Minutes of the Review Meeting on TNOGD held on 25th October 2017

Subject: Open Government Data (OGD) workshop review meeting-1 for the selected departments to collect data.

Date: 25.10.2017

Time: From 3.00 PM to 5.00 PM

Venue: Conference Room, ELCOT, No.692, MHU Complex, Anna Salai, Nandanam, Chennai - 35

Departments Participated:

1) Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation
2) Tamil Nadu Medical Services Corporation
3) Directorate of Technical Education
4) Department of Economics and Statistics
5) Social Welfare Department
6) State Planning Commission
7) Backward Classes & Most Backward Classes Department
8) Highways Department
9) Department of Public Health & Preventive Medicine
10) School Education Department
11) TNEGA
12) NIC

Total Strength:
In total, 25 officials from the above Departments have participated.

From NIC: Mr.K Srinivasa Raghavan, Senior Technical Director, NIC, Chennai and Mr.Kamalakannan, Senior Technical Director, NIC Chennai.

From ELCOT: Ms.N.Shanthi, GM (eGov), Mr.Manivannan, Ms.N.Bhuvaneswari and Mr.S.Senthilkumar.

The following points have been discussed during the meeting:

ELCOT has welcomed the participants and briefed the purpose of the review meeting to collect and upload the possible shareable published data available in the departments into the tn.data.gov.in portal at the earliest.

NIC Chennai officials advised the departments to obtain the approval from their respective Heads of the Departments for publishing their datasets in Tamil Nadu OGD Portal.
https://tn.data.gov.in on a continuous basis as and when necessary. It is also advised that the shared information in data.gov.in and in tn.data.gov.in platforms or in the websites of the depts, should always be synchronized and it should never bring difference of opinion among the public. The identified datasets may be given initially in excel format and later other format namely xml, json, as a webservice etc. may be taken up.

**Identified Datasets:**

The datasets given below are identified against each department attended and the respective Chief Data Officers (CDO) of the above mentioned departments were asked to share them on or before by 10th November 2017:

1. **Department of Economics and Statistics:**
   
   - Datasets available in Statistical hand book 2016 (Pertaining to the statistics of all the departments) covering all departments, in a phased manner.

2. **Highways Department:**
   
   - Complete Road details and Bridge details.

3. **Directorate of Technical Education:**
   
   - List of Polytechnics & Engineering colleges and its respective student’s strength and the courses available in each.

4. **Social Welfare Department:**
   
   - The list of Children homes and Old Age Homes with the address and its contact numbers and facilities available
   - List of Schemes like Marriage Assistance etc including its beneficiaries

5. **Department of Public Health & Preventive Medicine**
   
   - Infrastructure details about primary health centers available

6. **Civil Supplies Department:**
   
   - Number of Ration Shops, Cardholders covered and their Eligibility
• List of LPG Consumers details
• Free Distributions details
• BPL Family Benefits details

7. State Planning Commission:

• 105 Backward Blocks and Rural development schemes

8. BC & MBC:

• List of Communities (248 list of BC, MBC and DN Communities)
• Scholarships details
• School Education Related details
• Hostel details

9. Tamil Nadu Medical Services Corporation:

• List of Scan Centers across TN in XML format.

10. TNeGA:

• List of CSC Centers
• The services offered via CSC centres and the number of beneficiaries benefitted so far.

11. School Education:

It was suggested that a meeting with Project Director, Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan might be held to get the complete information about all the 13 departments available under School Education.

**The following action plans has been proposed:**

ELCOT would
1. Create CDO accounts for the above departments attended.
2. All depts. would provide the data on or before 10th November 2017
3. Follow up with the above 10 departments and to help them upload the identified datasets in tn.data.gov.in Portal
4. Contact Project Director SSA to collect relevant data under School Education Dept.
5. Conduct Workshop review meeting - 3 for the next 10 selected departments towards the collection of the data.