Heartiest Felicitations

SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI
Hon’ble Minister of State (Independent Charge)
Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs

CPWD heartily welcomes Shri Hardeep Singh Puri, on assuming the office of Minister of State (Independent Charge), Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs on second term.

Under the able guidance and dynamic leadership of Hon’ble Minister, we as a vibrant, proactive and responsive Principal Engineering Organization, shall work tirelessly to make CPWD befitting to his vision and further accelerate all round growth of the department.

We look forward to his guidance and encouragement in CPWD’s transformation in the present times fast changing environment.
It is a matter of immense pleasure for me that I am reaching you all every month through the monthly Newsletter of the Department and sharing my views and feelings about the activities and achievements of department.

Recently, our Department has received many accolades. PMO South Block Building and Sardar Patel Bhawan in New Delhi have been awarded Five Star Energy Rating by the Bureau of Energy Efficiency. Presidential Dias erected by the CPWD during Republic Day Celebrations at Rajpath, New Delhi with the retractable roof, largest one of its kind has found place in the Limca Book of Records. PGIMER Chandigarh constructed by the CPWD has been awarded highest platinum green rating by the IGBC. Grand arrangements for swearing in ceremony of the new Government made by us at Rashtrapati Bhawan has been appreciated by one and all.

We have launched our own official You Tube Channel and uploaded videos of our iconic works in this channel, which are now available for the whole world to see our capability and competence. We have brought out new Plinth Area Rates 2019, General Conditions of Contract 2019 (Construction, Maintenance and EPC Contracts) and Enlistment Rules for the Contractors 2019, which shall be released by the Secretary, Ministry of Housing Urban Affairs on June 14, 2019 in Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi.

It has been my constant endeavor to give rapid boost to schemes and policies of the Department and to take up new initiatives in a time bound manner for the speedy growth of the Department. We have succeeded in our mission to a great extent. Everyone is witnessing a new period of accelerated change in our functioning. Our visibility has increased. We have earned the trust of our clients and stakeholders. We are signing MoUs almost on daily basis. New works are pouring in. We are building a rejuvenated and re-emerging CPWD through a process of all inclusiveness and wider consultations.

Let us take pride and joy being the part of our great organisation and continue to contribute towards steering it to greater heights. I am confident that with the combined efforts of all of us, CPWD shall continue to excel in all spheres of its activities.

PRABHAKAR SINGH
It is a matter of pride for the Department that grand arrangements made by CPWD during swearing in ceremony of the new Government at Rashtrapati Bhawan has been widely appreciated.

SANJAY KOTHARI
Secretary to the
President of India


RASHTRAPATI BHAWAN
New Delhi - 110004

03 June, 2019.

Dear Shri Prabhakar Singh,

Hon'ble President of India administered the Oath of Office to the Prime Minister and his Council of Ministers at a spectacular swearing-in-Ceremony held in the forecourt of the Rashtrapati Bhawan on 30th May 2019. The event was a grand success and has come in for praise and appreciation from all quarters.

2. I thank you and your team for your contribution in making the event a memorable one. You made excellent arrangements for the smooth conduct of the event. While we had several departments of our government involved in the organization, the work handled by CPWD, indeed, formed the backbone of the show. The stage lay-out, seating arrangements, lighting preparations, flower decoration and the overall aesthetic appeal of the set-up measured up to our high expectation.

3. Please do convey our deep appreciation to your team members for their professionalism and hard work. We will continue to count on your invaluable support. I wish you and your team the very best for future endeavors.

Yours sincerely,

[Sanjay Kothari]

Shri Prabhakar Singh,
Director General,
Central Public Works Department,
Nirman Bhawan,
New Delhi 110 011.
Shri Navin Arora, IG (Works) inaugurated 120 Men barrack for STS, ITBP, Shivpuri, M.P. on May 15, 2019.

Chairman Bhakra Beas Management Board (BBMB) inaugurated Phase-I Township at BBMB Nangal, Punjab on June 2, 2019.
Shri Deepak Ghaisas, Chairman, Board of Governors inaugurated Library cum Computer Centre at IIITDM, Jabalpur, M.P. on May 22, 2019.

Shri Padmsri Vaidya Rajesh Katech, Secretary, Ayush Ministry laid foundation stone for construction of NASRDR building for RARI, Jhansi on May 8, 2019.
Shri Durga Shanker Mishra, Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs inaugurated a daylong Seminar on “Skilling of Construction Workers and Safety Management in Projects” organized by the CPWD in New Delhi on April 26, 2019. The Seminar was a grand success.

