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Dated: Shimla-171001 the November, 2019

To

All the Deputy Directors of Higher Education
Himachal Pradesh.

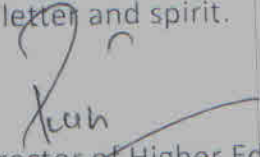
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Subject: -

Regarding No discrimination with School Children on the basis of religion, caste, creed and gender in the schools under Mid Day Meal Programme.


Please find enclosed herewith a copy of letter no. EDN-H(EE) (4)4-19/2016-17 Caste Discrimination dated: 26/10/2019 on the subject cited above.

In this connection, you are hereby directed to issue necessary instructions to all Principals GSSS and Headmaster GHS under your control to implement the orders mentioned in the aforesaid letter in letter and spirit.


Joint Director of Higher Education
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1

Endst. No. Even dated Shimla-171001 the November, 2019
Copy for information and necessary action to:-

1. The Director, Directorate of Elementary Education Shimla-1 w.r.t. letter under reference for information please.
2. Guard file.


Joint Director of Higher Education
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1

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**PERSONAL ATTENTION
IMPORTANT**

No.EDN-H(EE)(4)4-19/2016-17. Caste Discrimination
Directorate of Elementary Education,
Himachal- Pradesh
Dated: Shimla - 171001, the 4 October, 2019

प्रारम्भिक शिक्षा निदेशालय (हि.प्र.)
26 OCT 2019
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To
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26/10/19

1. All the Deputy Directors (Elementary Education) Himachal Pradesh.
2. All the Deputy Directors (Higher Education) Himachal Pradesh.
3. All the Block Elementary Education Officers Himachal Pradesh

Subject: - No discrimination with school children on the basis of religion, caste, creed and gender in the schools under Mid day Meal Programme.

Sir/Madam,

In continuation of this Directorate letter of even No. dated 07-01-2013 and subsequent reminders dated 16-11-2015 , 16-12-2015, 26-2-2016 , 18-06-2016 and 13-10-2016,16-12-2016, 16-08-2017,15-09-2017,25-11-2017,19-03-2018,11-09-2018,17-01-2019,03-08-2019 vide which detailed instructions have been issued to you for discouraging any discrimination with the school children on the basis of religion, caste, creed and gender while serving MDM to the school students in the schools under Mid day meal programme as well as during sports tournaments of the students at Cluster, Block , District and State level in the State.. In this context, it is once again reiterated that you may be aware that some incidents of discrimination with the school children on the basis of above said factors are reported from schools from time to time while serving mid day meal to the school students in the schools in the State . In this regard, it is, therefore, once again emphasized upon that Mid day meal programme must be used as a vehicle for inculcation for good habits , discipline and spirit of social equality among school children and there should not be any discrimination and segregation amongst school children while serving MDM to them in the schools on the basis of caste, creed, gender and religion, since the MDMS guidelines also stipulate that the community members, teachers and authorities of the Department must ensure that children must eat MDM together in an orderly manner i.e strictly on Roll No basis in a spirit of camaraderie in the schools. However, if any Government official/ general public person & SMC officials /members is indulged & found in such kind of act, the matter will be viewed

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seriously and stern disciplinary action will be initiated against the erring Government officials/ persons as warranted under the law. These instructions may be issued to all schools for necessary compliance and send monthly report to this Directorate accordingly in time. It is also directed that Toll free number 1800-180-8007 installed in the Directorate may be publicized by displaying it in the school premises at a visible place so that anyone can register complaint/ suggestions in r/o MDMS. You are also directed to make ensure that give wide publicity among School Mangement Committees and general public as well , so that the people an stakeholders are aware in this regard and any aggrieved person can intimate his grievances on **Toll-free number 1800-180-8007** in the Directorate of Elementary Education from **10:00 AM to 5:00 PM** on any working day . However, this-Toll free number can also be displayed & printed in all school premises.

This may be treated as most urgent and personal attention be given in the matter please.


Hitesh Azad (HPAS)
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Himachal Pradesh Shimla-171001
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Endst No. EDN-U (G-1) MDM Instructions /- 14866 Dated 20/11/2019

Office of the Deputy Director of Higher Education Una District Una (HP)

Copy to:-

1. The Director of Higher Edu. Shimla for information please.
2. All the Principal/Headmasters GSSS/HS in Una District for information and strict compliance.


Deputy Director of Higher Education
Una District Una (HP)