

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi Dated 30th December, 2015

Subject: Change of date of North Zone Regional Workshop / Orientation meeting with State Governments and Union Territory Administrations – reg.

I am directed to invite your reference to this Department's letter of even no. dated 23rd December, 2015 regarding Regional Workshop with the States of Delhi, Haryana, Uttarakhand, Uttar Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh, Punjab and Chandic arh at Dehradun on 22-23rd January, 2016. Due to the non-availability of suitable accommodation at Dehradun on above dates, the above workshop has been pre-poned to 20-21 January, 2016. Further, Governments of Assam and Gujarat would also participate in the above Regional Workshop at Dehradun.

- 2. The said Regional workshop will be held at **Solitaire Inn, ISBT Road, Dehrad In on 20-21**st **January, 2016 instead of 22-23 January, 2015.** Kindly note the change in the dates of the workshop and make it convenient to attend the same at Dehradun.
- 3. The travel plan of the participants from various States/UTs may be sent to Dr. Mukul Kumar Sati, Additional State Project Director, SSA / MDM .at mdmcell.uttarakhand@gmail.com (Mobile 09927194559) and Shri P.K. Bisht, Joint Director, Uttarakhand at mdmcell.uttarakhand@gmail.com (Mobile 09411363498) under intima ion to Shri Gaya Prasad, Director, MHRD on email at gaya.prasad@nic.in.
- 4. The Government of Uttarakhand is requested to submit the component-wise ter tative expenditure to the Project Manager (MDM), TSG, Ed.CIL (India) Limited at **vkv.mdm@gmail.com** under intimation at **gaya.prasad@nic.in** to enable us to make on the spot payment after the workshop. It is relevant to mention that the Programme Approval 3oard (PAB) for Mid Day Meal Scheme 2015-16 had approved Rs.8 lakh for the above workshop.

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5. The Secretary, Education, Government of Uttarakhand is requested to kindly issue necessary instructions to the concerned officers for making arrangements for the smooth organization of the workshop and stay of the participants of the States/UTs.

Yours faithfully,

(Arnab Dhaki)

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Copy to:

- i) Principal Secretaries/Secretaries, Education or nodal departments implementing mid day meal in of Assam, Delhi, Gujarat, Haryana, Jammu & Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh, Punjab, Chandigarh, Uttarakhand and Uttar Pradesh, with request to depute 2-3 officers who are dealing with the scheme and are well conversant with the issues related to MDM for the above Workshops along with the data on the scheme up to December, 2015.
- ii) Director, Mid Day Meal Scheme of the participating States for information and necessary action.
- iii) JS&FA, Ministry of HRD with request to depute representative of IFD for the Workshop.
- iv) DIR(PV) / DIR(HK) / DS(BDS) / US(SA) / US(AD) / US(RK)
- v) PPS to JS(EE.I)
- vi) Senior Consultants/Consultants of TSG-MDM, Ed.CIL with request to coordinate with the States / UTs and ensure their participation.
- vii) Project Manager (MDM), Ed CIL (India) Limited, New Delhi with request to coordina e with the Government of Uttarakhand and make arrangements for reimbursement of the expenditure to be incurred by the State on last day of the workshop.