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Dated: Shimla -171001

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All the Principals of Govt. Colleges, Himachal Pradesh

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Regarding starting NCC/NSS/Bharat Scouts & Guides activities in the colleges.

It is intimated that Co-curricular activities are an integral part of curriculum which provide professional and other opportunities to the students and thereby help in broadening their experiences. The Co-curricular activities enhance and enrich the regular curriculum during the normal school hours. Therefore, NCC/NSS/Bharat Scouts & Guides activities have been introduced in the schools/colleges to cultivate sense of discipline, punctuality, co-operation and spirit of competition amongst the students.

In this regard, it has come to the notice of the undersigned that some of the institutions have not adopted/started any of these activities in the colleges. Therefore, it is directed that it is mandatory to start at least one of the activities i.e. NCC/NSS/Bharat Scouts & Guides in the college.

> (Dr. Amarjeet K. Sharma) Director Higher Education, Himachal Pradesh March, 2025

Endst. Even Dated: Shimla-171001 the Copy for information and further necessary action to:-

1. The State Secretary, Bharat Scouts and Guides, Guide Hut, Rani Jhansi Park, Shimla-171001.

2. The Programme coordinator NSS Cell, Directorate of Higher Education HP.

3. The Superintendent IT Cell, Directorate of Higher Education with the direction to upload the same on the departmental website.

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Director Higher Education, Himachal Pradesh