

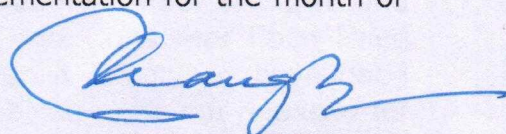
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Sardar Patel Bhavan, Sansad Marg,
New Delhi, dated the 16th July, 2020.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:- Monthly summary for the Cabinet for the month of June 2020 - reg.

The undersigned is directed to circulate herewith the monthly summary of activities of the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation for the month of June 2020.



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To

1. All Members of Council of Ministers (As per list)
2. All Secretaries to the Government of India (As per list)
3. Cabinet Secretary, Cabinet Secretariat, Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi.
4. Vice Chairman, NITI Aayog, Yojana Bhawan, New Delhi.
5. The Secretary to Hon'ble President of India, Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi.
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7. The Principal Information Officer, M/o Information and Broadcasting, 1st Floor, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.

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Major initiatives and achievements of the Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation during June 2020

The National Statistical Office (NSO) has released Monthly Index of Industrial Production (IIP) and the Consumer Price Index (CPI). The salient features of these indices are:

1.1 The All India Index of Industrial Production for the month of April 2020 was released on 12th June 2020. The Quick Estimate of Index of Industrial Production (IIP) for April 2020 with base year 2011-12 stands at 56.3. The Indices of Industrial Production for the Mining, Manufacturing and Electricity sectors for the month of April 2020 stand at 78.3, 45.1 and 126.1 respectively.

1.2 In view of the limited transactions of products in the market in the month of May, 2020, NSO released the Price Movement of some selected Sub-groups/Groups of CPI, following the principles of adequacy. The Price Movement of all sub-groups under 'Food & Beverages Group', (except sub-groups 'Prepared meals, snacks, sweets etc. '), 'Pan, tobacco and intoxicants' (urban only), 'Housing', 'Fuel & Light' and 'Health' sub-group under 'Miscellaneous' group of CPI and Consumer Food Price Index (CFPI) at All India level, separately for Rural, Urban & Combined have been released. All-India General CPI for Rural, Urban and Combined were not released for the month of **May 2020**.

1.3 All-India CFPI was released for the month of **May 2020**. The corresponding figures for Rural, Urban and Combined are 150.5, 154.3 and 151.9 respectively. All India year on-year inflation rates for Consumer Food Price Index (CFPI) for the month of May 2020 for Rural, Urban and Combined sector are 9.69%, 8.36% and 9.28% respectively. Due to incomplete coverage, CFPI inflation figures for April 2020 were not released.

2. A Press Note on Payroll Reporting in India: An Employment Perspective – April, 2020 was released on 25th June, 2020.

3. Annual Report on Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS) (July 2018-June 2019) and Quarterly Bulletin of PLFS (April-June, 2019) were released and uploaded on the website of the Ministry. 108th issue of Sarvekshana - Technical Journal of NSO was also released during June, 2020.

4. Monitoring of the infrastructure sector highlighted the following:

4.1 As per the latest Flash Report for the ongoing Central Sector Projects costing Rs.150 crore and above of March, 2020:

Total number of Ongoing Projects	1686
Number of Projects having Cost Overruns	403 (67.88%) *
Number of Projects having Time Overruns	530
Number of Projects reported completion	2 projects (1 project each from Coal and Petroleum sector)
Cumulative expenditure till March 2019	Rs 8,86,134.11 crore
Expenditure during the month of March, 2020	Rs 17,117.23 crore
Cumulative expenditure during current F.Y.(2019-20)	Rs 2,34,562.05 crore
Cumulative expenditure till Now	Rs 11,20,696.16 crore

Note - * figure in bracket indicates the cost overrun as a percentage of original project cost.

4.2 Sector wise and Ministry/Department wise distribution of projects which were **not** reported on OCMS in the month of March, 2020:

SECTOR_NAME	Ministry/Department	TOTAL
CIVIL AVIATION	Ministry of civil Aviation	13
ATOMIC ENERGY	Ministry of Atomic Energy	4
COAL	Ministry of Coal	3
STEEL	Ministry of Steel	4
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY	Ministry of Commerce and Industry	2
MINES	Ministry of Mines	4
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE	Ministry of Health and Family Welfare	23
HEAVY INDUSTRY	Ministry of Heavy Industry	1
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT	Ministry of Human Resource	4
PETROLEUM	Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Resources	38
POWER	Ministry of Power	40
RAILWAYS	Railway Board	166
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS	Ministry of Road Transport and Highways	683
SHIPPING AND PORTS	Ministry of Shipping	1
TELECOMMUNICATIONS	Ministry of Communication & Information Technology	3
URBAN DEVELOPMENT	Ministry of Housing and Urban Development	39
WATER RESOURCES	Ministry of Jal Shakti	50
Total		1078

4.3 As per the latest Review Report on the Performance of the Infrastructure Sectors for the month of March 2020, Power Generation **(+4.44%)** and Upgradation of Highways by NHAI **(+18.78%)**, **exceeded** their targets.

4.4 The Sectors that fell short of their targets are Coal Production **(-9.99%)**, Fertilizers Production **(-13.50%)**, Crude Oil Production **(-8.20%)**, refinery production **(-0.16%)**, Natural Gas Production **(-9.76%)**, Upgradation of Highways by State PWD & Border Road Organisation (BRO) **(-15.81%)**, Goods traffic carried by Railways **(-5.15%)**, Export Cargo handled at Airports **(-9.17%)**, Import Cargo handled at Airports **(-15.00%)**, Passenger traffic handled at International terminal of the Airports **(-9.65%)** and Passenger traffic handled at Domestic terminal of the Airports **(-10.14%)**.

5. The Ministry celebrated 14th Statistics day on 29th June 2020, through video conferencing due to the prevailing situation of the Covid-19 pandemic. It was also live streamed nationally and internationally through various social media platforms. The theme of Statistics Day, 2020 was Sustainable Development Goals (SDG)-3 (Ensures healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages) & SDG-5 (Achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls). Apart from dignitaries and officials of the Government, representatives from UN bodies, International Organisations and industry bodies also virtually participated and conveyed their message on the occasion.

5.1 As part of the Statistics Day celebration, MoSPI has instituted this year a new award "Prof. P.C Mahalanobis National Award in Official Statistics" for recognizing outstanding achievement of official statisticians in Central Government, State/UT Government and institutions. Prof. P.C Mahalanobis National Award in Official Statistics' 2020 was conferred upon Dr. Chakravarthi Rangarajan, former Governor, Reserve Bank of India in recognition of his outstanding contributions to the National Statistical system in India.

5.2 Dr. Arvind Pandey, a former Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) functionary and Dr. Akhilesh Chandra Kulshreshtha, Ex-Addl. Director General, Ministry of Statistics & PI, Government of India were jointly bestowed upon Prof. P.V Sukhatme National Award in Statistics, 2020 for life time contribution in the field of Statistics.

5.3 The winners of 'On the Spot Essay Writing Competition' for Post Graduate Students on the subject relevant to Statistics, organized at all India level were also felicitated during the event.
