Government of West Bengal Department of Panchayats & Rural Development Jessop Building; 63, N.S Road Kolkata-700001.

No. 3229/PN/O/I/4P-3/2011

Date: 03. 08. 2011

From: Shri D. K. Pal, Joint Sectary to the Government of West Bengal

To: The District Magistrate, District -----

Sub: - Bringing Strong Nutrition Focus in Sectoral Programmes-action to be taken as per discussions held in the meetings convened by Planning Commission.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of the letter no. N-11019/5/2010-WCD/PMEYSA dated 29. 06. 2011 along with its enclosure on the above noted subject and to state that Ministry of Panchayati Raj, Government of India desires every Gram Panchayat to hold a special Gram Sabha meeting dedicated to Nutrition and related issues on any day between 15. 08. 2011 and 31. 08. 2011 to be attended by the block/field level functionaries in charge of AWC, Health, Sanitation, PDS etc.

I am, therefore, further directed to request you to take necessary action for compliance of the request received from the Ministry of Panchayati Raj, Government of India by the Gram Panchayats. Enclo. As stated.

Yours faithfully,

Joint Secretary to the Government of West Bengal

No. 3229(18)/PN/O/I/4P-3/2011

Copy forwarded for information and taking necessary action to The District Panchayats and Rural Development Officer

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Joint Secretary to the Government of West Bengal

Date: 03. 08. 2011

IMMEDIATE SPECIAL GRAM SABHA MEETING

No. N-11019/5/2010-WCD/PMEYSA Government of India Ministry of Panchayati Raj

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Sardar Patel Bhawan, New Delhi – 110001 Dated: 29th June, 2011

To

Principal Secretaries / Secretaries

Panchayati Raj Department/Hill Councils Department in Schedule Six Areas of all the States / UTs

Subject: Bringing Strong Nutrition Focus in Sectoral Programmes – action to be taken as per discussions / decisions held in the meetings convened by Planning Commission.

Sir / Madam,

In continuation of this Ministry's letter of even number dated 31.01.2011 (copy enclosed) conveying the decisions of the Planning Commission on the above mentioned subject, I am directed to say that on further consideration of the matter, the States / UTs may hold the special Gram Sabha meeting dedicated to Nutrition and related issues on any day between 15.08.2011 to 31.08.2011 in every Gram Panchayat. The block / field level functionaries in charge of AWC, health, sanitation, drinking water, PDS, MDM, Agriculture, horticulture, dairy and fisheries should attend the GS meeting. In case of longer GPs, this may be discussed in Ward Sabha meetings.

2. Action taken in this regard may be intimated to this Ministry.

Yours faithfully

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(Maha Bir Pershad) Deputy Secretary 🛞 011-23746567

Copy to OSD, Planning Commission with reference to above mentioned communication and also their O. M. no. PC/SW/1-7(4) 2010-WCD dated 31.12.2010

Copy also to Ministry of Women & Child Development with reference to above mentioned communication and also their communication no. 5(3)/2011-ND/Tech. dated 14.01.2011



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Sardar Patel Bhawan, New Delhi Dated: 31st January, 2011

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Bringing Strong Nutrition Focus in Sectoral Programmes - action to be taken as per discussions / decisions held in the meetings convened by Planning Commission

Sir / Madam,

I am directed to say that as a follow up of the first meeting of the Prime Minister's National Council on India's Nutrition Challenges, a meeting to discuss Bringing Strong Nutrition Focus in Sectoral Programmes was held by the Planning Commission on 05.01.2011. As per the decision, we are required to :-

- Mainstream Nutrition in the training of PRIs especially Women Panchayat i. members for malnutrition free Panchayats and earmarking certain wards to them.
- ii. Support the development of innovative district models run by PRIs within the 200 high burden districts initiative.
- iii. Share best practices to support the devolution of powers related to nutrition programmes - to PRIs in all States.

We may also have a special Gram Sabha meeting dedicated to nutrition and related 2. issues in every Gram Panchayat.

Action taken in this regard may be intimated to this Ministry 3

Yours faithfully

(Maha Bir Pershad) **Deputy Secretary** 2 011-23746567

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