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No.M-12011/2/2008-NREGA(P)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Rural Development  
(NREGA Division)

Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi -110114  
Dated : 21<sup>st</sup> January, 2010

To

The Principal Secretary/Secretary  
(State Departments dealing with Mahatma Gandhi NREGA)  
( Andhra Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh,  
Jharkhand, Kerala, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra,  
Manipur, Orissa, Rajasthan, Tripura, Tamil Nadu and West Bengal)

Sir/Madam

I am happy to inform you that the Ministry has finalized the selection of Awardees under the Scheme of Award for Excellence in NREGA Administration on the basis of recommendations of the Expert Committee. 18 States had nominated 50 Districts who made their presentations in the Ministry. Out of this 24 Districts from 15 States have been selected for the Award. The list of the Awardees is enclosed.

2. The Awardees will be presented the awards at Plenary Hall of the Vigyan Bhavan, New Delhi on 2.02.10 during the Mahatma Gandhi NREGA Sammelan. You may please ensure that the Awardees are present for briefing at 10.00 am on 01.02.10 at Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.

3. You are requested to submit the names of the District Programme Coordinators who worked in the district during the award year 2008-09 and who are working in these Districts at present (in case the two are different). The names should be submitted both in Hindi and in English before 27.01.10 by return fax.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

  
(Amita Sharma)  
Joint Secretary(NREGA)

Encl : as above

**List of States and Districts selected for the Award under the Scheme of Award for Excellence in NREGA Administration for the year 2008-09.**

<b>S.No.</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Districts</b>
1.	Andhra Pradesh	Chittoor
2.	Andhra Pradesh	Kurnool
3.	Chhattisgarh	Raipur
4.	Chhattisgarh	Bastar
5.	Haryana	Ambala
6.	Himachal Pradesh	Kangra
7.	Jharkhand	Deogarh
8.	Kerala	Iduki
9.	Karnataka	Belgaum
10.	Karnataka	Gulbarg
11.	Madhya Pradesh	Balaghat
12.	Madhya Pradesh	Chindwara
13.	Maharashtra	Aurangabad
14.	Maharashtra	Gadchiroli
15.	Manipur	Senapati
16.	Orissa	Mayurbhanj
17.	Orissa	Ganjam
18.	Rajasthan	Ajmer
19.	Rajasthan	Udaipur
20.	Tripura	North Tripura
21.	Tamil Nadu	Nagapattinam
22.	Tamil Nadu	Villupuram
23.	West Bengal	Burdhman
24.	West Bengal	24 North paraganas