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To:

The Head, Planning and Performance Division (PPD)  
Council of Scientific & Industrial Research  
Anusandhan Bhawan,  
2, Rafi Marg,  
**New Delhi – 110 001**

Dear Sirs,

**Sub: Recommendation for CSIR Diamond Jubilee  
Technology award to Indian Centre for Social  
Transformation (Indian CST)**

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Before Indian CST came on the scene, We at the helm of affairs were not aware as to the total number of contracts being given, financial commitments being made progress of work at different stages, cost of over runs etc. but once Indian CST came on the scene we were able to have all the information on our finger tips, work could be monitored, costs controlled, corrective steps taken and transparency brought in, better knowledge of the affairs and accountability at all levels.

The GPMS is an excellent tool in the hands of a project monitoring agency.

As on date; this is the First time in the country where one can see 68,000+ appox value of above Rs.14000 Crores publically funded projects online. BBMP-GPMS has integrated all projects from Head office, 8 zones, 198 wards, 3500 Engineers were trained in the Training Programs conducted by Indian CST at all the 8+1 Zones onsite, coordination, validations were under taken to make this happen and Business Intelligence Reports were generated, Online support, Help Desk, Indian CST a public charitable Trust is continuing to help BBMP in the implementation across Bangalore Urban and Bangalore Rural by enabling the Public participation on the portal. GPMS has the acceptance in BBMP a city corporation implementation of this large scale capability is getting established in the country and will be seen as a trendsetter for E-governance projects monitoring system online and management.



BBMP healthcare department too has benefited by GPMS as it has integrated all 1800 Govt, private, PHC, clinics , Nursing homes, Hospitals across Bangalore Urban and Rural to update online all the information in real time about Birth and Death happening. Till date 6+ lakhs people Birth and Death has been updated online.

BBMP Revenue department too has benefited by GPMS as it has integrated all the various 936 Nationalized, private, Cooperative, banks across Bengaluru with BBMP departments together across 8 zones, 198 wards for each engineer to report revenue collected daily basis to be reported in real time brining in total transparency in its BBMP operations.This by far is the single largest collection of civil infrastructure project information in any government body in Karnataka.

Indian CST acting as the citizen's initiative interface for the successful implementation of the said BBMP monitoring in real time project.

Indian CST firstly by their technical innovation created the GPMS, carried out the necessary modifications for utilizing in our organization, and has now come up with a version which seems tailor made to our necessity and meets all our needs and become today a necessary tool for our Project Management System Implementation. This e-governance initiative enables real time monitoring and management of 68,000 + works, which are going on in various parts of the City at Head office, 8 Zones, all 198 wards. The people can now post their comments on the cost, deadline and quality of the project on the interactive website launched by BBMP. Public can also upload photographs and feedbacks to ensure that the work proceeds in the desired direction.

All these in a matter of months time. This is technology integration of various databases capability marvel needs to be first recognized, lauded and this recommended to all especially large public money spending organization for application to bring in the benefit of monitoring all parameters of governance.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully

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