



# 2<sup>nd</sup> National Conference of Chief Secretaries, 2023

**Presentation  
on**

**Model Union Territories : स्वच्छ, सुरक्षित, समृद्ध**

**06<sup>th</sup> January, 2023**





# Preparations



- Hon'ble Prime Minister has envisaged that UTs should become ***role models for development and good governance, for the rest of the country to emulate.***
- **03 verticals** and their sub-themes were identified for the Conference on UTs, viz.  
**Economic Growth | Tourism | Flagship schemes**
- **Working Groups** formed with Senior, Mid level and Young officers of UTs as members. 150 officers (approx.) participated.
- A **Pre Conference Brainstorming session** (17<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup> November, 2022) was held in Puducherry.
- In pursuit of Hon'ble PM's vision a **Conference on UTs** was chaired by Hon'ble Union Home Minister on 29.12.2022.



# Promoting Inclusivity with Saturation ...<1/3>

सबका साथ, सबका विकास



## Inclusivity & Welfare:

- **ONORC** facility enabled in all UTs. 100% Aadhaar seeding (Ration Card level) and automation of 100% Fair Price Shops achieved by all UTs.
- **Electrification:** UTs have achieved saturation under SAUBHAGYA
- 05 UTs have over 100% **LPG coverage** under PM Ujjwala Yojana, while 3 are nearing saturation.
- UTs have achieved saturation in electronic transfer under Direct Benefit Transfer.
  - ✓ Good practices: *Puducherry's Unified Data Hub*.
- DNH&DD **Social Welfare** schemes
  - ✓ Good practices: *SPARSH scheme | Shram Yogi Prasad | Village Adoption Program*



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### Health:

- 06 UTs operationalized more **Health & Wellness Centres** than their targets.
- 100% **institutional deliveries** taking place in 04 UTs, nearing saturation in the rest.
- Universal **Health Coverage** by J&K (25.72 lakh families covered) and DNH&DD (57,158 families).
- Lakshadweep Declared **Organic** UT: Banned chemical fertilizers
- **Sowarigpa**: Traditional medicinal system of Ladakh

### Water & Sanitation:

- All UTs are Open Defecation Free (ODF) certified under Swachh Bharat Mission.
- A&NI and Delhi are ODF++, DNH&DD is ODF+, while Chandigarh has been declared Water Plus.
- A&NI declared as the first Swachh-Sujal Pradesh.
- DNH&DD has ensured 100% individual household tap connections.
- Puducherry won 1st prize in the Jal Jeevan Awards 2022.



# Promoting Inclusivity with Saturation ...<3/3>

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## Good Governance:

- J&K: Aspirational Districts, Blocks & Panchayat programme and the **District Good Governance Index (DGGI)**
- Improved **Performance Grading Index (PGI)** rankings of A&NI
  - ✓ Good practices: *PAHAL portal*
- **Outreach Programmes** of the Administration
  - ✓ Good practices: *Prashasan Aapke Dwaar* of DNH&DD; *J&K's Back to village*
- **Digital Reforms** for better service delivery, transparency and monitoring
  - ✓ Good practices:
    - *J&K's e-UNNAT (Unified Integrated Accessible Transparent – integrated Services Delivery Platform)*
    - *Faceless services of RTO, E-district, MCD (Online Approvals) in Delhi.*



# Tourism- Growth Multiplier

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## Innovation

- 1<sup>st</sup> **water villas** of India in Lakshadweep
- New **Sea Front** in Daman
- **Buckwheat** Festival & Astro Tourism in Ladakh
- Comprehensive **Tourism Policy** in J&K to bring back film shooting
- **Spiritual Tourism** in Puducherry
- Out of 12 **Blue Certified Beaches** in India 05 are in UTs.

## New Frontiers

- **Eco-Tourism Projects**, Adventure Tourism, Sustainable Tourism
- **Homestays with luxurious tents** model

## Way Ahead with Replicable Models

- Jan Bhagidari in Tourism
- Identify one big-ticket item for each place



# UTs as Engines of Economic Growth

## विकसित भारत की ओर



### Potential

Upscaling production & development in potential sectors

UT	Product/Sector	UT	Product/Sector
<b>A&amp;NI</b>	Ship building; Doubling the Blue Economy	<b>DNH&amp;DD</b>	Textiles & Plastic
<b>Chandigarh</b>	IT; IT enabled Services (ITeS)	<b>Delhi</b>	Healthcare, Knowledge & IT Hub.
<b>J&amp;K:</b>	Horticulture, Dairy & Handicrafts	<b>Ladakh</b>	Horticulture, Handlooms & Pashmina
<b>Lakshadweep</b>	Seaweed; Tuna; Coconut	<b>Puducherry</b>	Pharmaceuticals & Handicrafts

### Infrastructure Development

- **A&NI:** Transshipment Port and a Greenfield City at GNI.
- **Chandigarh:** Technology Park (Phase 1) with SEZ status. Employment potential of 25,000.
- **Ladakh:** Provides 30,000 (approx.) jobs through new Homestay policy. Changthang Package.
- **J&K:** New Industrial Policy

### Reform

- **Puducherry Market Committee:** Only multi commodity e-NAM mandi to ensure 100% e-bidding.



# Way forward..<1/2>



## अमृत काल की तैयारी

- Preparation of a **vision for 2047**; 5 year action plan & a detailed year-wise roadmap.
- ***AtmaNirbhar Arthvyavastha:***
  - Scaling up economic activities in identified sectors
  - ***Vocal for Local:*** Add value to local resources suitably
  - Focus on high end exclusive products for **export**
  - *Berozgaar Muk*t UTs.
- Economic development through cooperatives: ***Janbhagidari***
- Development at the grassroots & monitoring mechanism: ***Inclusivity***





# Way forward ..<2/2>

## अमृत काल की तैयारी

- Rethink **Tourism development solutions**
- **Granular Approach** to develop concrete strategies for
  - Doubling of economic growth;
  - Infrastructure development
  - Land use and urban planning
  - Increasing employment rate;
  - Better implementation of PPP & SPV models;
  - Sustainable Renewable Energy models;
- UTs to become **models/incubators** for Best Practices



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# Thank you

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