

F.No.6- 58/2014-DD-IV  
Government of India  
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment  
Department of Disability Affairs

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Date 8.10.2014

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Information sought by Shri Venkatesh Nayak, B-117, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Sarvodya Enclave, New Delhi Information under RTI Act,2005.

Under Rule 6(3) of Right to Information Act, 2005, the undersigned is forwarding herewith FC & RTI Section reference No. 669 & 670/FC & RTI/2014 dated 29.09.2014 received in this Division on 7.10.2014, enclosing therewith a copy of RTI application dated 09.08.2014 of Sh. Venkatesh Nayak, B-117, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Sarvodya Enclave, New Delhi

2. The information sought by the applicant may be sent to him as per the instructions contained in the RTI Act within the stipulated time.

3. While furnishing the information applicants may also be informed the name, designation and address of the appellate authority for preferring appeal if he is not satisfied with the information

4. The applicant paid RTI Fees.

  
(Sanjay Singh)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

1. Sh. D.K. Panda, CPIO & Under Secretary, Deptt. of Disability Affairs, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
2. Sh. S.K. Mahto, CPIO & Under Secretary, Deptt. of Disability Affairs, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. Sh. Pradeep Purohit, CPIO & Under Secretary, Deptt. of Disability Affairs, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
4. Sh. Sureksha Sharma, CPIO & Under Secretary, Deptt. of Disability Affairs, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
5. Sh. Ramanuj Dey, CPIO & Under Secretary, Deptt. of Disability Affairs, IPH, New Delhi.
6. Sh. Sauranshu Sinha, CPIO & Under Secretary, Deptt. of Disability Affairs, IPH, New Delhi.
7. Sh. Arun Kumar Mandal, CPIO & Under Secretary, Deptt. of Disability Affairs, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.

Copy for similar action to :- CPIO, National Handicapped Finance & Development Corporation, Red Cross Bhawan, Sec- 12, Faridabad-121007, Haryana.

Copy for information to:-

1. Shri Sh. Venkatesh Nayak, B-117, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Sarvodya Enclave, New Delhi alongwith photocopy of Monthly Summaries for the months of May and June,2014.

2. Section Officer, (FC & RTI) w.r.t. their letter No. 669 & 670/FC & RTI/2014 dated 29.9.2014.

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September, 2014

Office Memorandum

Subject:- Monthly summary for the Cabinet for the month of June, 2014 in respect of Department of Disability Affairs .

The undersigned is directed to forward herewith monthly summary for the Cabinet for the month of June, 2014 in respect of Department of Disability Affairs .



(S. S. Gupta)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

To

All Hon'ble Members of the Council of Ministers

Copy with enclosures also forwarded to :

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2. The Secretary to the Vice President, No.5 Maulana Azad Road, New Delhi
3. The Cabinet Secretariat, Rashtrapatii Bhawan, New Delhi
4. Secretaries to the Govt. of India

Copy to:

1. Joint Secretary, Department of Disability Affairs.
2. All Divisional Heads.

Subject:- Monthly summary for the Cabinet for the month of June, 2014 in respect of Department of Disability Affairs .

1. Under the scheme of Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship for Students with Disabilities, an amount of Rs. 200 lakhs has been released. Expenditure Finance Committee Notes of the proposed schemes of Pre-Matric Scholarship and Post-matric Scholarship for Students with Disabilities were uploaded in the website of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment to invite public opinion.
2. A new scheme of "National Overseas Scholarship for Students with Disabilities" has been prepared and the Note for the Standing Finance Committee has been circulated to various Ministries/ Departments including Planning Commission and Department of Expenditure for their comments. The SFC Note and Draft scheme has also been uploaded in the website of Department to invite opinion of the general public.
3. Our CPSE, National Handicapped Finance & Development Corporation (NHFDC), Faridabad disbursed loans amounting to Rs. 472.50 lakhs to 892 persons with disabilities in the month of June, 2014.
4. 454 professionals and 486 personnel having Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI) approved qualifications were registered in the Central Rehabilitation Register. As on date the cumulative total of registered professionals and personnel is 93,141. RCI granted permission to run 44 courses in 38 institutions and proposals of 18 courses in 12 institutions were rejected as they did not meet the prescribed norms.
5. Under ADIP scheme, Rs. 19.50 crore was released as Grants-in-aid to Implementing agencies during month of June, 2014.
6. Under SIPDA scheme, Rs. 33.00 lakh was released as Grants-in-aid during month of June, 2014.
7. Under Deendayal Disabled Rehabilitation scheme(DDRS), expenditure till 30.6.2014 is Rs. 532.00 lakhs.
8. The Hon'ble Minister of State, Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India visited the Composite Regional Centre, (CRC) Bemina Bypass Road, Srinagar on 18.6.2014. He laid the foundation stone for five class rooms being constructed by pre-fabricated material in the premises of CRC, Srinagar. A Job Fair was organized by Pandit Deen Dayal Upadhyay Institute for Physically Handicapped, New Delhi on 19<sup>th</sup> June 2014 at Composite Rehabilitation Centre Srinagar, with the dual objective of sensitizing professionals about the capabilities of Persons with Disabilities and short listing eligible/potential persons with Disabilities for suitable placements.
9. Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Institute for the Physically Handicapped(PDUIPH), New Delhi also took up 1280 new cases for various therapies in addition to 730 cases for assessment.

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Subject:- Monthly summary for the Cabinet for the month of May, 2014 in respect of Department of Disability Affairs .

