

## **Non-Mission Cities**

The Ministry of Urban Development has formulated Urban Infrastructure Development Scheme for Small & Medium Towns (UIDSSMT) to cater to towns not covered under the UIG, i.e., cities other than the select 63 cities. Urban Infrastructure Development Scheme for Small & Medium Towns (UIDSSMT) aim at improvement in urban infrastructure in all other towns and cities in a planned manner. The sharing of funds would be in the ratio of 80:10 between Central Government and State Government and balance 10% could be raised by the nodal agencies from Financial Institutions. Central assistance (grant) is released directly to the nodal agencies as Additional Central Assistance (ACA). Central share is released in two installments depending on availability of state share and submission of Utilization certificate within 12 months of the closure of the financial year. The provision of Central assistance is linked to implementation of certain mandatory as well as optional reforms at the State and ULB/Para-statal levels during the Mission period.