

Modi to chief secys: End mindless compliances and over-regulation

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New Delhi: Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Saturday urged top bureaucrats from states and Union territories to focus on quality in every sphere of the economy — from projects to products and even policies — and to do away with “mindless compliances”, “over regulation” and “outdated laws and rules” to achieve the goal of India becoming a developed nation by 2047.

Sources said the PM also urged the chief secretaries of all states and UTs to focus on developing every district within their jurisdiction. “He [the PM] said quality should be the hallmark of all our projects, products and initiatives as the nations that have become developed ones have



PM Narendra Modi during the Second National Conference of chief secretaries in New Delhi

never compromised on quality. He also said when each district will develop and do well, the states will see growth and ultimately these will contribute to growth and development at the national level,” said a senior official who was present at the second conference of chief secretaries in Delhi.