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To
The Head Master/ Headmistress,
All Govt./Aided /Unaided Middle and Secondary Schools in Goa.

Sub:- Registration of school for "INSPIRE AWARDS MANAK"

Sir / Madam

As you are aware that INSPIRE Award Scheme implemented by MINISTRY OF Science and Technology has been revamped under the name "INSPIRE AWARDS MANAK"(Million Minds Augmenting National Aspiration and Knowledge) with a basic objective to instil Creative/Innovative thinking among school students in the age group of 10 - 15 years studying in class 6 - 10 .This was done to align this scheme with the objective of "Start - Up India" initially launched by Hon'ble Prime Minister of India.

In INSPIRE Award scheme for school children (from class 6 - 10) the changes have been undertaken to eliminate/reduce the possibility of children buying readymade models from market and to ensure continued relation between awardees and the DST after the completion of Award Ceremony.

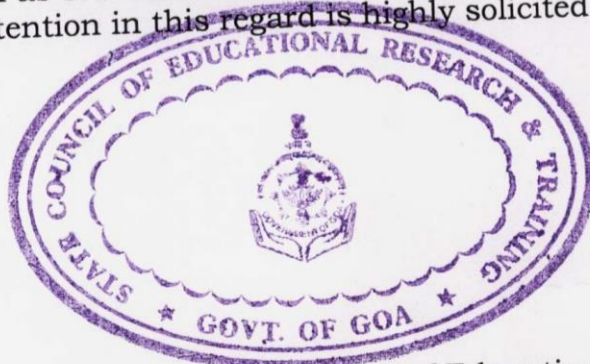
During the year 2018 -19, Department of Science and Technology- Delhi has selected innovative ideas of 80 students from Goa. Seven State Awardees students from Goa have participated at National Level. One student from Goa is selected at National Level. This student will get the benefit of SUKURA EXCHANGE PROGRAMME 2020 to visit Japan.

It may kindly be noted that the registered schools under the INSPIRE Award MANAK Scheme in each financial year can nominate 2 - 3 best ideas from their schools through online mode, in E - Management of INSPIRE Award Scheme (E - MIAS) at E - MIAS website (www.inspireaward-dst.gov.in).

Nominations for the INSPIRE Awards MANAK 2019 - 20 is opened now.

If your school has not been registered yet for "INSPIRE MANAK" in the National Portal. You have to register your school for "INSPIRE MANAK" first so that the students can avail the benefit of the scheme. The instructions for registration are enclosed with this letter.

You must insure that your school name figures in the National Portal in the registered school list as well as student's nomination list.
Your personal attention in this regard is highly solicited.



Yours faithfully

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