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Government of India  
Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 11<sup>th</sup> February 2019

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject:- Smart Cities Digital Payments Awards 2018 - Award-winning cities in various Categories**

The undersigned is directed to convey that out of 72 Smart cities shortlisted in Stage I of SCDPA 2018, 65 cities submitted their entries for Stage II in various categories. Based on the evaluation of entries and presentations made by shortlisted cities before the respect Sub-Committees thereafter, the Evaluation Committee (Stage 2), in its meeting held on 5<sup>th</sup> February 2019, has decided to confer the Awards on the following cities under Smart Cities Digital Payments Awards 2018:-

<b>Award Category</b>	<b>Population Category</b>	<b>Selected city (ies)</b>
Best digital payments adopter	0-5 Lakh	Amravati and NDMC
	5-10 Lakh	Ujjain
	Above 10 Lakh	Bhopal and Pune
Best digital payments innovator	0-5 Lakh	Port Blair
	5-10 Lakh	Ujjain and Bhubaneswar
	Above 10 Lakh	Ahmedabad and Pimpri Chinchwad
Fastest growing Smart City focusing on digital payments	0-5 Lakh	Diu
	5-10 Lakh	Ujjain and Solapur
	Above 10 Lakh	Ludhiana

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1. Principal Secretaries (UD&MA)/State Mission Directors in respect of Award winner cities.
2. Municipal Commissioners/CEOs in respect of Award-winning cities.