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Government of India
Ministry of rural Development
Department of Rural Development
(MGNREGA Division)

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi
Date: 31st August, 2018

To
The Pr. Secretary/Secretary
Rural Development & PR Department (In Charge MGNREGA)
States/UTs (List enclosed).

Sub: Participation in the Annual Award distribution event on 11th September, 2018 – Reg.

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am glad to inform you that the “Award Distribution function of the Ministry of Rural Development” is scheduled on **11th September 2018 in the Plenary Hall, Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi** (Copy of programme schedule is enclosed). During the event, Awards will be given to the MGNREGA functionary of the State, District, Block and Panchayat level and best performing Gram Panchayats recommended by Ministry of Panchayati Raj and officials of Department of Post for their outstanding performance in implementation of MGNREGA.

2. Each State is expected to participate in the Award Distribution event through following categories of officials/persons:

- Secretary, Department of Rural Development/Panchayati Raj (in charge of MGNREGA)
- Commissioner/Director (MGNREGA)
- Awardees from the District/Block/GP/DoP
- State Nodal Officers
- Any other officer nominated by the State Government

3. In view of the importance of the event, we request you to send the participant list to Shri Dharamvir Jha, Director (MGNREGA) at dharmvir.jha@gov.in and Ms. Sneh Lata, Under Secretary, MGNREGA at sneh.lata71@nic.in latest by **5th September 2018**. However, the list of State Nodal Officers may be communicated by **1st September 2018**. The meeting of the State Nodal persons for the event will be held on **10th September 2018** at Unnati Hall, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi at 10:30 AM for briefing.

Encl: As above

Yours faithfully,



(Kamran Rizvi)

Joint Secretary (MGNREGA)

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**Award Distribution Function of Ministry of Rural Development
On September 11, 2018**

Minute to Minute Programme

Venue: Plenary Hall, Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi

Sl. No.	Particulars	Time
1	Registration/Tea	09.30 am - 10.45 am
2	Welcome address by Additional Secretary, Rural Development	11.00 am - 11.03 am
3	Introductory address by Secretary, Rural Development & Panchayat Raj	11.03 am - 11.06 am
4	Presentation of Awards by Hon'ble Minister (RD, PR & Mines)	11.06 am - 12.00 am
5	Speech by Hon'ble Minister of State for Rural Development	12.00 pm - 12.10 pm
6	Speech by Hon'ble Minister (RD, PR & Mines)	12.10 pm - 12.25 pm
7	Vote of Thanks by Joint Secretary (RH/Admin & Coordination)	12.25 pm - 12.28 pm
Technical Session		
8	Presentation on Gram Panchayat Development Plan	12.28 pm - 12.45 pm
9	Presentation by 4-5 States on preparedness on GPDP	12.45 pm - 1.30 pm
10	Lunch Break	01.30 pm - 02.30 pm
11	Mid Year Review- Presentation by Head of the Programme Divisions (PMAY-G, PMGSY, MGNREGA, NSAP, RURBAN/SAGY) on Key Challenges, Issues & Expectations from the States/UTs	2.30 pm - 3.45 pm
12	Tea Break	03.45pm - 04.00 pm
13	(Continued)	04.00 pm - 05.30 pm
14	Concluding Remarks by Secretary, Rural Development	05.30 pm - 05.45 pm