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Dear Shri Subramanyam,

As you are aware Ministry of Rural Development initiated Rozgar Jagrookta Puraskar last year to recognize the outstanding contribution by civil society organizations for promoting effective implementation of NREG Act in the different States. Last year five organizations were given awards at the national level in the ceremony held on 2nd February 2008 at New Delhi.

A copy of scheme is available on NREGA website www.nrega.nic.in under NREGA Awards. As per scheme, State Governments are required to constitute Screening Committee to consider and recommending applications received from CSOs for awards and forwarding the names of CSOs for award at the national level to the Ministry of Rural Development.

In order to ensure that more and more CSOs are in a position to avail the benefits of the scheme you are requested to start inviting applications for consideration of the Screening Committee as per the time line indicated in the scheme and forward list of CSOs recommended for awards at the national level. In case, the Screening Committee has not yet been constituted, you are requested to immediately constitute the same and initiate the process so that sufficient number of nominations are available for awards. The nominations are to be forwarded to the Ministry by 30th November 2009.

As the awards at the national level national levels are distributed by the distinguished dignitaries, I am sure you would take personal interest in the matter and recommend maximum number of CSOs.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,


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