1. Detailed review meetings with all the Division Heads and other officers of the Department, Heads of all National institutes and the PSEs under the D/o Disability Affairs were held on 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> May 2014. All Divisional Heads, Institutes and the Corporations were given short term and medium term targets for implementing the mandate of the Department, launch of new schemes and achievement of MOU commitments.
2. During General Election, 2014, Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India (ALIMCO) provided 5260 wheel chairs in four parliamentary constituencies in UP namely, Allahabad, Lucknow, Varanasi and Kanpur and seven constituencies in NCR, Delhi at a short notice for the benefit of elderly and disabled voters. A booklet reflecting the activities was published and circulated as guide book to Electoral Offices in all States for future elections. Further, a team of officers from Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhyay Institute for Physically Handicapped (DDUIPH), trained about 1200 providing wheel chair facility to PwDs.
3. In its first meeting held on 07.05.2014 the Expert Committee under the Chairmanship of Secretary, Disability Affairs constituted under the revised scheme for Assistance Disable Persons to Purchase / Fitting of aids / Appliances (ADIP), finalized kits for persons with intellectual and developmental disabilities; list of aids / assistive devices for hearing impaired and visually impaired and entrusted the task of furnishing details of high end mobility and prosthetic devices to experts. A committee was also constituted for deciding on specification and procurement of 'Cochlear Implant'.
4. National Trust for the Welfare of Persons with Autism, Cerebral Palsy, Mental Retardation and Multiple Disabilities conducted an early intervention training programme for capacity building of registered organizations to enrich their knowledge base and instil confidence in handling young children, at Ludhiana (Punjab), from 5<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> May 2014 in which 25 persons participated.  
The Trust also held Expert Committee Meeting for listing out modern assistive devices for all categories under ADIP Scheme and sub-committee meeting to restructure the guidelines for protection of children with special needs from exploitation, abuse and violence.
5. Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities (CCPD) is responsible *inter alia* for looking into complaints relating to deprivation of rights of PwDs and non-implementation of law, rules etc. made for the welfare of PwDs. Since its inception in September 1998, Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities (CCPD) registered 27038 cases out of which 25740 (95.19%) had been

(CCPD) registered 27038 cases out of which 25740 (95.19%) had been disposed of by the end of May 2014. In the month of May 2014, 100 cases were received and 93 were disposed of.

6. Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI) registered 416 professionals and 516 Personnel having RCI approved qualification in the Central Rehabilitation register; granted permission to 80 Institutions to conduct RCI approved programmes; approved 11 CRE programmes without financial assistance and granted CRE status to nine workshops. Examination work of RCI approved diploma and certificate courses was reviewed on 20.05.2014.

7. The National Institute for Visually Handicapped (NIVH), Dehradun printed 7,88,190/- Braille Dummy Ballot Papers for General Elections 2014 for the States of Bihar, Haryana Himachal Pradesh, Tamilnadu, Uttar Pradesh and Uttrakhand.

After developing Braille Code for Hindustani Braille Music Notations System, the Institute organized three workshops for dissemination of the new Code to music teachers and students of Uttrakhand & Delhi

A job fair was conducted by CRC, Sunder Nagar (HP) in which 127 PwDs and three Corporates participated. 30 PwDs selected were given letters of employment.

25 students of the Model School for the Visually Handicapped passed CBSE 12<sup>th</sup> Board examination out of which 15 student secured about 80% marks; one student stood 1<sup>st</sup> in the class securing 88.6% marks with distinction in all the five subjects. In CBSE 10<sup>th</sup> examination, 24 students appeared out of which 15 obtained first Division and 9 students passed the exam in Second Division.

8. National Institute for Empowerment of Persons with Multiple Disabilities (NIEPMD) received National Award and STQC Certificate for accessibility features of NIEPMD Web site.

The Institute faculty contributed 300 man hours on R&D Projects in five fields of studies, in addition to conducting its regular courses, OPD & Mobile Service etc. 381 beneficiaries were provided 458 assistive devices.

9. Swami Vivekananda National institute for Rehabilitation Training & Research (SVNIRTAR) conducted a training on "Parental Education on Handling Children with Erb's Palsy" on 20.05.2014. 30 participants participated.

The Institute rendered services to 83 indoor patient and 3335 outdoor patients for 473 surgical corrections and over 13200 other services under various Departments of the Institute. 303 Aids and Assistive devices were distributed.

10. National Institute of Orthopedically Handicapped (NIOH), Kolkata distributed 185 aids and appliances to PwDs. 37 Disability Certificate were given in camps at Mizoram.

11. Our PSE, NHFDC disbursed Rs74 lakhs of loans to 49 beneficiaries meeting the 'excellent' target of achievement under MOU. NHFDC conducted awareness camp at Khirogram (West Bengal) on 15&16.05.2014.

12. Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhyay Institute for the Physically Handicapped (DDUIPH), Delhi provided services to 1778 PwDs. To 221 beneficiaries and distributed 175 Aids and Assistive devices. In addition, over 2500 cases were taken up in the CRCs and SRCs at Srinagar, Lucknow & Secundrabad.

13. Ali Yavar Jung National Institute of Hearing Handicapped (AYJNIHH), Mumbai provided 6814 cases and distributed 758 Aids and Assistive devices to 612 beneficiaries. Awareness material was distributed to 1413 persons and 1363 persons availed of the services of Disabilities Information Line (DIL).