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Dear Mission Director,

This is with reference to the letter regarding establishing linkages between National Urban Health Mission (NUHM) and National Urban Livelihood Mission (NULM) especially for strengthening the Mahila Arogya Samitis (MAS) (Copy Enclosed).

Experiences from other states have demonstrated, that states which have co-opted SHGs as MAS, have been able to leverage on the existing network and rapport of the SHGs. This has led to their improved functionality at the community level and provided access to benefits like livelihood development support under NULM. In this regard I would like to reiterate that the state should focus on building linkages with the NULM to facilitate the process of integration of SHG with the MAS groups at field level.

I urge you to initiate the process of coordination with the NULM officials at State and District levels and share an update regarding the progress made in this area.

Please let me know if you need any clarifications and support.

With regards,

Yours Sincerely,

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