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D.O. No. 3-5/2023 PM POSHAN 2-1

Dated the 24<sup>th</sup> May, 2023

Dear Madam / Sir,

As you are aware, World Environment Day is celebrated every year on the 5th of June and aims at raising awareness and celebrating environmental action. It is a platform for raising awareness on environmental issues such as marine pollution, overpopulation, global warming, sustainable development and wildlife crime.

2. To encourage the spirit of World Environment Day, you are requested to ensure minimal wastage of food under PM POSHAN Scheme and utilize the food waste for composting in the schools. This is a simple yet effective environment-friendly measure that must be ensured under the Scheme.

3. In this regard, you are also requested to carry out the following activities before and during the World Environment Day in the schools of your respective States and UTs:-

i. Extensive usage of the creatives for Mission LiFE, available on the Mission LiFE portal: http://missionlife-moefcc.nic.in/Downloads.php by the Schools.

ii. Sharing of photographs extensively through social media so as to ensure a widespread and lasting awareness among the community in general.

iii. The Nodal Officer designated in your State/UT may share the photographs with this Department by email on: missionlifeins.5@gmail.com.

Yours sincerely, (L.S. Changsan)

## Secretary (Education) of all States/UTs

Copy to:

(ii) The Commissioners/Directors of PM POSHAN of all States &UTs.(ii) The Commissioner NVS, for similar action regarding JNV hostel food.