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Directorate of Higher Education
Himachal Pradesh

To Dated : Shimla-171001, the 17th February, 2014

All the Principals,
Govt. Sr. Sec. Schools
Himachal Pradesh.

Subject:- Guidelines for implementation of IT-Education and smooth functioning of ICT Lab in Government schools H.P.

Memo,

In continuation to this office letter of even number dated 30th May 2013 and subsequent reminder on the subject cited above.

In this context it is informed that the department has initiated the process to establishing IT/ICT-Labs in all the Government schools under ICT@ Schools scheme. In this regard it had been decided that all the expenditure on Maintenance of Hardware installed in ICT/IT-Labs/Internet/Electricity/Stationery will be borne by concerned school out of the RMSA funds. You are also directed to retain only one telephone/Broadband connection in the schools for internet facility for all the computer labs. This connection should be retained for computer labs especially. If required the possibilities may also be explored to bear the same out of unutilized/surplus funds available in the school/interest earned on any account. The payment against broadband charges of ICT project phase-I up to 31.03.2013 has been paid by the Directorate of Higher Education H.P.

You are further directed to download the revised Financial Norms under RMSA, under which a provision of Rs.50,000/- per school per year has been made. The grant of Rs.50,000/- is being regularly released by RMSA for all the Govt. schools on yearly basis.

Therefore all the Principals/Head of the schools are directed to ensure smooth functioning of IT/ICT-Labs along with internet facility in all these labs for the use of students.

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(Shashi Bhushan Sekhri)
Director of Higher Education
Himachal Pradesh

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Copy to:-

1. Principal Secretary (Education) to the Govt. of H.P. for information please.
2. State Project Director, RMSA, with the request to direct the School Principals, of H.P. at the time of release of funds for the same.
3. All the Deputy Director of Higher Education H.P. for information and necessary action please.


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