Chandigarh, 9th April 2018: The Chandigarh Administration has recently mandated the Self Certification of the Building Plans by private practicing architects in respect of commercial buildings in the city.

Further, the process of extending the above facility in case of residential and industrial buildings up to two canal category is also at an advanced stage and likely to be notified shortly. This move shall facilitate Ease of Doing Business initiative of the Government of India in the city and also put the plan sanctioning procedure on the fast track. In order to acclimatize the private practicing architects in the city on this issue, the Department of Urban Planning, Chandigarh Administration shall be holding a meeting with them along with other stakeholders on 10/04/2018 at 12 noon in the UT Secretariat and share all the information with them. All private practicing architects shall be updated of the process of Self Certification along with relevant information.