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SECONDARY EDUCATION DEPARTMENT GOVERNMENT OF BALOCHISTAN Dated Quetta, the _7/5 January, 2020

To,

- 1. District Education Officers (ALL)
- 2. Cluster Head Schools (ALL)

Subject:

CIRCULATION OF RTSM DIVISIONAL/DISTRICT/CLUSTER REPORT CARDS

The undersigned is directed to refer to the above cited subject and to state that Secondary Education Department has prepared and published Real Time School Monitoring (RTSM) System results from visits conducted between January 2018 to May 2019. The results are bifurcated into key indicators on Division, District and Cluster level and forwarded to you for its effective utilization in planning, budgeting and resource mobilization.

The District Education Officers are required to lead the overall process for improving education service delivery based on the evidence provided by this report. The cluster head schools must take this forward and form cluster level development plans to address key issues identified in the report. The cluster plans should specifically focus areas which are not resource intensive such as attendance of students and staff, keeping the toilets functional, formation of child clubs and participation of feeder schools in procurement committee meetings. Realistic plans and subsequent achievement of targets identified in these plans will lead to improving education quality and service delivery.

The results provided by enclosed report provide adequate performance in some areas such as usability of available rooms (82%), visits by education department officials (70%) and attendance of non-teaching staff (86%). However, there is room for some improvement in areas such as student attendance (74%), attendance of teaching staff (71%), usability of available toilets (48%) and overall teaching and learning environment (36%). All these figures are provided at district and cluster levels for evidence-based performance management at smaller units of operation.

The enclosed report will also be of great benefit for district administrations providing them with evidence on system performance and subsequent actions based on evidence provided by the reports.

The Secondary Education Department acknowledges and appreciates the role of Real Time School Monitoring teams in making 57,158 school visits in the said period, the District Education Officers (DEOs) and schools for their cooperation in school monitoring. Efforts of the Performance Management Cell (PMC) for their technical backstopping in management and maintenance of RTSM have been instrumental. The Secondary Education Department appreciates the role of UNICEF in establishment of EMIS and RTSM and its technical assistance in the development, of this report.

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