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National Institute of Public Cooperation and Child Development

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No: NI/PC/RS/POC/Police/2015-16

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Subject: Workshop for Police Officers on Critical Issues in Dealing with Victims of Child Sexual Abuse

Sir/Madam.

As you are aware, the Institute is a national apex body in the field of women and children under the aegis of Ministry of Women and Child Development, Government of India. The main functions of the Institute are research, training and consultancy in the field of women and child development. NIPCCD is also designated as a nodal training centre for capacity building on child rights and child protection in the country.

The Institute is organizing a two-day Workshop for Police Officers on Critical Issues in Dealing with Victims of Child Sexual Abuse from 3 – 4 December, 2015 at New Delhi. The objectives of the workshop are to (i) review the handling of cases registered under POCSO Act, 2012; (ii) discuss field problems in cases under POCSO Act and evolving solutions thereafter; and (iii) strategies for effective coordination between police and other agencies implementing POCSO Act, 2012.

You are requested to kindly nominate 5-6 Senior and Middle level personnel dealing with children related issues like child protection, child rights & juvenile justice from your State/Union Territory who would be required to attend the two-day workshop for its entire duration.

It may be noted that All participants will draw their T.A. /D.A. from their respective Departments However the Institute would arrange free board for all participants and free lodging & board for all outstation participants at its hostel located in the campus of NIPCCD, 5 Siri Institutional Area, Hauz Khas, New Delh. 110016.

It is requested that the nominations indicating their name, designation and contact details may be sent by post or faxed /emailed to reach the Institute latest by 15th November, 2015 to Dr. (Ms) Tejinder Kaur, Joint Director, Public Cooperation Division, or through Email: pccpdiv@gmail.com (Tele - Fax: 011-26966329). However, the officers nominated should proceed for attending the workshop only after being confirmed by the Institute.

Looking forward to an early response

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Yours faithfully,

उत्तर प्रदेश 3.11.15

Encl.: As above

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विषय : बाल यौन दुर्व्यवहार से पीड़ितों के गंभीर मुद्दों पर पुलिस अधिकारियों हेतु कार्यशाला

महोदय / महोदया,

जैसा कि आप जानते हैं, यह संस्थान महिला एवं बाल विकास मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार के अन्तर्गत महिलाओं और बच्चों के क्षेत्र में कार्यरत राष्ट्रीय शीर्ष निकाय है । मेहिला एवं बाल विकास के क्षेत्र में अनुसंधान करना, प्रशिक्षण और परामर्श देना संस्थान के मुख्य कार्य हैं । निपसिड को बाल अधिकारों और बाल संरक्षण पर क्षमता निर्माण हेतु देश नोडल प्रशिक्षण केन्द्र के रूप में भी पदनामित किया गया है।