Dr. Trilochan Mohapatra Secretary, DARE & Director General, ICAR inaugurated ICAR-NBAIR National Insect Museum at Bengaluru on March 10, 2019 in presence of Shri S.N. Rai, CE, SZ III, Bangalore, Karnataka India.
Shri Pravin Srivastava, Chief Statistician of India, New Delhi inaugurated Office Building for NSSO at Hubli on March 27, 2019.

Sh Ashwini Choubey Hon’ble State Minister for Health visited site of BHU and SSB Hospital on June 8, 2019 to review the progress of works at site.


Foundation stone laying ceremony of Hostel Building of NSTI (Campus-II), Bengaluru by Dr. K.P. Krishnan, IAS, Secretary, MSDE and Shri Rajesh Aggarwaal, IAS, DG / Addl. Secretary DGT, MSDE on May 21, 2019.
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Shri Ajmal Singh Kathat, IG, BSF inaugurated Composite BOP at Panchi on March 14, 2019 in presence of Shri Ranjit Singh, CE (IBBZ-I), CPWD, Siliguri and BSF officers.
Director General, CPWD during his visit to Bangalore on May 8, 2019 met Hon’ble Chief Minister, Government of Karnataka and requested him for wider participation of CPWD in development of Karnataka.

Director General, CPWD during his visit to Bangalore on May 9, 2019 met the Chief Secretary, Government of Karnataka.

DG, CPWD during his visit on May 8, 2019 to Bangalore inspected recently completed building of GSI at Bangalore.
A Business Meet was held on April 20, 2019 in Dehradun during the visit of Director General, CPWD. The Meet was a grand success.

Director General, CPWD during his visit to Bangalore on May 8, 2019 inaugurated Organic Waste Converter in GPOA, Kendriya Sadan, Koramangala, Bangalore.

Director General, CPWD during his visit to Bangalore on May 8, 2019 laid Foundation Stone for 100 kLD Sewage Treatment Plant in GPRA, HSR Layout, Bangalore.
Shri Prabhakar Singh, Director General, CPWD met Chief Secretary, Government of Uttarakhand during his visit on April 20, 2019 and apprised him about the various works undertaken by CPWD in the state of Uttarakhand.

Director General, CPWD met Director, LBSS & AA, Mussori on April 21, 2019 during his visit to Dehradun and inspected the premises.

Tree plantation by Director General, CPWD on April 20, 2019 at GPRA Colony Dehradun
Open house Seminar on "Building Information Modelling" organised on May 17, 2019 at Conference Room, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi.

Dr. Sudhir Kumar Mishra, Scientist and CEO, BRAHMOS, New Delhi inaugurated Workshop building and AC plant building on April 26, 2019 in NITAP campus at Tadepalligudem, Andhra Pradesh.

Shri Prabhakar Singh, Director General, CPWD during his official visit to Lucknow met Chief Secretary, Government of Uttar Pradesh and apprised him about the activities of CPWD in the State.
HIRDAY Works undertaken by CPWD at Amritsar.

Faced work on Maharaja Ranjitsingh Raod, Amritsar

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Khazana Gate, Amritsar
Shri. R. K. Mishra, IPS, Director General, BSF inaugurated Gazetted Officers’ Mess, Administrative Block and Sub-Ordinates Offices’ Mess at Varsgaon, Pune on May 9, 2019.
Shri Prabhakar Singh DG CPWD launched You Tube Channel and also released a film on Dr. B R Ambedkar Memorial constructed by CPWD during a function on June 4, 2019, New Delhi.

Shri Sudhir Kumar Chawla, ADG (NER), CPWD inaugurated OWC (Capacity 150 Kg/day) at GPRA Kataabari, Guwahati, Assam on April 09, 2019.
WORK PORTFOLIO
(FY 2019-20)

1. Works amounting to over 36000 crores (excluding border works) are in progress.

2. New Sanctions of over 14000 crores (excluding border works) have been received.

3. PEs for more than 3000 works amounting to over 42000 crores submitted to the clients, for which sanctions are awaited.
NEW MoUs

A MoU with IIT Gandhinagar signed in the presence of Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs on May 15, 2019, wherein CPWD will setup an R&D cell at the Research Park of IIT Gandhinagar to collaborate with the institute for the cutting edge research in the housing and urban development sector.

A MoU between School of Planning and Architecture and CPWD signed on April 29, 2019 for development of new campus of School of Planning & Architecture at Vasant Kunj, New Delhi.

