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No.F.6-1/2006 ( PP-II/SCT )

The Registrar,  
Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University  
Amravati,  
PIN - 444 602.

6 OCT 2009

Subject:-Action plan on the recommendation of the National Centre for  
Promotion of Employment for Disabled People.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of letter No.11-2/2008-  
SC/ST dated 21-03-2009 received from the Govt. of India, Ministry of Human  
Resource Development, Department of Higher Education, New Delhi  
alongwith enclosures, on the above subject, which are self explanatory.

You are, requested to kindly ensure strict implementation of  
recommendations of the National Centre for promotion of employment for  
Disablé People by your University. This may also be brought to the notice of  
the colleges affiliated to your University. The action taken report may be sent  
to University Grants Commission at an early date.

Yours faithfully,

(A.K.Saroya)

Under Secretary

Encl:-As above,

Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University

No.SGBAU/7-D/ 2223 /2009

Date : 18 November, 2009

Copy of the letter received R.C.Meena, Deptt of Higher Education, Ministry of  
H.R.D., Govt of India. F.No.11-2/2008-SC/ST, dt.21<sup>st</sup> March and 30 March, 2009  
alongwith Summary record of Discussion of Prime Minister's Office, New Delhi. are  
forwarded for information & necessary action.

To,

- 1) The Principal, all Colleges affiliated to Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University.
- 2) The Head, P.G.T.Deptts. of Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University.

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**Most Immediate  
PMO Reference  
Reminder**

F.No.11-2/2008-SC/ST  
Department of Higher Education  
Ministry of Human Resource Development  
SC/ST Cell

Room No. C-535, Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated the 21<sup>st</sup> March, 2009

Subject: - Action Plan/Status Note on the recommendations of the National Centre for Promotion of Employment for Disabled people-regarding.

Reference is invited to this Cell's note of even number dated the 30<sup>th</sup> March, 2009 enclosing therewith the action points relating to this Department emerged in the meeting held on 5.3.2009 under the Chairmanship of Secretary to the PM to discuss the recommendations of the National Centre for Promotion of Employment for Disabled People. Secretary (HE) attended the meeting.

3. The action plan *vis-à-vis* a status note on points raised therein is still awaited. It is requested that the same may kindly be supplied immediately without further delay. AA

  
(R.C. Meena)  
Economic Advisor

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1. AS (Kind Attention: Shri Ashok Thakur regarding Technical Education)
2. Joint Secretary (HE)

Copy for similar necessary action to: -

1. Dr. R.K. Chauhan, Secretary (UGC), Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi - 110002.
2. Shri R.A. Yadav, Chairman (AICTE), 7<sup>th</sup> Floor Chandar Lok Building, Janpath, New Delhi -110001

Process & submit immediately

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Annexure

Action Points for the Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities identified for the  
Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Human Resource  
Development

<b>Action Points</b>	<b>Time limit</b>
(1) All Central Universities and other Central higher educational institutions (like IITs, NITs, IIMs etc.) to be made barrier free and to have the following features:-  (i) Class rooms, toilets and hostels to be made accessible to wheel chair users (ii) Resource room for visually impaired students (iii) Accessible library (iv) Counseling Centre for disabled students (v) Facility of Sign Language Interpreter (vi) All students needing assistive devices to be provided such devices	2010-11
(2) Deptt./Centres of Disability Studies to be established in 10 Central Universities.	2010-11
(3) Deptt. of Assistive Technologies for Persons with Disabilities to be established in at least one IIT.	2010-11

**PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE**

**URGENT**

New Delhi-110101

**Subject: Summary record of discussions of the meeting chaired by Secretary to PM on 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2009 at 4.30 p.m. in South Block, New Delhi to discuss the issues pertaining to the Welfare of disabled persons.**

A copy of the summary record of discussions of the above mentioned meeting is enclosed for further necessary action.

*KA*  
(Kalpana Awasthi)  
Director

**Chairman, Railway Board**  
**Home Secretary**  
**Finance Secretary**  
**Secretary, Department of Expenditure**  
**Secretary, Department of Revenue**  
**Secretary, M/o Health & Family Welfare**  
**Secretary, M/o Urban Development**  
**Secretary, M/o Social Justice & Empowerment**  
**Secretary, M/o Labour & Employment**  
**Secretary, M/o Human Resources Development**  
**Secretary, D/o Information Technology**  
**Secretary, M/o Information & Broadcasting**

PMO ID No. 560/64/C/1/08-ES.II

Dated 12/3/2009

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**Subject: Summary record of discussions of the meeting held on 5<sup>th</sup> March 2009 at 4.30 p.m. in South Block, New Delhi to discuss the issues pertaining to the welfare of differently abled persons.**

The list of participants is at annexure - 1.

2. Issues pertaining to the welfare of differently abled persons were discussed in detail.

3. After discussions, it was decided as follows:

- i) All the Ministries concerned would confirm the timelines and targets circulated by the nodal Ministry, i.e. the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, within two months. The Action Plan for the next two years will thereafter be prepared by the Ministries, in consultation with the Ministry of Finance and the Planning Commission wherever necessary and conveyed to the nodal Ministry with details of action already taken or underway. These would then be reviewed in the PMO on a quarterly basis.
- ii) Doordarshan would go ahead with the subtitling/captioning of two prime-time news broadcasts in Hindi and English. The Ministry of Information & Broadcasting would also send an advisory to the private broadcasters to take measures designed to ensure proper access to the differently abled.
- iii) Several government websites have been made accessible to the differently abled. The Department of Information Technology (DIT) would ensure that this is now taken up for all

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new central government websites. The old government websites would be made disabled-friendly in a phased manner.

- iv) The Ministries agreed to ensure that the main entrance and at least one toilet on the ground floor in all buildings under their respective control; including attached, subordinate offices and autonomous bodies, were made accessible within the next two months. Ministry of Urban Development agreed to provide suitable administrative backup for this purpose.
- v) The Ministries would ensure compliance with the Model Code of Conduct and arrange to obtain the requisite clearance(s) as may be necessary.

**Subject:** Meeting by Secretary to PM on 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2009 at 4.30 p.m. in South Block, New Delhi to discuss the recommendations submitted to PMO by the National Centre for Promotion of Employment for Disabled People.

List of Participants

1. Shri R.P. Agrawal, Secretary, D/o Higher Education
2. Shri Naresh Dayal, Secretary, M/o Health & Family Welfare
3. Ms. Sushama Nath, Secretary, D/o Expenditure
4. Ms. Sushma Singh, Secretary, M/o Information & Broadcasting
5. Ms. Sudha Pillai, Secretary, M/o Labour & Employment
6. Shri P.V. Bhide, Secretary, D/o Revenue
7. Shri Jainder Singh, Secretary, D/o Information Technology
8. Shri K.M. Acharya, Secretary, M/o Social Justice & Empowerment
9. Ms. Anita Choudhary, AS, M/o Home Affairs
10. Shri A.K. Nigam, Adviser, Railway Board
11. Shri S.C. Khuntia, JS, D/o Secondary Education
12. Dr. Arvind Prasad, JS, M/o Social Justice & Empowerment
13. Shri A.K. Mehta, JS, M/o Urban Development
14. Ms. Sumita Dawra, Director, D/o Financial Services

From PMO

15. Shri Sanjay Mitra, JS to PM
16. Ms. Kalpana Awasthi, Director