

**Government of Punjab
Department of Planning
(Local Plan Division)**

To

All the Deputy Commissioners-cum-Member Secretaries,
District Planning and Development Boards.

Memo No. (LPD/Allocation/BDI)2006/6089
Dated Chandigarh 27th April, 2006.

Subject: Guidelines for utilisation of funds under the new Programme namely “Punjab Nirman Programme” in the State.

Kindly refer to the subject cited above.

2. Vide this Department’s Memo No.LPD/Allocation/BDI/2005/351-353 dated 11.1.2006, the guidelines for utilization of funds under the ‘Punjab Nirman Programme alongwith districtwise allocation of Rs.400.00 crore made for the year 2005-06 and 2006-07 were issued. The inter-district allocation of funds for rural areas and urban areas was made on the basis of Rural population and Urban population of the district. Some of the District Planning and Development Boards are facing problem in abiding by the rural/urban allocation made by the State Planning Department. In cases, where the District Planning and Development Boards get more funds for urban areas from some other schemes/sources and in the cases where the Municipal Committees are cash rich, then they like to spend more funds for rural areas. It has, therefore, been decided by the state govt. that rural/urban allocation made on the basis of population criteria is not required to be abided by DP &DBs in rigidity. If any District Planning and Development Board wants to divert funds from rural to urban sector and vice-versa, in view of the local priorities/requirements, they may do so and forward their proposals to the Planning Department for approval.

Special Secretary Planning

Endst. No. LPD/Allocation/BDI)2006/6090 Dated: 27.4.2006.

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Special Secretary Planning

Endst. No. LPD/Allocation/BDI)2006/6091 Dated:27.4.2004

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Special Secretary Planning

Endst. No. LPD/Allocation/BDI)2006/6092 Dated:27.4.2006.

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Special Secretary Planning

Endst. No. LPD/Allocation/BDI)2006/6093 Dated:27.4.2006.

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Special Secretary Planning

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