A MoU signed between Ordnance Factory Khamaria, Jabalpur (M.P.) and CPWD for new upcoming works in Ordnance Factory Khamaria, Jabalpur (M.P.) on May 6th 2019.
Memorandum of Cooperation signed between CPWD and CIDC on April 16, 2019 in New Delhi to collaborate, cooperate and complement each other to undertake initiatives to provide capacity & Institution building support and also propagation of best practices of the entire construction sector.

A National MOU between CPWD and Reserve Bank of India (RBI) signed on June 7, 2019 in New Delhi for construction of RBI works in next 10 years.

MoU signed between CPWD Officers’ Wife Association and Central Public Works Department on June 3, 2019 for the welfare of the construction workers and their family members such as organising health camps and managing crèches at CPWD construction sites.
APPRECIATIONS/RECOGNITIONS

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Commendation by Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs on DO letter from DG, CPWD regarding five star energy rating of CPWD Buildings.
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Shri R. K. Thathu, Director General (Planning), CPWD superannuated on April 30, 2019 after over 33 year of illustrious service in different capacities in CPWD.

Shri S. R. Jaurker, Additional Director General (Border), CPWD superannuated on April 30, 2019 after over 35 year of illustrious service in different capacities in CPWD.

Shri Jayesh Kumar, SDG(Civil) receiving the memento form Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs on his superannuation on 31st May 2019 after over 36 years of illustrious service in CPWD.

Shri S. K. Chawla, Additional Director General (E&M) promoted as Special Director General, Project Region Chandigarh.

Shri J. S. Sharma, Chief Engineer (Civil) promoted as Additional Director General, Border Region.

Shri Piyush Dave, Chief Architect promoted as Additional Director General (Works).

11 Superintending Engineers (Civil) promoted to the grade of Chief Engineer (Civil).

4 Section Officers (Hort) promoted to the grade of Assistant Director (Hort).
CPWD under the dynamic and visionary leadership of present Director General, CPWD has undergone an unprecedented paradigm shift in its functioning and a new period of accelerated positive change has been perceived by one and all.

- Department has picked up the momentum of growth keeping its vision and mission clear and focused and transformed as a modern, efficient and delivery oriented organization.
- CPWD has become the most coveted destination for the Government Departments / PSUs / Autonomous Bodies for catering to their built requirements. It has regained the status of Principal Technical Advisor to the Government of India.
- Achievements and activities of CPWD have been significant in terms of human resource management, speedier & quality construction, adoption of new technologies, completion of projects on time with quality and economy, adding new clients, signing new MoUs, implementing new policy initiatives for the growth of Department.

**Works Performance**

- Value of works in progress, newly sanctioned and in pipeline (including border works) would be to the tune of 130000 crores.
- Workload during the year 2017-18 of the Department was Rs. 13495 crores. Workload during the FY 2018-19 in similar terms has been Rs. 15639 crores. There has been increase of about 16% in the workload during 2018-19, when compared with the workload of previous year i.e. 2017-18. This increase in the workload during FY 2018-19 is phenomenal in comparison to trend of previous years
- Large numbers of buildings / projects have been completed. Some of the prestigious projects such as Samadhi Memorial ‘Sadaiv Atal’ at Rashtriya Smriti Sthal, New Delhi (completed in 42 days), National Salt Satyagraha Memorial’ at Dandi, Gujarat, Super Specialty Hospital at Gorakhpur, IIT Bhubaneswar Buildings, Heritage Street Lights and Central discovery Center building, Varanasi and Income Tax Tribunal Building, Bangalore were inaugurated by the Hon’ble Prime Minister of India.
- Underpass and Flyover project at Mahipalpur, New Delhi completed much ahead of the scheduled target of completion with saving of Rs. 26 crores was inaugurated by the Hon’ble Minister, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs.
- As a drill to improve maintenance, fortnightly maintenance drive was launched on August 15, 2018 on pan India basis. The drive was successful.
- Towards greening of Delhi, as a special drive, CPWD planted over 58,000 trees at various residential colonies and office complexes maintained by it.
- CPWD installed the State-of-the-Art Technology, environmental friendly, Dynamic Facade Lighting at many Heritage and Monumental Buildings in Varanasi and Amritsar, which attained global recognition.
- Works assigned by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs under Heritage City Development Scheme (HRIDAY) to CPWD at Amritsar, Gaya, Badami, Varanasi and Mathura have been successfully undertaken in a time bound manner.
- CPWD made excellent arrangements during Republic Day Celebrations-2019. Floral Tableau of CPWD showcased at Rajpath was widely appreciated.
- Mega Project of Redevelopment of four GPRA colonies in New Delhi have been commenced.
- CPWD has taken firm measures for generation of renewable energy through installation of roof top solar PV Plants. National Salt Satyagraha Memorial’ at Dandi, Gujarat has been developed as net positive energy campus by installation of solar trees. Roof Top Solar PV Plants have been made mandatory in all new projects of CPWD.
- As Energy Efficiency Measures, existing fittings in 25 General Pool Office Buildings and 138 Non-GPOA Buildings across the country have been replaced with LED fittings. All new constructions are being done with energy efficient fittings and fixtures.
- Under the ‘Sugamya Bharat’ Mission, CPWD has undertaken the massive task of making public buildings accessible and 548 buildings have been made completely accessible.

