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CITIIS HIGHLIGHTS

Counsel General of France in Pondicherry & Chennai and AFD Country Director visit Kochi to know more about 'e-Health Solution' project

Ms. Lise Talbot Barré, Consul General of France in Pondicherry and Chennai, and Mr. Bruno Bosle, AFD, Country Director-India, visited Cochin Smart Mission Limited on 31st March 2021. The delegation visited General Hospital, Ernakulum and SPV office at Kaloor to have a better understanding of the 'e-Health Solution' project implementation under CITIIS programme.

The team also experienced the Health ATM implemented by Cochin Smart City Limited at General Hospital, Ernakulum. The Superintendent of General Hospital and RMO of e-Health department briefed the delegates about the benefits of the health ATM. They also mentioned that the newly built super speciality block will be completely on e-Health. [Read more about the Kochi project here](#)



French delegation visits Bhubaneswar to review 'B-Active' project



A high-level delegation team led by Mr. Bruno Bosle, AFD, Country Director-India, visited the Bhubaneswar on 04th March, 2021, to review the 'Bhubaneswar-Active' project under CITIIS. The delegation included Mr. Thomas Salez, Economic Counsellor-Energy and Industry Division from the Regional Economic Services of the French Embassy and other high-level officials from AFD.

During the visit, Mr. Bosle held high-level talks with senior officials of Bhubaneswar Development Authority (BDA), Bhubaneswar Smart City Limited and Bhubaneswar Municipal Corporation. The meeting was chaired by Shri Harish Chandra Nayak, Secretary, BDA. This was followed by site visits to project sites, including, heritage sites like Debi Padahara and Ganga Jamuna Tanks... [Read More Here](#)

WEBINAR

Preparatory Webinar Series on 'Pre-Implementation Phase' initiated by PMU CITIIS at NIUA

As the projects under CITIIS begin to complete their 'maturation phase', the 'pre-implementation phase' was initiated by the PMU CITIIS based at NIUA with a preparatory webinar series during May 2021.

This series is aimed at guiding the SPVs on operationalisation of plans and strategies developed during the [maturation phase](#), procurement for grounding and construction, financial management, monitoring project progress, evaluating performance, and capitalising on lessons learnt during the project's life cycle. In addition, there will be a renewed focus on capacity enhancement of the SPVs, knowledge management, communications and outreach.

The first three sessions covered CITIIS Implementation Phase Framework, Environment & Social Sustainability and the CITIIS Program Management Platform. [Read the frameworks and guidelines here.](#)



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tender Notice

'Creating Wild Valley Biodiversity Park as City Lungs by Rejuvenation of Existing Wasteland Along the Kankara Creek' project by Surat Smart City Limited under the CITIIS program invites proposals for pilot project. Email exen.housing@suratmunicipal.org for more details.

Sr. No.	Name of Work	Total Estimated cost of Tender
1.	Development of Pilot Project under the main project titled- "Creating Wild Valley 'Biodiversity Park' as City Lungs by rejuvenation of existing wasteland along the Kankara Creek", Surat. 4th Attempt)	245.24 Lacs

The detail tender notice will be made available on website <https://www.suratsmartcity.com/>

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