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# 10, Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg, New Delhi-110001 Dated: 5<sup>th</sup> December, 2022

## **OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Subject: Monthly Summary for the Cabinet concerning M/o SDE -reg

The undersigned is directed to forward herewith the Monthly Summary of important activities for the month of October, 2022, for information.

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## MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT & ENTRAPRENEURSHIP

## Subject: Monthly Summary for the Cabinet Council concerning M/o SDE -reg

Some of the key achievements/ initiatives by this Ministry during the month of October, 2022 are as under:

- 1. To propel economic prosperity in India's tribal communities and bring them to the forefront, the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) on 13th October, 2022 felicitated 165 students under the second phase of Grameen Udyami project, a National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) funded initiative. Addressing the convocation ceremony, Shri Rajeev Chandrasekhar, the Hon'ble Union Minister of State (MoS), SDE said that skilling is the passport to prosperity and one of its aims is to strengthen local village economies and limit migration. The event took place in Ranchi, Jharkhand.
- 2. Special Campaign for disposal of Pending Matters 2.0(SCDPM 2.0)
- Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG) initiated a i. Special Campaign for disposal of pending matters from 2nd to 31st October 2022 with the objective to achieve timely and effectively disposal of pending references from Members of Parliament, references of State Governments, references from Inter-Ministerial consultations (IMC), Parliamentary Assurances and Public Grievances, reduce compliance burden and to discard redundant scrap materials, obsolete items, unnecessary paper works including weeding out of files of temporary nature to improve cleanliness of workplace. As part of this special drive, MSDE made efforts to ensure effective execution through intense engagement with the field staff and close monitoring of the campaign. The Ministry through this special campaign ensured 100% achievement in disposal of Inter Ministerial Consultations (IMC) cases, easing of rules and processes, weeding out of files, closure of e files. Similarly, 84% of the target was achieved in cleanliness campaigns carried out in different Institutes/Organisations under MSDE and spread all over the country. A total area of 39,123 square feet of space was freed, and INR 17,39,509 was earned from scrap disposal during the campaign period. Detailed report is enclosed.
- ii. As a part of Special Campaign 2.0 for Swachhata, a mega tree plantation drive was organized by the Jan Shikshan Sansthans (JSSs) in their operational areas across the country on 19<sup>th</sup> October 2022 and more than 50000+ saplings were planted by 250 JSS across the country.
- 3. Video Conferences (VCs), Meetings:
- i. A Meeting was held on 19th October 2022 for review of Budget Announcement 2022-23 under the Joint Chairmanship of Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, Hon'ble Union Minister of SDE and Education, and Shri Bhupender Yadav, Hon'ble Minister of L&E and Environment, Forest and

Climate Change in the august presence of Shri Rajeev Chandrasekhar, Hon'ble Union Minister of State for SDE and Electronics & Information Technology.

- ii. Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, Hon'ble Union Minister of SDE and Education, launched the draft of National Credit Framework (NCrF) for public consultation on 19.10.2022 to enable the integration of academic and vocational domains to ensure flexibility and mobility between the two. NCrF will also enable students who have dropped out of the mainstream education to re-enter the education ecosystem.
- iii. The 22nd Meeting of the Project Execution Committee (PEC) of SANKALP was held under the Chairmanship of Joint Secretary (SANKALP) on 06.10.2022 to review the physical and financial progress of the Project on 'Skill and Entrepreneurship Development of Women in Golden Grass Craft Project at Kendrapara, Odisha'.
- iv. Virtual Meetings were held under the Chairpersonship of Joint Secretary (SANKALP) with the State Skill Development Missions (SSDMs) to review the physical and financial progress of implementation of SANKALP in the States on 11.10.2022 and 18.10.2022. The Mission Directors and their representatives from the States of Ladakh, Chhattisgarh, Manipur, Tamil Nadu, Uttarakhand, Puducherry, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, Tripura, Jammu & Kashmir, Bihar, Gujarat and Haryana participated in the meeting.
- 4. As a part of Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi's Skill India Mission to boost career opportunities and practical training and to provide the local youth the opportunity to shape their careers through apprenticeship training, this Ministry organized the Pradhan Mantri National Apprenticeship Melas (PMNAM) on October 10, 2022, across 280 locations in 28 states and Union Territories.
- 5. BharatSkills (https://bharatskills.gov.in), Directorate General of Training under this Ministry has been awarded the SILVER AWARD under the Category "Excellence in Providing Citizen Centric Delivery" of the National Awards for e-Governance Scheme 2021-2022 and will be felicitated in the 25th National Conference on e-Governance (NCeG) to be held on 26th-27th November, 2022 at Shri Mata Vaishno Devi University (SMVDU) Campus-Kakryal, Jammu, Jammu & Kashmir.
- 6. As part of the partnership between the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) and UN Women, a series of capacity-building programmes of MSDE officials on "Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act 2013" was launched. During the month of October, capacity building programme for the members of Internal Committee (IC) of the Ministry as well as in each of the key institutions under the aegis of MSDE namely, DGT, NCVET, JSS, NIESBUD, IIE, NSDC, NIMI, CSTARI and all the NSTIs was held on 7th October 2022.
- 7. MSDE celebrated the National Unity Day (Rashtriya Ekta Diwas) with great zeal and enthusiasm across the country on 31st October 2022. On this occasion, the organizations under

the Ministry organized Unity Run, Rallies, and taken Ekta Shapath (Unity Pledge) in their operational areas.

- 8. NSDC International and Perdaman (multinational group based in Western Australia) got into a partnership to create an interface between Indian Skilled youth and market opportunities in Australia. This association will empower the skilled youth of India by connecting them to opportunities in Australia, gain global exposure and contribute to the overall well-being of the globe. This is aligned to the vision of Aatmanirbhar Bharat which is about building self-reliance while also contributing to global good.
- 9. In addition to the above initiatives, the on-going process for rationalization of work performance through a number of internal measures continued to ensure utmost promptness and efficiency in speedy disposal of all important and urgent issues.

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