**New MoUs and Major Sanction**

- Many new clients have reposed their faith on CPWD during this period and Memorandum of Understandings signed with them for execution of their works.
- Important MoUs include works of AIIMS Jammu & Srinagar, Super Specialty Hospital Bhagalpur, Bihar, Film & Television Institute, Arunachal Pradesh, Super Speciality Block, RML Hospital, New Delhi, IIM Jammu, IIM Sirmour and New Medical Colleges at Hamirpur & Nahan (HP) costing over Rs. 6000 crores have been recently assigned to CPWD.
• A National MoU has been signed with Reserve Bank of India for execution of their works in next 10 years.

• General Pool Office Project at 30 Tyagraj Marg costing Rs. 400 crores and General Pool Residential project at Raipur costing Rs. 300 crores have been sanctioned by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs.

• Ministry of Rural Development assigned the work of Gramin Bhawan, New Delhi amounting to Rs. 450 crores to CPWD.

• Ministry of Health and Family Welfare assigned work of Super Speciality Block at RML Hospital costing Rs. 900 crores to CPWD.

• Memorandum of Cooperation signed with CIDC to collaborate and cooperate to undertake initiatives to provide capacity & Institution building support and also to propagate best practices of the entire construction sector.

• Memorandum of Understanding signed with School of Planning and Architecture on variety of areas of mutual interest and benefit related to housing and urban development sector including exchanging and sharing knowledge on various aspects of design, execution and maintenance related to buildings.

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• Mode of the execution of the major works exceeding 100 crores has been switched over to EPC for speedy delivery of the projects.

• Implementation of ERP in CPWD is being taken up on fast track basis. This will drastically improve the efficiency of the Department.

• Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE) engaged for energy rating of various buildings under control of CPWD.

• Efforts are being made to create SPVs in CPWD which will have appropriate autonomy and flexibility in adoption of various models for revenue generation and funding for the projects thus obviating the requirement of any budgetary support for such projects from the Government.

• Definition of comprehensive outsourcing of maintenance made more inclusive with unified tendering at division level.

• Skilling Mission has been taken by CPWD as a social responsibility for unskilled workers engaged at construction sites. Provision of skilling of construction workers increased in GCC from 20% to 30%. Till now, thousands of unskilled construction workers have been skilled for increased output and quality by them.

• For optimizing operational efficiencies, improving quality and speed, use of Building Information Modelling (BIM) has been made mandatory for the projects in CPWD, where multiple services are involved.

e-Governance Initiatives

• Functioning of the CPWD has significantly revamped due to the wide-ranging e-Governance initiatives taken, which are as under:

  • New homepage of the CPWD Website with Twitter handle, Facebook and you Tube channel.

  • Online module for creation of data bank of CPWD officers of all streams having specialization in Engineering, Architecture and Horticulture.

  • Online module for Audit Para Processing and Management System in CPWD.

  • New website of Central Vista, New Delhi launched, which disseminates information about history and current developments in Central Vista.

  • New website of Project Processing Approval and Management System

  • Online ACC Clearance Module

  • Online Probity Report Module

  • Online Periodic Review under Fundamental Rule 56j etc.

  • Online Reporting module for Sugamya Bharat - Accessible India Campaign

  • Online Reporting Module for Implementation of Energy Efficiency Measures

  • Online Solar Rooftop PV Generation Module.

  • Online Construction and Demolition Waste Management Reporting System

New Initiatives / Reforms

• Five Year Vision Document of the Department released.

• CPWD has undergone a major digital transformation enabling 100% payments electronically by networking all field units.

• To encourage use of new, clean and green technologies in construction, the CPWD has adopted sixteen new and innovative technologies in its works.

