

F. No. 18015/1/2017-Grants  
Government of India  
Ministry of Tribal Affairs  
(EMRS Division)

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
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To

The Principal Secretary,  
Tribal Welfare/Development Department,  
Govt of (as per list attached)

**Sub: Setting up of State EMRS Societies – reg**

Dear Sir / Madam,

I am directed to refer to the letter of even number dated 14.03.19 vide which minutes of the consultation held with the States on 07.03.19 in New Delhi was circulated. It was decided in the consultation that States not having an EMRS Society should start the process immediately and should have a State EMRS Society by 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2019. You may recall that as per Section 4 (f) of the existing Guidelines of EMRS (June 2010), States are Governments/UT Administration are encouraged to set up a society/use an existing registered education society for the management of the EMRSs. Such a society will be eligible for accepting donations, of augmenting the infrastructure/ facilities/ educational resources of the schools in the interest of quality education.

2. It has been observed that there are some States which are yet to set up a Society for the purpose. As the proposed revamping of EMRSs, State Societies need to participate extensively, it is requested and reiterated that States without an EMRS Society may set up an EMRS Society and ensure that EMRS Societies are in operation as early as possible and in any case by 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2019 positively.

Yours faithfully,



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