Room No. 118-G, NBO Builidng,
Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi-11.
Dated: 6th February, 2019.

MEETING NOTICE

Sub: Town Hall Meeting on Global Housing Technology Challenge – India (GHTC-India) on 15th February, 2018 (Friday) from 2.30 p.m. onwards – reg.

The Government of India, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA) has launched the **Global Housing Technology Challenge – India (GHTC-India)** on the 14th January, 2019 at New Delhi by Mr. Hardeep S Puri, the Hon'ble Minister of State (MoS) (Independent/Charge) for Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA) in order to identify and mainstream a basket of innovative technologies from across the globe that are sustainable and disaster-resilient. Such technologies would be cost effective, speedier and ensure a higher quality of construction of houses, meeting diverse geo-climatic conditions and desired functional needs. The Challenge is in alignment with the transformative vision of the **Hon'ble Prime Minister of India** so as to rapidly deliver the low-cost housing in conformity with stringent environmental, societal, quality and economic standards.

2.   The challenge has three main components as follows:

  i.   **Component 1 :**   **Grand Expo-cum-Conference on Alternative and Innovative Construction Technologies**
  ii.   **Component 2 :**   **Identifying and Mainstreaming Proven Demonstrable Technologies from around the world for the Construction of Lighthouse Projects (LHPs) in India**
  iii. **Component 3 :**   **Identifying Potential Future Technologies for Incubation and Acceleration Support through ASHA - India**

3.   GHTC-India will encourage participation from across the affordable urban housing and construction sectors, such as technology providers, researchers, start-ups, developers, academia, public sector agencies, and civil society organizations etc. Such technologies is being invited to apply through GHTC-India website i.e. www.ghtc-india.gov.in.

4.   As a sub-component, the Challenge will onboard selected State Governments/ Union Territories (UTs) through a competitive process to provide land for the construction of Lighthouse Projects (LHPs); and the register Indian Partners (Developers/ Construction Agencies) who may potentially support international players to demonstrate their technology through demonstrative Lighthouse Projects (LHPs) in India.

5.   In this regard, a Town Hall Meeting has been scheduled on **15th February, 2019 from 2.30 p.m. onwards at Room No. 101, A-Wing, CPWD Conference Room, Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs, Nirman Bhawan, Maulana Azad Road, New Delhi – 110011, India** in order to provide all the proper information to technology providers to assist them for submission of proposal in consistency with the requirements of GHTC-India.

6.   For any clarification and query please contact undersigned or write email on ghtc-mhua@gov.in.

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