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RURBAN Mission in 16 districts

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The Dr. Shyama Prasad Mukherjee RURBAN Mission is being implemented in 16 districts of the state. The mission aims at developing cluster of villages as RURBAN village while keeping basic concept of rural life intact without compromising with the facilities being provided in urban areas. At present, the mission is executed in 16 districts of the state. These districts are Chitrakut, Ghaziabad, Kushinagar, Gautambaddhanagar, Ferozabad, Mirzapur, Lucknow, Prayagraj, Baghpat, Bareilly, Sonebhadra, Shravasti, Varanasi, Agra, Bahraich and Mahoba. As many as 19 RURBAN clusters have been developed in these districts.

The Principal Secretary, Rural Development, Shri Anurag Srivastava, gave this information. He said that the mission is being implemented through the convergence of various departments including Panchayatiraj, minor irrigation, rural engineering service, PWD, forest, land development and water resource, agriculture, fisheries, irrigation, silk development, horticulture & food processing, child development & nutrition, medical & health, secondary education, basic education, energy, IT, transport, sports, food & civil supplies, NEDA, National Rural Livelihood Mission and skill development. A three phase project involving Rs. 2080.80 crore, including the CGF provided by the Government of India, has been prepared under the mission.

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