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## <u>ORDER</u>

Subject:

Constitution of a committee for synergising the ongoing schemes on Vocationalisation of Education.

The Centrally Sponsored-Scheme (CSS) of Rashtriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA) is being implemented in all participating States and U.Ts. The Project Approval Board (PAB) has met thrice to consider the higher education plans of States and U.Ts and approved proposals under various components of RUSA.

- 2. One of the major components of RUSA is "Vocationalisation of Higher Education" The component seeks to strength governance, modernize management, procedures and instructional structures, enhancing skills delivery including development and delivery of competency based training and continuous skill upgradation, counselling for choice of training and career planning etc. However, there are other initiatives and schemes of the Government, which have been in existence before RUSA to promote and improve vocationalisation in education both at school and college level.
- 3. The PAB, in its meeting held on 13.05.2014, decided that a committee would be constituted to examine the various schemes of vocationalisation and recommend how these can be synergised for a focused intervention and optimum utilisation of resources.
- 4. The committee will have the following members:

i. Shri S S Mantha Chairman, AICTE

- Chairman

ii. Shri R.P. Sisodia,
National Mission Director (RUSA)

- Member

iii. Shri Praveen Prakash
Jt. Secretary (TEL), MHRD

- Member

iv. Shri Shiekh Ahmad
Principal Secretary (Higher Education)
Government of Jammu & Kashimr

- Member

v. Shri Gagan Kumar Dhal Principal Secretary (Higher Education) Government of Odisha

- Member

vi. Dr. Roshan Sunkaria Principal Secretary (Higher Education) Government of Punjab

- Member

vii. Shri Harpreet Singh Director, RUSA

- Member - Convenor

- 5. The Committee may co-opt any other member as it feels necessary.
- 6. The Committee shall be provided secretarial and other assistance by the RUSA Resource Centre (RRC) for holding meetings including payment of TA/DA as per norms.
- 7. The committee will submit its reports/recommendations within a month from the date of its first meeting.

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To

- 1. All members of the Committee
- 2. Chief Consultant RRC
- 3. PS to Secretary (HE)
- 4. Webmaster (for uploading the same on the Ministry's website for general information)