Highlights of Achievements in two years

1. Free water, up to 20 kiloliters a month (about 700 liters a day) provided to the citizens of Delhi w.e.f. 1st March 2015. This has benefited around 10 lacs consumers including residents of co-operative group housing societies. Simultaneously, DJB has increased its revenue by Rs 178 Cr.

2. Major relief given to the residents of unauthorized colonies by reducing Water development charges in unauthorized colonies from Rs 440/sq meter to Rs 100/sq meter. The Scheme has been extended up to April 2017.

3. Another big relief provided to residents of unauthorized colonies by reducing sewer development charges from Rs. 494/sq meter to Rs. 100/sq meter (reduction of 80%). The Scheme has been extended up to April 2017.

4. Consumers can now purchase water meters of their choice from market from any of the nine companies, a list of which is available on the website of DJB.

5. 100% old arrear of water bill has been waived off for the consumers in E, F, G & H Category colonies, 75% in C&D category, 50% arrear in “B” Category colonies & 25% in “A” Category colonies.

6. Liberalized scheme launched for regularization of unauthorized water connections. Earlier citizens were charged around Rs.14000 to regularize a water connection which has now been reduced to Rs.3310/-. 

7. 50 MGD Capacity Dwarka Water Treatment Plant (constructed in 2011) commissioned on 1st March 2015 benefitting about 13.5 lakh residents of Dwarka sub city, Najafgarh, Daulatpur, Ujwa, and adjoining areas.
8. 20 MGD capacity Bawana Water Treatment Plant, constructed in 2002, commissioned on 21\textsuperscript{st} April 2015, benefiting about 6 lacs residents of rural villages Bawana, Narela, Sannothand adjoining area.

9. 93 Water bodies are being taken over from Revenue department for rejuvenation and development.

10. The limit of 6 water connections in one premises has been increased to 10.


12. 250 new departmental stainless water tankers in addition to hired 407 stainless steel tankers and 300 MS Tankers, have been deployed in water deficient areas. Web based online tanker monitoring system strengthened. GPS also being installed in 450 additional tankers. System for public monitoring of water tankers established. Through this internet based system people can track the tanker coming to their locality and quantity of water it is carrying.

13. Through concerted efforts, water production increased from 835 MGD to 900 MGD improving water supply in different parts of Delhi. Remaining unauthorized colonies will be provided with piped water supply facility by December 2017. During the last 2 years, 633 kms. of new water pipelines have been laid, which is unprecedented in Delhi. Also, 311 kms. of old and rusted water lines have been replaced during this period to improve the water supply and avoid contamination.

14. Special drive launched for detection of hidden and surface leakages. 6200 leakages identified and plugged saving lakhs of liters of water.

15. Water supply in 309 unauthorized colonies released in the last two years & sewer in 33 colonies. Capital cost of construction for this plant is the least per MGD so far in the country with this technology.

16. Six colonies have been shortlisted for implementing Jan Jal Prabandhan Yojna (JJPY) through which, the water, sewer & recycled
water lines shall be laid. The sewage collected from the colony shall be treated by the decentralized STP constructed at this colony and recycled water shall be used in this colony for non drinking purposes. Surplus recycled water will be discharged to nearby water body.

17. The work of construction of 70 mgd STP at Coronation has been awarded and taken up for construction at site. This is the largest plant in Delhi which will treat sewage to high standard of treated effluent of BOD<10 & SS<10 ppm. Nitrogen and phosphate will also be removed. The treated effluent of such high quality will be used partly for non potable and remaining in river which will improve quality of river water.

18. Active consumers increased to 19.58 Lacs.

19. Special camps are being organized for facilitating consumers to apply for new water connections in unauthorized colonies

20. Water connection sanctioned in 205 Delhi Govt. Schools.

21. Quantity of water supply from rainy wells and tube wells in Yamuna River Flood plain has been increased by 15 MGD.

22. An International Consultant (from Israel) has been appointed for cleaning, developing and rejuvenating supplementary drain in the length of 8.5 km. from Mukarba Chowk to Wazirabad.