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SARDAR PATEL BHAVAN, SANSAD MARG
NEW DELHI-110001

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Dated : 6th November, 2018

Dear District Collector/Deputy Commissioner,

Government of India has instituted 'Prime Minister's Awards for Excellence in Public Administration' to acknowledge, recognize and reward extraordinary and innovative work done by officers of the Central and State Governments. The Awards are presented by the Hon'ble Prime Minister on the occasion of the Civil Services Day. **A copy of the scheme is available at this Department's website www.darpg.gov.in.**

- The PM's Awards for 2019 shall be given for excellence in work in three distinct categories -Priority Programmes, Innovations and Officers of Government of India.
- The following Priority Programmes have been identified this year for the awards to be presented on Civil Services Day, 2019:-

- E-National Agricultural Market (E-NAM)
- National Rural Livelihood Mission (NRLM)
- SAUBHAGYA (Pradhan Mantri Sahaj Bijli Har GharYojana), and
- Mission Indradhanush

For awards under this category, each district is expected to choose at least one priority programme for competing under this Scheme. However, districts are encouraged to choose maximum number of priority programmes to ensure wider participation.

4. In addition, there is a category for 'Innovations.' It would have two awards, one in environmental conservation, disaster management, water conservation, energy, education, health, women and child-centric initiatives, etc. and the other for Aspirational districts for innovations falling under the Aspirational Districts Program (ADP). For these awards, in the first sub category Central/State Government organizations including districts are eligible to apply. For the Aspirational districts category, only Aspirational districts should apply. The period for consideration of the award is April, 2017 to December, 2018.

5. A portal viz. pmawards.gov.in has been developed by this Department on which the applicants are required to register first. The registration process has been opened. The applications for the awards shall be received on this portal from 1st January, 2019. Applicants may submit their application forms detailing their achievement, specifically highlighting path-breaking innovations done by any functionary/organizations. The awards would be presented on the next Civil Services Day i.e. 21st April, 2019.

6. We expect that the scheme would generate greater enthusiasm and wider participation. I request you to register on the portal and compete in maximum number of categories.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

(Vasudha Mishra)

All District Collectors/Deputy Commissioners



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