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All the Principal/Directors
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Delhi/New Delhi.

Subject: Regarding initiative to boost employability and implementing the National Apprenticeship Promotion scheme (NAPS)

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am directed to enclose herewith a letter No. DHE-13(5)/Misc/D.U./2015-16 dated 18.02.2019 received from Mr. R. P. Meena, Admn. Officer-III (HE), Directorate of Higher Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi addressed to the Registrar, University of Delhi on the above noted subject for information and necessary compliance.

Yours faithfully

Assistant Registrar (Colleges)

Encl.: As above

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L. Subrahmanyam, IAS
Secretary



Ministry of Human Resource Development
Department of Higher Education
Government of India

D.O. No.Secy(HE)/MHRD/2019

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Dear Chief Secretary,

In order to improve the employment opportunities of the students passing out of the higher education institutions, Govt. of India in Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship and the Ministry of Human Resource Development have been working together for implementing the National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS).

Under this, 50 lakh students, primarily from the higher educational institutions are targeted to be provided apprenticeship ranging from 6 to 12 months in an industry/enterprise. The industry, during the apprenticeship would qualify for reimbursement of 25% of stipend paid to the student, subject to maximum Rs.1500 per month. Apart from this, funds would also be made available under the Scheme for basic training prior to apprenticeship. If all the final year students in the degree programmes of the non-technical institutions are invited to join the apprenticeship programme, it would increase their employability in the areas of their choice. The Sectoral Skill Councils have been asked to identify apprenticeship opportunities in their sectors and upload it on the portal.

Such a major initiative to boost employability would require active participation and support of the State Governments especially because vast majority of higher educational institutions are under the State control/regulation. I would therefore request the State Govt. to participate in the following manner:-

- i). Identify industries/enterprises - in coordination with the State Industries Department, Higher Education Department and Labour Department - where students can be employed as apprentices and get the same uploaded in the portal that would be open from 1st Feb 2019 for a period of one month (details would be shared separately). Numbers in regard to demand for apprenticeship from industry may be obtained.
- ii) To popularise the scheme in all the colleges in the State and ascertain student demand potential.
- iii) Identify a senior nodal officer for this Scheme and send the details at the earliest.

Sri VLVSS Subba Rao, Senior Economic Adviser in the Ministry (subba.rao61@nic.in / subba61@gmail.com & +91 9910063701) will be available for any clarifications required. I would be grateful for early action.

With regards

Yours sincerely,

(R. SUBRAHMANYAM)

Chief Secretary of States/UTs