EDN-HE(6)F(3)-1/2015-16 NITI Directorate of Higher Education Himachal Pradesh.

Dated Shimla-171001 the

All the Deputy Directors of Higher education, Himachal Pradesh.

Subject:

Setting up of tinkering laboratories under ATAL Innovation Scheme and last date there of i.e.15.07.2017.

Sir,

To

Your kind attention is invited to this Directorate letter of even number, dated 26.06.2017, vide which you are directed to spread the awareness among the schools of your District to ensure that the schools are provided with the requisite support to make them competent to apply and compete for ATL at national level as per guidelines for setting up of ATAL TINKERING LABORATORIES (ATL). Any school intending to Establish ATLs may visit <u>http://www.niti.gov.in</u> and submit their application online to the Atal innovation Mission, NITI Aayog. The some schools have informed to this Directorate that they are not in a position to do this work/ filling up online application of Atal innovation Mission properly and further requested to provide help for the said purpose.

Now the Govt. has informed the last date for applying for setting up of Tinkerin Laboratories under Atal Innovation Mission (AIM) is 15.07.2017 on NITI Aayog website i.e.http://niti.gov.in/content/atal- tinkering- laboratories(Copy enclosed).

In view of the last date declared by the Govt. i.e. 15.07.5017 to apply for the scheme, you are directed to take personal interest in the matter and assist all the schools concerned to do the needful to avail benefit of the scheme and make it sure that the schools concerned shall fill up the on line form on NITI Aayog website i.e.http://niti.gov.in/content/atal-tinkering laboratories to enroll themselves with the scheme before the last date.

It is further requested to identify the eligible schools to establish ATL as per eligibility criteria for schools and providing necessary assistance through I.P/ IT Teachers /Science PGT/ lecturers to the eligible schools at their schools level / Deputy Director level for filling up online application of Atal innovation Mission and further submit online application on or before 15.07.2017 positively. It is also requested to supply the list of schools of your District who have submit the online application for ATL immediately to this Directorate. You are further informed that if any assistance/clarifications is required regarding the on line process to fill up the form, the concerned schools may be directed to report in the concerned Deputy Director Offices/RMSA Shimla or IT Cell of this Directorate on or before 15.07.2017 alongwith complete records/ documents as required in the eligible criteria to establish ATL .If any negligency found in the said matter the defaulter officers/officials will be held responsible and action be taken against him under rules.

Please treat it Most Urgent.

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Director of Higher Education Cum- Mission Director , RMSA Himachal Pradesh the

Endst. No of Even dated Shimla-171001 Copy to :-

- 1. Additional Chief Secretary (Edu) to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh w.r.t. to his letter No.EDN-B-Chha(10)-9/2012-II. Dated 04.07.2017 for information please.
- 2. The SPD,SSA/RMSA for information please.
- 3. The Branch officer, Supdt. General / Building/ IT/Budget / Statistical Branch, DHE,HP with the remarks that after selection of the schools by AIM under NITI Aayog, GOI, it will be monitored by the concerned branches as subject matter like infrastructure, performance of the students, results of the students, Board affiliation, computer labs, internet connections (see A-I to IV) as it is being dealt in the various branches of DHE,HP and in future all the correspondence in this regard may be consolidated and prepared by the branches.

The Superintendent, IT Cell, DHE, HP with the direction to upload the same along with its enclosures on official website of the department accordingly.

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## No. EDN-B-Chha(10)-9/2012-II Government of Himachal Pradesh Department of Higher Education

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The Addl. Chief Secretary (Edu) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh

The Director, Higher Education, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171001

Dated: Shimla-171002

-7-2017

Subject:-

Regarding setting up of Tinkering Laboratories under Atal Innovation Mission.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of letter No. Per (AR)F(2)1/2017 (alongwith enclosure) dated  $30^{th}$  June, 2017 received from Addl. Secy (AR) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, on the subject cited above and to request you to kindly take further necessary action in the matter under intimation to this department.

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Yours faithfully,

Joint Secretary (Edu) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh

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Additional Chief Secretary (Education) to the Govt of Himachal Pradesh

Dated:-

Shimla-2, the 30 H June, 2017

Setting up of Tinkering Laboratories Under Atal Innovation Mission.

Sir,

Subject-

I am directed to enclose herewith a Guidelines for setting up of Tinkering Laboratories under Atal Innovation Mission a scheme of Government of India, NITI Aayog. The objective of this scheme is to foster curiosity, creativity and imagination in young minds and inculcate skills such as design mind-set, computational thinking, adaptive learning, physical computing etc. Young children will get a chance to work with tools and equipment to understand what, how and why aspects of STEM (Science Technology, Engineering and Math). Education department could use this fund to foster innovation among students specially in govt schools/labs. In this regard it is to inform you that last date for applying for the scheme is 15th July, 2017 on NITI Aayog website i.e. http://niti.gov.in/content/atal-tinkering-laboratories.

Timely intimation to schools could help avail funds from NITI Aayog to foster creativity among school children.

Yours faithfully,

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(Urmil Krar) Addl Secy(AR) to the Govt of HP Ph No. 0177-2622187

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