• Installation of Rain Water Harvesting system and Waste Water Recycling plant have been made mandatory in all CPWD major projects as a part of water conservation measures.

• Use of fly ash bricks/blocks made from C&D waste/ AAC blocks in masonry works made mandatory in place of burnt clay bricks for the works in Delhi-NCR, Mumbai, Chennai, Kolkata, Bangalore, Hyderabad, Ahmadabad and Surat.

• Construction and demolition(C&D) waste product items and Technical Textile included in CPWD Schedule of Rates for use in CPWD.
Online Rain Water Harvesting Schemes reporting module
- Online GPRA Quarters under Maintenance reporting module
- Online CCEA Measures to Review Construction Sector reporting module
- Online Recycling of Waste Water & Waste Management reporting module
- Horizon Module with a facility for online issue of QR codes for CPWD works
- Online Park Booking Module with NTRP
- Online Permission and Intimation of Properties by the Employees of CPWD
- Online Departmental Examination Management & Processing System
- Online Ready Reckoner of Outsourcing of Maintenance Divisions in CPWD
- Online Client Interaction Module

**Swachh Bharat Mission Initiatives**

- Under SBM, Sewage Treatment Plants have been installed in the existing GPOAs and GPRAs maintained by CPWD. During FY 2018-19, 92 Sewage Treatment Plants and 79 Solid Waste Convertors have been installed in existing GPRAs/GPOAs.
- Compost produced by these machines is being used in the horticulture works, to complete the ecological loop fulfilling the environment requirement of three R’s – Reduce, Reuse and Recycle.
- CPWD also initiated waste segregation at source at different locations in Delhi and outside with the help of start-ups with no cost to CPWD.
- Swachhata Hi Sewa Pakhwada from 15.9.2018 to 2.10.2018, held by the CPWD in a most successful and grand manner across the country.
- Swachhta Pakhwada from 1.2.2019 to 15.2.2019 was successfully organized by the CPWD across the country.

**Role as Technical Advisor**

- DG, CPWD appointed as Chairman of Technical Evaluation Committee of Global Housing Technology Challenge by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs for selection of new Technologies for mass housing.
- CPWD entrusted the task of conducting feasibility study of construction of flyovers and underpasses of Agartala City.
- As Chairman of the Technical evaluation Committee of BFR Cell, DPRs of various organizations for border works scrutinized and approved.
- Technical advice rendered on various proposals / DPRs received in the Directorate.

**Human Resource Management**

- Senior level promotions in CPWD have seen significant improvement and most of the empanelment have been made in advance.
- Work Centric transfer/posting policy in conformity with the probity guidelines has been introduced and implemented in the Department.
- Priority has been given for deployment of the officers and staff at work centres to the best possible extent so that execution of works does not suffer due to the shortage of officers in these places.
- 684 Junior Engineers (Civil & Electrical) have been promoted as Assistant Engineers. It is first time in the history of CPWD that Junior Engineers have got promotion after six years, which was earlier about 20 years.
- 106 Assistant Engineers (Civil & Elect) have been promoted to the grade of Executive Engineer.
- After a long wait, 94 Executive Engineers (Civil & Elect) have been promoted to the grade of Superintending Engineer.
- Promotions to all other posts of different cadres for the available vacancies have been made from time to time.
- 704 Junior Engineers (Civil/Electrical) and 45 Assistant Executive Engineers (Civil/Elect) has been recruited from SSC and UPSC. Recruitments at other entry level posts such as LDC, SO (Hort) etc. also made.
- Cadre review of Horticulture wing approved by the Government has been implemented, this will reduce the stagnation of promotion of Section Officer (Hort) to AD (Hort) from present 27 years to 12 years.
- 21 more Areas have been identified as Hard and Unpopular and officers deployed in these areas have been given incentive of the choice posting after two years.
- To encourage, motivate and acknowledge the best performing officers and staff including work-charged staff deployed in construction and maintenance, a scheme of awards has been introduced. These awards are being given regularly.

**Steps taken to increase Visibility of Department**

- For publicizing the activities and achievements of the Department, Newsletter of CPWD is being brought out every month and circulated to all clients and others. This effort has been instrumental in increasing the awareness about CPWD amongst the clients.
- To increase transparency in functioning and dissemination of the major activities, achievements and events to entire world, CPWD has connected itself with social media through official twitter handle, face book and You Tube Channel and link given at home page of CPWD website.
As a step towards administrative reforms and institution of citizen-centric governance for disseminating information, CPWD has opened its Information and Facilitation Centre at Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi.