- संस्थान बाल यौन दुर्व्यवहार से पीड़ितों के गंभीर मुद्दों पर पुलिस अधिकारियों हेतु दिल्ली में 3-4 दिसम्बर, 2015 तक दो दिवसीय कार्यशाला का आयोजन कर रहा है । कार्यशाला के मुख्य उद्देश्य इस प्रकार होंगे : (1) पोक्सो अधिनियम 2012 के तहत् पंजीकृत मामलों की समीक्षा करना (2) पोक्सो अधिनियम के मामलों की क्षेत्रीय समस्याओं पर विचार-विमर्श करना और उसके बाद समाधान निकालना । (3) पोक्सो अधिनियम के कार्यान्वयन करने वाली अन्य संस्थाओं तथा पुलिस के बीच कारगर तालमेल की रणनीति तैयार करना ।
- अनुरोध है कि आप इस दो दिवसीय कार्यशाला में भाग लेने के लिए अपने राज्य से 5-6 वरिष्ठ और मध्य स्तर के उन कार्मिकों को नामित करें जो बाल संरक्षण, बाल अधिकारों तथा किशोर न्याय जैसे बच्चों से संबंधित मुद्दों पर कार्य कर रहे हों और पूरी अवधि तक इस कार्यशाला में भाग लें ।
- 4. कृपया ध्यान रखें कि सभी सरकारी अधिकारी यात्रा भत्ता / दैनिक भत्ता अपने संबंधित राज्य विभागों से प्राप्त करेंगे तथापि संस्थान बाहर से आने वाले सभी सहभागियों के भोजन और ठहरने की निःशुल्क व्यवस्था अपने 5 सीरी, इंस्टीट्यूशनल एरिया, हौजखास, नई दिल्ली-110016 के स्थित छात्रावास में करेगा ।
- अनुरोध है कि संलग्न प्रोफार्मा में सहभागियों के नाम, पदनाम और संपर्क विवरण डा. तेजिन्दर कौर, संयुक्त निदेशक, जन सहयोग प्रभाग, निपसिड, 5 सीरी, इंस्टीट्यूशनल एरिया, हौजंखास, नई दिल्ली-110016 को अथवा ई.मेंलः pccpdiv@gmail.com (टेलीफैक्स: 011-26966329) द्वारा 15 नवम्बर, 2015 तक अवश्य भेज दें । नामित प्रतिनिधि इस संस्थान से उनके नामांकन की पुष्टि होने पर ही कार्यक्रम में भाग लेने के लिए प्रस्थान करें ।

कृपया शीघ्र उत्तर दे कर अनुगृहीत करें ।

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(दिनेश पाल)

संलग्नक : उपर्युक्तानुसार

Workshop for Police Officers on Critical Issues in Dealing with Victims of Child Sexual Abuse from 3-4 December, 2015

Workshop Design

Sexual offences are a violation of human rights. They are condemnable, reprehensive and repugnant to what we stand for-human dignity and rights of individuals. These are acts of perversion, perpetuated with feelings of hatred, intended to hurt, brutal and unwilling and unsolicited gratification of personal needs. Child sexual abuse can result in both short term and long term harm, including psychopathology in later life. Physical and social effects, including depression, post traumatic stress disorder, poor self esteem, anxiety disorders, general psychological distress and disorder are instilled in them.

The children are a national asset, proactive planning and provision of services to children is an investment for the future of the country. Children have rights, and we, as adults, have duties and responsibilities towards them. Of late, child care and protection has emerged as a priority area for the Government. Recognition by the Government of this priority area is evident from the enactment of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000 and its Amendment Act, 2006 which focused specifically on child rights and rights-based approach.

However, offences of such serious nature against children were neither adequately addressed by the existing laws nor were they adequately penalized. Therefore, to deal with such sexual offences against children, the Government has brought in a special law "The Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012". The Act has come into force with effect from 14th November, 2012 along with the Rules framed there under. The Act departed from the judicial processes in place for adults and prescribed specialized procedures in order to address the 'best interest' of children in a consultative regime, with participation from a multitude of stakeholders, including children, to arrive at practical and meaningful solutions to vulnerability of children.

An Overview of the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO) Act, 2012:

The Act is a comprehensive law to provide for the protection of children from the offences of sexual assault, sexual harassment and pornography, while safeguarding the interests of the child at every stage of the judicial process by incorporating child-friendly mechanisms for reporting, recording of evidence, investigation and speedy trial of offences through designated Special Courts. The Act which is gender neutral in nature defines a child as any person below eighteen year of age and is gender-neutral. The Act identifies six types of sexual offences namely:

Penetrative Sexual Assault (Sec. 3); Aggravated Penetrative Sexual Assault (Sec. 5); Sexual Assault (Sec. 7); Aggravated Sexual Assault (Sec. 9); Sexual Harassment (Sec. 11); Using child for Pornographic Purposes (Sec. 13). The Act deems a sexual assault to be "aggravated" under certain circumstances, such as when the abused child is mentally ill or when the abuse is committed by a person in a position of trust or authority vis-à-vis the child, a family member,

