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The inspection started from Patoli Chowk area where the construction of man-holes and road restoration works is under execution or commissioning of already laid network 5-6 years back. The CEO also visited the interior lanes in Pandoka Colony and Indira Vihar and Janipur Colony. Dr Langer interacted with the local people of the area in order to know their views about the quality of works or any other issues regarding the functioning of the sewerage network commissioned by ERA. Instructions were issued for strict quality control

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It was also directed to implement the traffic management plan and taking all safety measures for avoiding accidents & causing minimum inconvenience to the general public by seeking cooperation of traffic police. DySP Traffic, Sunny Gupta accompanying the team traffic raised the issue of delay in removal of excavated material from the construction sites and restoration works. The CEO issued strict instruction for attending the said issues on priority without delay.

The Engineers of R&B Department present during inspection were also told to monitor the quality of road restoration works of ERA during execution phase by ERA contractors so that issues if any can be addressed on the spot. The other areas inspected include Paloura, Janipur Colony, Excelsior lane and lower Shiv Nagar.

In the Excelsior lane, the restoration of damages to the sewerage works during recent Monsoon incessant rains were inspected.

The special sewer lines completed and commissioned in the Storm Water drains were also inspected in lower Shiv Nagar area beside the Ranbir Collector Crossing over Janipur & Shakti Nagar Nallahs.

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The Project Manager (Hyd.), DPM (Sewerage) ERA along with Consultants from IPE Global, Engineers from UEED & R&B accompanied the CEO during site visit and inspection of works.