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Sub: Infrastructure Development on Public Private Partnership basis

- 1. Government intends to accelerate infrastructure development in the State on Public Private Partnership basis. Public Private Partnerships offer a unique and innovative method of involving the private sector in the nation building activity and in accelerating the delivery of public goods and services of high quality through joint enterprises, without spreading the limited available resources too thin. In order to sustain the high annual growth rate, Public Private Partnership (PPP) will be an attractive option in meeting the challenge. PPP envisages long term concession agreement defining partnership roles and responsibility including sharing of risk between public and private sector.
- 2. Objectives of PPP would include but not limited to:-
 - (i) Encourage private sector involvement in public infrastructure and related services where value for money for the Government could be clearly demonstrated.
 - (ii) Encourage innovation in the provision of infrastructure and related service delivery.

- (iii) Encourage rigorous governance over the selection of projects and competition for the award of contracts.
- (iv) Clearly articulate accountability for outcomes.
- 3. Private sector participation in PPP projects requires a framework that can enable the private sector to secure a reasonable return at manageable risk, assure the user of adequate service quality at an affordable cost and facilitate the Government in procuring value for public money.
- 4. In this regard, it has been decided that this Department will do handholding for the projects proposed to be taken by the up Government Departments/PSUs/autonomous bodies on PPP basis. While more complex projects may be handled directly by this Department, other projects may be directly handled by the respective Departments/PSUs/Autonomous Bodies under the guidance of this Department. In order to have uniformity in dealing with PPP projects and to expedite the process, there will be a steering committee for approval and monitoring as given below.
 - a. Hon'ble Chief Minister (In the Chair)
 - b. Minister in-charge of the Department sponsoring the project
 - c. Chairman of PSUs/autonomous bodies sponsoring the project
 - d. Chief Secretary
 - e. Secretary Finance
 - f. Secretary to Chief Minister
 - g. Secretary PPP
 - h. Secretary of the Department sponsoring the project
 - i. Secretary Law
 - j. Managing Director of PSUs/autonomous bodies sponsoring the project
 - k. Director (PPP) Member Secretary

5. All the Departments/PSUs/Autonomous Bodies may accordingly take necessary steps to accelerate infrastructure development on PPP basis.

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Director (PPP)

- 1) All Secretaries to the Government, Secretariat, Porvorim Goa
- 2) All Heads of Departments/PSUs/Autonomous Bodies
- 3) O.S.D to Ministers
- 4) Joint Secretary to Chief Minister
- 5) Joint Secretary to Chief Secretary
- 6) Guard File