

## आचार्य मनिष र. जोशी सचिव

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विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग University Grants Commission

(शिक्षा मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार) (Ministry of Education, Govt. of India)

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SUB: - "Bal Vivah Mukt Bharat" campaign -Reg.

आदरणीय महोदया / महोदय,

The Ministry of Education vide letter dated 26.11.2024, attaching therewith the D.O. letter No.138/2020-WW Part (1) dated 18-11-2024 of the Secretary, Ministry of Women and Child Development (MWCD), has communicated that child marriage is one of the worst forms of violation of human rights the Hon'ble Minister of Women and Child Development will launch "Bal Vivah Mukt Bharat" campaign on 27th November, 2024 at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi to raise awareness on the issue and eliminate child marriages across the country with a 'Whole of Government' and 'Whole of Society' approach.

You are requested to ensure that students and Teachers/faculty members of all colleges Universities and Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) to take ownership of the campaign and actively participate in the abovesaid national launch event on and after 27-11-2024 along with taking the pledge to Stop Child Marriage in their area as well actively participate in the past launch event to make the campaign a grand success so that no girl is deprived of her childhood, education and bright future due to child marriage.

It is further requested to provide action taken report to the Gender Sensitization Section of UGC at **gssec.ugc@nic.in** at the earliest.

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- सभी महाविद्यालयों के प्राचार्य।