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Dated the 30th March 2017

To,

The Principal Secretary (Education) of all States/UTs (in Name Covers)

Subject : INSPIRE Award Scheme – Opening of online system for nominations under the INSPIRE Awards – MANAK Scheme

Sir / Madam,

As you are aware, the INSPIRE Award Scheme has been revamped and renamed as INSPIRE Award – MANAK (Million Minds Augmenting National Aspiration and Knowledge) to align it with the action plan for "Startup India" initiative launched by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India. Regional workshops were organised by Department of Science & Technology to sensitise all stakeholders regarding its implementation.

2. Online nominations for the year 2017-18 are now being made open to all schools w.e.f. 01st April 2017. The nominations will remain open till 30th June 2017.

It may kindly be noted that project synopsis (in word or pdf format) are also now mandatorily required to be submitted with the online nominations. Concerned State Nodal Officers may, therefore, kindly be instructed to suitably apprise the District and School Authorities so that they can send the nominations in time. They may also be advised to expedite registration of all **unregistered** schools, at E-MIAS website (www.inspireawards-dst.gov.in), so that they too can avail benefit of this unique scheme.

Yours faithfully,


(Anita Chauhan)

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Copy to:-

All the Principals /Headmasters of GSSS / GHS /Private Schools are directed to compliance the orders and the Heads of GSSS/GHS will ensure that **the Middle Schools** falling under their complex have also submitted the nominations within the stipulated period and the concerned Heads will also produce the certificate that no nominations have been lying pending with the institution. It is submitted for information & necessary action.


Dy. Director of Higher Education,
Una Distt. Una (HP).