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Dear Colleague,

As you are aware, the recent devastating and unprecedented floods in the State of Bihar, particularly in the districts of Madhepura, Supaul, Saharsa, Purnia, Katihar and Araria have caused extensive damage. Considering the nature of the damage and effect of the recent floods, the Ministry of Home Affairs (Disaster Manager-I Division) has declared the present natural calamity in Bihar as a "Calamity of severe nature".

2. As per para 2.8 of the MPLADS Guidelines, the MPs can recommend works upto a maximum of Rs. 50 lakh from their quota of MPLADS funds for the affected districts of Bihar. I request all Members of Parliament to kindly indicate the amount they would wish to contribute for such works as permissible under the MPLADS guidelines latest by **30th September, 2008**. They may also, if they so desire, indicate the specific district(s) where such works may be taken up. The consent letters from Members of Parliament may be addressed to the respective Rajya Sabha/Lok Sabha Committee on MPLADS so that further action can be taken.

3. I assure you that the progress of the works taken up will be intimated to both Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha Committees on MPLADS from time to time.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

To
All Hon'ble M.Ps - Lok Sabha
and Rajya Sabha.

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- (i) The Nodal Secretary of Government of Bihar with the request that a list of rehabilitation/reconstruction works to be in the flood affected areas may kindly be forwarded to the ministry for finalizing the works.
- (ii) The Lok Sabha Committee on MPLADS (Shri Rajesh Ranjan Kumar, Deputy Secretary).
- (iii) The Rajya Sabha Committee on MPLADS (Shri D.K.Junaja, Under Secretary).

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