Business Meets have been organized at different parts of the country as a confidence building measure with the clients and bringing more business to the Department. CPWD has been able to get many works due to these eets.

An Expo cum Conference on Global Housing Technology Challenge, was organised by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs on 2nd and 3rd March 2019, at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi, in which CPWD participated in a grand manner.

CPWD also participated in Pravasi Bhartiya Diwas at Varanasi and Vibrant Gujarat Summit at Gandhi Nagar in a grand manner.

Lodhi Art District, India’s first Public Art District, created with the support of St+art India Foundation with over 50 murals, created by acclaimed Indian and International contemporary artists. Delhi with its rich heritage has a new cultural destination.

To promote use of Technical Textiles, Fly Ash, C&D Waste products in Civil Construction, one Day Seminar on “Use of Technical Textiles, Fly Ash, C&D Waste in Civil Construction” was organized in New Delhi on December 17, 2018.

To spread awareness on implementation of Energy Efficiency Measures and Generation of clean and green power through Solar Power Generation, a day long National Seminar on “Renewable Energy and Efficiency Measures in Built Habitat” was organized in New Delhi on March 8, 2019.

An Annual Flower Show and Garden Competition was organized at Government Mehrauli Nursery, New Delhi on February 22 & 23, 2019 in New Delhi. It was a unique and important event for the flowers and garden lovers of Delhi.

A National Seminar on “Greenery and Landscaping” was organized on April 5, 2019 in New Delhi, as a part of continued effort for green and clean sustainable development of CPWD.

A National Seminar on “Skilling of Construction Workers and Safety Management in Projects” organized in New Delhi on April 26, 2019, as part of efforts in knowledge sharing and experiential learning in the field of Skilling and Certification for Construction Workers.

As a part of up-gradation of systems and processes of CPWD, following revised CPWD Publications have been brought out:

- CPWD Works Manual 2019 (New Manual has been condensed from earlier 460 pages to 54 pages, which will provide much needed flexibility for taking prompt decisions by the field officers and will radically increase the productivity and efficiency of the Department)
- CPWD Schedule of Rates 2018 for New Technologies
- Delhi Schedule of Rate 2018 for Civil works
- CPWD Horticulture Delhi Schedule of Rate 2018
- Solar Power & Energy Efficiency in Government Building
- Guidelines for Substation & Power distribution systems of Buildings
- CPWD DSR & AOR for Wet Riser and Sprinkler System - 2019
- Publication on Floral Tableaux by CPWD
- Coffee Table Book
- Green Rating Manual 2019
- Delhi Analysis of Rates 2019
- Plinth Area Rates 2019
- General Conditions of Contracts 2019
- Enlistment Rules for the Contractors 2019

Shri Prabhakar Singh, Director General, CPWD conferred the CIDC Commendation Award of ‘Champion Technocrat Par Excellance’ for promoting innovative and sustainable practices in construction and creating vibrant environment in the construction fraternity’.

Central Public Works Department conferred ‘CIDC Partners in Progress Trophy 2019’ for displaying utmost commitment and drive to create a vibrant work environment for the construction fraternity by the Department.

Floral Tableau of CPWD showcased during Republic Day Celebrations 2019 won Special Prize.

‘Ultratech Awards 2018’ conferred to CPWD for Type-V Quarters, Sainik School, Kodagu by the Association for Consulting Civil Engineers (India), Mysuru.

PMO at South Block and Sardar Patel Bhawan, New Delhi, constructed and maintained by CPWD have been awarded Five Star Energy Rating by the Bureau of Energy Efficiency.

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PGIMER Chandigarh constructed by the CPWD has been awarded highest platinum green rating by the IGBC. This Institute has many other unique features which have been provided for the first time in the country.

A health camp was organised by OWA, Bhubaneswar with the help of CGHS doctors at construction site for the construction workers and their family members on March 9, 2019.

CPWD-OWA, Delhi organized a picnic for the Bal Basersa children at Mahavir Vanasthali on March 25, 2019. Games were arranged for the children and winners were given prizes.

'Health & Hygiene' and 'Food & Nutrition' informative session for women labourers at IIT CPWD construction site in Gandhinagar organised by the members of OWA on April 10, 2019.

A health camp of labourers was organized by OWA at Delhi PWD site near Sarai Kale Khan on April 24, 2019.

Bal Basera was inaugurated by the President, CPWD-OWA on March 6, 2019 at Dr. B. D. Marg construction site.
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