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police officer, teacher or doctor. People who traffic children for sexual purposes are also to punished under the provisions relating to abetment in the Act. The Act prescribes stringent punishment, graded as per the gravity of the offence, with a maximum term of rigorous imprisonment for life, and fine. The Act calls for a role of child protectors among others, for the police as well, during the investigative process, makes provision for the medical examination of the child in a manner designed to cause as little distress as possible and provides for special Court that conduct the "in-camera" trial and without revealing the indemnity of the child, in a child-friendly manner. In order to ensure effective implementation of POCSO Act, 2012 it is essential to orient one of the key players, i.e. the Police/Special Juvenile Police Unit (SJPU) as to ensure that all case are duly registered and properly prosecuted under POCSO Act, 2012. Keeping the above in view, the Institute proposes to organize Workshop for Police Officers on Critical Issues in Dealing with Victims of Child Sexual Abuse from 3 - 4 December, 2015 at New Delhi.

Objectives

The objectives of the Workshop would be to: (i) review the handling of cases registered under POCSO Act, 2012; (ii) discuss field problems in cases under POCSO Act and evolving solutions thereafter; and (iii) strategies for effective coordination between police and other agencies implementing POCSO Act, 2012.

Content

The contents of the Workshop would broadly include: review cases under POCSO Act: investigation and trial related issues; handling victims of child sexual abuse and their families and other stakeholders; strategies for effective coordination between police and other agencies implementing POCSO Act, 2012.

Outcome

The participants will be able to handle cases under POCSO Act, 2012 in a better manner.

Training Methodology

The participants will be provided conducive learning environment and participatory approach will be adopted during the training. Various training techniques like lecture-cum-discussion, group discussion, group exercise, would be used.



Participants

About 40 officials representing SJPU/Police in various states would participate in the Workshop from Northern States.

Resource person

Resource persons would be invited from reputed organizations, subject matter experts, experienced persons associated with academic and technical institutions, voluntary sector and NIPCCD faculty.

Resource Material

Resource material comprising of compendium on reading material, publications, handouts and other informative material to supplement classroom instructions would be made available progressively to the participants during the workshop.

Duration and Venue

The duration of the workshop will be two days from December 3 - 4, 2015, It will be conducted at the premises of NIPCCD located at 5, Siri Institutional Area, Hauz Khas, opp. Hauz khas Police Station New Delhi -110016.

Travel, Board and Lodging

All participants will draw their T.A. /D.A. from their respective Departments. However the Institute would arrange free board for all participants and free lodging & board for all outstation participants at its hostel located in the campus of National Institute of Public Cooperation and Child Development (NIPCCD), Hauz Khas, (opp. Hauz Khas Police Station), New Delhi-110016.

General

The following general information may please be noted:

i. The nominations should be sent by post or faxed /emailed to reach the Institute latest by 15 November, 2015 at the following address.

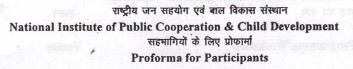
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ii. Due to limited hostel accommodation, the Institute will not be in a position to extend the facility of board and lodging to the participants' relatives and family members.

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- iii. The accommodation will be available only for the duration of the workshop and a day before and after the workshop from 2-5 December, 2015.
- iv. Merely sending the nomination form does not entitle a nominee to participate in the workshop. Participants are, therefore, requested to confirm acceptance of their nomination over telephone/email before proceeding for the training in case of delay/non-receipt of confirmation letter.
- v. Participants reporting for the workshop late or leaving before its conclusion or in case they do not attend for entire duration of the workshop, will not be entitled to travel allowance and certificate.
- vi. The photographs should be sent along with the nomination form duly attested by the sponsoring organization.
- vii. The nomination will not be accepted in case the details of participation in the earlier workshop organized at NIPCCD has not been mentioned in the nomination form.
- viii. Any information which is relevant and that has not been disclosed in the nomination form deems to be inviting action and blacklisting of organization.

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Name of the Programme Incharge: Sh.Rajvir Singh. कार्यक्रम प्रमारी का नाम: श्री राजवीर सिंह

Dated: 3-4 December, 2015

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