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**Sub: Obtaining of nomination/ entries for National ICT Award for School Teachers-2017**

**Ref: Letter of even number dated 31/12/2016 and 12/07/2017**

Respected Madam/Sir,

The Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) in Schools have been revised and a new component on National Award for Teachers for use of ICT in education has been introduced.

In all 87 ICT awards are instituted by Govt. of India for different States/ UTs and Autonomous Bodies/ organizations under MHRD. A break-up of state-wise allocation of awards is enclosed. The award proposes to felicitate those teachers who have enhanced student learning by effectively and innovatively integrating technology supported learning into the school curriculum and subject teaching, and thereby promoted enquiry-based cooperative-collaborative learning using ICT among their students. Teachers of primary, upper primary, secondary, higher secondary schools pertaining to the following organizations are eligible to be nominated under the scheme:

- i. State Government Schools, Schools run by local bodies, Government Aided Schools and Schools affiliated to State Boards of Education
- ii. Central Government schools i.e. Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs), Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas (JNVs), Central Tibetan Schools (CTSA), Schools run by Ministry of Defense (MOD) i.e. Sainik Schools etc. and schools run by Atomic Energy Education Society (AEES)
- iii. Schools affiliated to Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) other than those at (i) and (ii) above.
- iv. Schools affiliated to Council for Indian Schools Certificate Examinations (CISCE)

As per the guidelines of the Scheme, the selection process for identifying the awardee teachers involves the following:

1. Schools will send detailed entries in the prescribed format along with supporting documents to the Directorate of Education of their States/UTs/Organization through proper channel (Principal/DEO/Regional Offices etc.).
2. A Committee under the Chairmanship of Secretary/Commissioner (Education)/ Director of the concerned State/UT/Autonomous Organizations (KVS, NVS, CBSE, CISCE, CTSA, AEES etc.) will scrutinize all the entries and shortlist the candidates and forward the same to the Chairman of the Awards Committee along with minutes of the meeting. **The State/UT/Organization shall recommend only twice the number of teachers as their awards quota, in order of merit.**

3. Short listed candidates would be required to make presentations before the Awards Committee. Invitation in this regard will be sent to teachers directly by CIET-NCERT with intimation to their Directorate. The composition of the Committee will be as follows:

i.	Director, NCERT, New Delhi	Chairman
ii.	DDG. NIC, New Delhi	Member
iii.	Representative from Secondary Education Bureau, Dept. of SE&L, Ministry of HRD, GOI	Member
iv.	Representative from Dept of IT, New Delhi	Member
v.	Joint Director, CIET, New Delhi	Member Secretary

The Awards Committee would recommend the requisite number of awardees to the Ministry with justification. The Ministry will process the recommendation for the awards.


Each awardee teacher will be awarded with a laptop and a commendation certificate. All winners will form a community of resource persons through networking.

In each entry from the state/UT must include individual applications (as per the Performa attached) of teacher nominated, along with necessary documents and evidence. **The last date for forwarding of short listed candidates by State Govt./UTs/Autonomous Organizations to the Joint Director, CIET-NCERT, New Delhi-110016 was 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2017.** Nomination from your State/UT for the National ICT Award for the School Teachers for the year 2017 is not yet received at CIET-NCERT.

I shall be grateful if you could kindly look into the matter personally and send the short listed nominations from your State/UT in the prescribed format to CIET-NCERT latest by **31<sup>st</sup> January, 2018**. The jury meeting for the finalization of awards for the year 2017 is scheduled to be held during the month of February, 2018. This will help us to invite nominated teachers for the jury meeting and final selection. For other details you are requested to instruct the teachers to log in to CIET website: [www.ciet.nic.in](http://www.ciet.nic.in). [http://www.ciet.nic.in/ICT\\_Awards.php](http://www.ciet.nic.in/ICT_Awards.php). A copy of the news paper advertisements (in English and Hindi), guidelines and entry form is attached for your ready reference, use and dissemination among schools.

With regards,

Yours sincerely

  
(A.P. Behera)  
Joint Director

To

The Secretary/ Commissioner of School Education in 19 States/UTs of Andhra Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Chandigarh, Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Daman & Diu, Delhi, Goa, Jammu & Kashmir, Jharkhand, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Sikkim, Telangana & West Bengal.

**Copy for information and further necessary action to:**

1. The State Project Directors, SSA/RMSA in the above mentioned 19 States/UTs.
2. The Director of SCERTs/SIEs in the above mentioned 19 States/ UTs.