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- ii) Identifying a suitable/committed NGO who will support the group running the Sanitary Mart (Ramakrishna Mission, who have experience of this work in West Bengal, Safai Vidyalaya Gandhi Ashram, Ahmedabad (run by Shri Ishwar Bhai Patel), Yuvak Kendras of Nehru Yuvak Sangathan may be considered for this purpose.
 - iii) Organizing visit of the selected scavengers to West Bengal/Gujrat etc. for seeing the functioning of Sanitary Mart, (details may be worked out in consultation with the Government of West Bengal, West Bengal SCDC as well as other State Governments).
 - iv) Pursuing the State Government to issue suitable orders, entrusting construction of all Sanitary Latrines and supply of Sanitary materials to Govt. Deptt. through the Sanitary Mart.
 - v) Taking other administrative measures, such as, framing model bye-laws, motivation and orientation of the selected scavengers, officials of the SCDCs representatives of scavengers Union etc. as required from time to time.

The Hon'ble Minister of the State for Social Justice and Empowerment has desired that the work relating to setting up of Sanitary Marts should be taken up on top priority and the first Sanitary Mart be set up by June, 2000 in your State/UT.


Officers of this Corporation would also be visiting you to expedite the above action plan and also clarify the details and doubts on setting up of Sanitary Marts alongwith interaction with the beneficiaries. You are therefore requested to send us your action plan so that the consolidated plan alongwith the comments of NSKFDC could be sent to the Ministry.

You may also write to us for any further clarifications that may be required in expediting establishment of Sanitary Marts.

You are also requested to send a model project report on Sanitary Mart and Small Business Shops, request for advance, beneficiary's list, State Govt. Guarantee, etc. so that first Sanitary Mart is started in your state/UT by June, 2000.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,



(G. P. VERMA)
CMD, NSKFDC