree Ram Centre etc.

**Action: All road owning agencies/
Convenor working group- V)**

5. Brief Report of working group meetings:

i) I- A & I- B on 11.11.08:

M.D., DIMTS, Chairman working group I A briefly presented the deliberations of the introductory meeting of the working group. It was highlighted that the draft guidelines prepared by the Core Group of UTTIPEC on Parking, Transit Oriented Development, Road Safety & Urban Roads and Grade Separators were

circulated to all the members and the key institutions like IRC, CRRI, MOUD, MOST, IRTE, CSE, ITPI & IUT through Email for their inputs. L.G. desired that the representatives of all these institutions be also involved in finalizing the guidelines by organizing round table discussions by the Working Group. It was also desired by him that President, AAUI be inducted as a member in working group I A for eliciting his contributions.

(Action: Convenor Working Group I- A)

E.M., DDA, as a Chairman of working group I B presented that since the Planning & Engineering norms/standard work has already been done by CRRI, IRC, IIT etc., these agencies are being consulted for finalizing UTTIPEC Plg. & Engg. Norms and standards.

(Action: Convenor Working Group I- B)

ii). I- C & IV on 14.11.08:

M.D. DIMTS informed that all the participating agencies of UTTIPEC have been requested to prepare the 'standard data format', for preparing a transportation infrastructure data base in UTTIPEC. The same is being integrated with work of Navyug and I.T. Department of GNCT Delhi.

Pr.Commissioner-Common Wealth Games, DDA, Chairperson of working group IV on development of website indicated that as a part of DDA website basic UTTIPEC data has already been activated. With the help of NIC

arrangements for server space, UTTIPEC portal and an agency to maintain & update UTTIPEC web site is also being finalized. L.G. appreciated the efforts made by the group & desired that this work be expedited and attempts be made to complete the process in about one month's time.

(Action: Convenor Working Group-I- C & IV)

iii) III held on 19.11.08:

Jt.Commissioner(Traffic Police) briefly presented the deliberations of the working group. He stressed the need for co-opting representatives of all the road owning agencies i.e. PWD, MCD, NDMC & DDA in this working group. The same was agreed.

It was informed that a small group consisting of President AAUI representative of MCD & Jt.Director (TT)II/Convenor has been constituted to prepare a comparative statement of road markings based on CRRI guidelines and inter-national conventions. L.G. desired that the salient findings be presented with recommendations of the working group before the next UTTIPEC meeting, using power point presentation. The working group also recommended pruning of trees & bushes by the road owning agencies, atleast 3 times a year, removal of encroachment from the roads and ensuring provision of central verge/railing on all major arterial roads.

**(Action: Convenor Working Group- III
All road owning agencies)**

iv) II- A & II- B held on 11.11.08 & 20.11.08:

E.M., DDA, Chairman of the groups, briefly presented the decisions of the working group on 6 specific schemes as detailed out at (a) to (f) in the detailed agenda points for discussions circulated during the meeting.

It was informed that following 3 specific proposals were recommended by the group for consideration of UTTIPEC.

- a) 49 specific road/intersection proposals submitted by traffic police concerning MCD, PWD, NDMC & DDA were considered & approved by the working group being minor road circulation improvement works. Chairman UTTIPEC desired that these be completed by all the concerned agencies within 2 months and the improvement works carried out be presented through Power Point Presentation during the UTTIPEC meeting.

(Action: Convenor Working Group II- B)

All road owning agencies)

- b) The modified proposal of link road connecting Press Enclave road of DIMTS was recommended by the working group as an interim relief road with certain observations. The proposal was presented by DIMTS during the UTTIPEC meeting and after discussion, it was approved in principle, subject to compliance of observations of working group & submission of proposal in the standard format. It was also stressed that comprehensive solution to the roads around Saket Distt. Centre be attempted by PWD, GNCTD separately. The encroachment on roads be also got cleared to improve the road capacity.

(Action: Convenor Working Group II- B & ENC-PWD).

- c) **Traffic circulation & management plan of New Delhi Railway Station & Civic Centre:** Northern Railway's integrated/modified proposal as discussed in the working group meeting on 20.11.08 was presented jointly by Engineer-in-Chief MCD & Chief Engineer Northern Railways. Based on the recommendations of the working group Phase I of the proposal consisting of station circulation improvement within the northern railway land, an under bridge at JLN Marg & widening/improvement of Desh Bandhu Gupta Marg by MCD was approved. This will facilitate smooth movement of traffic around MCD Civic Centre & also allow Northern Railway to develop additional passenger facilities related to circulation & parking etc. The necessity to have dedicated East West corridor was also agreed to. In view of limited traffic handling capacity of adjoining roads highlighted by Chairman NDMC, Traffic Police, PWD, MCD & DDA, the Railway's second phase proposal including property development was not favoured,

Out of the other projects discussed in the working group meeting of II B, L.G. desired that the traffic planning solution at ITO junction be discussed in detail on priority and a presentation of most feasible solution recommended by the working group be presented in the next UTTIPEC meeting.

(Action: Convenor working group II- B)

6. Briefing about other important meetings on T.T. :-

The chairman & other members of the UTTIPEC were briefed about important meetings on various traffic & transportation proposals related with Common Wealth Games, taken by Chief Secretary, Delhi and Special Advisor Common Wealth Games, GNCTD.

7. **Any other Item with the permission of the chair:**
Hon'ble L.G. reiterated the urgency of taking transportation improvement works by all the concerned road owning agencies. He desired that a brief report on road improvement works undertaken by each agency be presented by the concerned Engineer-in-Chief/C.E. to the UTTIPEC in all its meetings.

**(Action:ENC-MCD/PWD,
C.E(NR)/NDMC/NHAI &
E.M.DDA)**

8. Next meeting of the UTTIPEC is scheduled to be held on 12.12.08 at 11.00 A.M. at Vikas Minar, DDA Office.
9. The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/-
(Ashok Bhattacharjee)
Jt.Director(Plg.)/UTTIPEC

To

All present/members/concerned.