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Government of India
Ministry of Human resource Development
Department of School Education & Literacy

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Subject: Clarification regarding submission of applications by NGOs for grant in aid under the scheme of Support to Voluntary Agencies for adult Education & Skill Development.

Department of School Education & Literacy had issued advertisements in newspapers on 21.10.2009 inviting applications for grant in aid for setting up of State Resource Centres. These applications were required to be submitted within one month from the date of advertisement. The application received in response to this advertisement were considered as per prescribed procedures and the State Resource Centres have already been sanctioned to selected voluntary agencies. However, this Department still continue to receive the applications from NGOs through NGO-PS System and otherwise with reference to said advertisement dated 21.10.2009.

Similarly, applications for innovative projects which were invited through advertisement dated 10.12.2009 and were required to be submitted within one month from the date of publication, still continue to be received through NGO-PS System and otherwise.

It is clarified that there are three components of the Scheme of Support to Voluntary Agencies for Adult Education & Skill Development viz. **“State Resource Centres, Jan Shikshan Sansthans and Assistance to Voluntary Agencies for Innovative Project”**. Applications are invited from NGOs for these components through advertisements issued in newspapers from time to time and the applications are required to be submitted in response to such advertisements and within the period prescribed therein. It may be noted that only such applications which are received in response to such advertisements and within the time specified therein are to be considered. The other applications are not being entertained without any notice.

All NGOs are requested to take specific note of this procedure and submit applications for grant in aid through NGO-PS System or otherwise strictly in response to, and in accordance with time frame indicated in the advertisements issued from time to time. Applications received otherwise will not be entertained without any notice.

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