### Guidelines on utilization of the Seed Capital released to States as part of the 1st instalment

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| Seed Money to eGov Society   | • States / UTs should also make commitment for contributing the same amount for this purpose in their respective annual budget.  
• The primary source of meeting the operating expenses of the DeGS would be the district specific share from the fees / convenience charges levied for providing the e-District service.  
• Seed capital is being provisioned as an additional source of funds for funding the operating expenses of the DeGS, if not funded under any other head.  
• A DeGS should invest this Seed capital as a fixed deposit in a nationalized bank and the interest earned from this deposit can be used for meeting the operating expenses of the DeGS.  
• The amount under this head is provisioned only for non-pilot districts. |