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To

All the Deputy Directors of Higher Edication

Subject: -

Regarding observance of vigilance Awareness week-2016(w.e.f. 31st

October to 5th November).

Himachal Pradesh.

Memo:

Endst. No.

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of letter no. Home (Vig.)F(5)-1/2005 dated: 18/10/2016 on the subject cited above.

In this connection, you are hereby directed to circulate the same amongst all the institutes under your control and issue necessary instructions in this regard.

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Joint Director of Higher Education(C)

Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1 October, 2016

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Copy for information and necessary action to:-

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The Principal Secretary (Home/Vigillance) to the Government of H.P. w.r.t. letter under reference for information please.

The Technical Officer, Directorate of Higher Education, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla w.r.t. upload the same on departmental website.

3. Guard file.

> Joint Director of Higher Education(C) Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1

No. Home (Vig) F (5)-1/2005, Government of Himachal Pradesh, Department of Home (Vigilance).

From

The Principal Secy. (Home/Vigilance) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.

To

All the Administrative Secretaries to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.

2 All the Heads of Department in H.P.

The Managing Directors of Corporations in H.P. 3

The Vice-Chancellors of Universities in H.P. 4

The Divisional/Deputy Commissioners in HP.

Subject: -

Dated: Shimla-2 18 - 10 - 2016

Observance of Vigilance Awareness week-2016 ( w.e.f 31st October to 5th November).

Sir.

I am directed to say that it has been decided by the Government to observe Vigilance Awareness week during the year 2016 from 31st October (Monday), 2016 to 5th November (Saturday), 2016. The week should commence with the reading of the enclosed pledge which will be administered by the highest functionary in the office on 31st October (Monday), 2016 at 11:00 A.M. Debates, Essay Writing Competitions, Seminars, Workshops as well as Cultural Activities to highlight the harmful effects of corruption should also be organized. This year the theme of Vigilance Awareness Week is "Public participation in promoting Integrity and eradicating Corruption". Besides, efforts should also be made to hold the customer awareness programmes through which the complaint handling Policy of the Department, avenues for redressal of complaint/grievances and initiatives taken for improvement in system/procedure through adoption of technology may be explained.

In addition to above activities, the Govt. has also envisaged a concept of "Integrity Pledge". As such two Integrity Pledges have been envisaged (copy enclosed).

You, are therefore, requested kindly to take further action in the matter accordingly.

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Yours faithfully.

Special Secy. (Home/Vigilance) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.

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## प्रतिज्ञा

हम, भारत के लोक सेवक, सत्यनिष्ठा से प्रतिज्ञा करते हैं कि हम अपने कार्यकलापों के प्रत्येक क्षेत्र में ईमानदारी और पारदर्शिता बनाए रखने के लिए निरंतर प्रयत्नशील रहेंगे । हम यह प्रतिज्ञा भी करते हैं कि हम जीवन के प्रत्येक क्षेत्र से भ्रष्टाचार उन्मूलन करने के लिए निर्वाध रूप से कार्य करेंगे । हम अपने संगठन के विकास और प्रतिष्ठा के प्रति सचेत रहते हुए कार्य करेंगे । हम अपने सामूहिक प्रयासों द्वारा अपने संगठनों को गौरवशाली बनाएंगे तथा अपने देशवासियों को सिद्धांतों पर आधारित सेवा प्रदान करेंगे । हम अपने कर्तव्य का पालन पूर्ण ईमानदारी से करेंगे और भय अथवा पक्षपात के बिना कार्य करेंगे ।

## PLEDGE

WE, THE PUBLIC SERVANTS OF INDIA, DO HEREBY SOLEMNLY PLEDGE THAT WE SHALL CONTINUOUSLY STRIVE TO BRING ABOUT INTEGRITY AND TRANSPARENCY IN ALL SPHERES OF OUR ACTIVITIES. WE ALSO PLEDGE THAT WE SHALL WORK UNSTINTINGLY FOR ERADICATION OF CORRUPTION IN ALL SPHERES OF LIFE. WE SHALL REMAIN VIGILANT AND WORK TOWARDS THE GROWTH AND REPUTATION OF OUR ORGANISATION. THROUGH OUR COLLECTIVE EFFORTS, WE SHALL BRING PRIDE TO OUR ORGANISATIONS AND PROVIDE VALUE BASED SERVICE TO OUR COUNTRYMEN. WE SHALL DO OUR DUTY CONSCIENTIOUSLY AND ACT WITHOUT FEAR OR FAVOUR.



## Citizens Integrity Pledge

I believe that corruption has been one of the major obstacles to economic, political and social progress of our country. I believe that all stakeholders such as government, citizens and the private sector need to work together to eradicate corruption.

I realise that every citizen should be vigilant and commit to uphold high standards of honesty and integrity at all times and support the fight against corruption.

As a citizen of the country, I, therefore, pledge:

- To follow probity and rule of law in all walks of life;
- To neither take nor offer bribe;
- To perform all tasks in an honest and transparent manner and be accountable to all my actions;
- To take decisions objectively and impartially;
- To act in public interest;
- To lead by example exhibiting integrity in personal behaviour;
- \* To report any incident of corruption to the appropriate agency.



## Integrity Pledge

We believe that corruption has been one of the major obstacles to economic, political and social progress of our country. We believe that all stakeholders such as government, citizens and the private sector, need to work together to eradicate corruption.

We acknowledge our responsibility to lead by example and the need to put in place safeguards, integrity frameworks and code of ethics to ensure that we are not part of any corrupt practice and we tackle instances of corruption with utmost strictness.

We realize that as an Organisation, we need to lead from the front in eradicating corruption and in maintaining highest standards of integrity, transparency and good governance in all aspects of our operations.

We, therefore, pledge that :-

- We shall promote ethical business practices and foster a culture of honesty and integrity;
- We commit to good corporate governance based on transparency, accountability and fairness;
- We shall adhere to all relevant laws, rules and compliance mechanisms in the conduct of business;
- We shall not tolerate bribery in any form or engage in any unethical business practices;
- We shall adopt a code of ethics to ensure ethical behaviour of all our employees and take appropriate action for any transgressions of the code;
- We shall sensitise all employees of laws, regulations etc. relevant to their work for effective discharge of their duties;
- We shall provide a proper grievance redressal mechanism to raise their grievances and report suspicious activities;
- We shall aspire for excellence and protecting the rights and interests of all stakeholders and the society at large.