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Dated: Shimla-171001 the November, 2020

To

1. All the Principals Govt./Pvt. Degree/Skt. Colleges in Himachal Pradesh
2. All the Deputy Directors of Higher Education in Himachal Pradesh.

Subject: - Regarding report on webinar on sensitization of ToFEI (Tobacco Free Educational Institutions) Guidelines” held on 22nd September, 2020.

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of letter no. Z.2102053 2020-1 dated: 19/10/2020 received from Sh. Pradip Kumar Pal, Under Secretary to the Government of India Ministry of Health & Family Welfare (Tobacco Control Division) Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi on the subject cited above.

In this connection, you are hereby directed to issue necessary instructions to all the Educational Institutions under your control to implement the revised guidelines of ToFEI in their respective institution. The ToFEI Guideline is available on <http://http.nho.gov.in/assests/document/TEFI-Guidelines.pdf>.

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Addl. Director of Higher Education (C)
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1

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Copy for information and further necessary action to:

1. The Secretary (Education) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh w.r.t. letter no. EDN-A-Gha(7)-1/2015 dated: 23/10/2020.
2. The Superintendent, IT Cell with request to upload the same in the Departmental website.
3. Guard file.

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Addl. Director of Higher Education (C)
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1.

File No. Z.21020/53/2020-TC

Government of India
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
(Tobacco Control Division)

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated the 19th October, 2020

Principal Secretary (Health)/ Secretary (Health) of all States/UTs

Subject: Report of Webinar on "Sensitization of ToFEI (Tobacco Free Educational Institutions) Guidelines" held on 22nd September, 2020. - regarding

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the above captioned subject and to say that a Webinar was held on "Sensitization of ToFEI (Tobacco Free Educational Institutions) Guidelines" on 22nd September, 2020. The Webinar was attended by the State Nodal Officers and District Nodal Officers, NTCP, identified Education Department officials of the States/UTs, Civil Society. The report of the said webinar is enclosed herewith for the necessary action in accordance with the recommendations of the webinar please.

About ToFEI: In 2019, MoHFW issued 'the Guidelines for Tobacco Free Educational Institutions' [ToFEI] (Revised). The key objective of these Guidelines is to provide a fresh momentum to implementation of tobacco control initiatives among adolescents and young adults. These guidelines are to be implemented by any educational institution, including schools at all levels, colleges for higher or professional education and universities, both in public and private sector. The Institution may use the Self-Evaluation Scorecard for Tobacco Free Educational Institution to assess the status of implementation of the ToFEI Guidelines in their institution on half-yearly basis and to get a certificate to this effect to those EIs who score 90% and above marks. The ToFEI Guideline is available on <http://ntcp.nhp.gov.in/assets/document/TEFI-Guidelines.pdf>.

This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully,

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Digitally signed by PRADIP KUMAR PAL
Date: 2020.10.19 15:14:45 IST

(Pradip Kumar Pal)
Under Secretary to Govt. of India
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