To
The Commissioner/ Secretary/ Principal Secretary (Incharge of MGNREGA),
Department of Rural Development /Panchayati Raj
All States/ UTs (Except Delhi and Chandigarh)

Sub: Additional Category of MGNREGA Annual Award 2017- Reg

Sir,

In continuation to this Ministry’s letter of even number dated 29th July 2016 and
21-09-2016, I am directed to inform that following two additional category of Awards will be
distributed during the event.

1. Performance in AADHAAR Seeding and Conversion
2. Initiatives under Geo-MGNREGA

The shortlisting and selection shall be based on the data available in MIS . The shortlisting
criteria for both the category of awards is enclosed for information.

2. I request you to kindly ensure feeding of relevant data in the MIS if not uploaded.

Yours faithfully,

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1. Shri S B Agnihotri, Chairman, MGNREGA Award Committee
2. All Directors/ Deputy Secretary/ Under Secretary, MGNREGA Division.
3. Senior Technical Director, NIC
4. MoRD (NIC) for uploading in MGNREGA website
Additional Category of award under MGNREGA

A. Performance in AADHAAR Seeding and Conversion:

- States shall be ranked with combined weightage towards performance in Aadhaar Seeding in NREGASoft against the active MGNREGA workers (50%) and Conversion to Aadhaar Based Payments against the active MGNREGA workers (50%).
- Performance as on 15th January 2017 as reflected in the MIS will be considered for evaluation.
- Top three States shall be conferred the award. States given award during the past two years for performance in AADHAAR shall not be considered.

B. Awards for performance in implementation of Geo-MGNREGA:

There will be four category of awards under Geo-MGNREGA initiative as listed below:

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Criteria for selection of Awardee:

1. **Geo-MGNREGA State of the Year**

   **Description:** This award will be given to State/s who have performed the best in terms of number and quality in ensuring geotagging under MGNREGA.

   **Shortlisting Criteria:**
1. All the Gram Panchayats, Blocks should have at least one MSE and one GAS registered respectively in all GPs where MGNREGA is implemented in last two financial years (2015-16 and 2016-17).
2. All the MSE/s of the State should have performed minimum one geotags in the Gram Panchayat.
3. The rejection and flagging percentage combined together should be less than the rejection and flagging percentage at national level.
4. The average GPS accuracy of the approved assets, should be less than 10 meters.
5. Evaluation will be based on the performance till 31st December 2016.

**Evaluation Criteria:**
The State who qualifies the above shortlisting criteria will be evaluated on the following grounds:-

1. Assessment will be made by the picture quality, GPS accuracy, training and capacity building plans, registration and awareness.

2. **Geo-MGNREGA District of the Year**

   **Description:** This award will be given to the district/s who have performed the best in terms of number and quality in ensuring geotagging under MGNREGA.

   **Shortlisting Criteria:**

   1. All the Gram Panchayats, Blocks should have at least one MSE and one GAS registered respectively in all GPs where MGNREGA is implemented in last two financial years (2015-16 and 2016-17).
   2. All the MSEs of the districts should have performed minimum one geotags in the Gram Panchayat.
   3. The rejection and flagging percentage combined together should be less than the rejection and flagging percentage combined together of the respective state.
   4. The average GPS accuracy of the approved assets, should be less than 10 meters.
   5. Evaluation will be based on the performance till 31st December 2016.

   **Evaluation Criteria:**
The district who qualifies the above shortlisting criteria will be evaluated on the following
Assessment will be made by the picture quality, GPS accuracy, training and capacity building plans, registration and awareness.

3. **GAS of the Year**

**Description:** This award will be given to the best performing GIS Asset Supervisors at the Block level.

**Shortlisting Criteria:**

1. The Average moderation time for all the geotagged assets should be less than 48 hours.
2. All the Gram Panchayats under the block should have minimum one approved MSE.
3. Evaluation will be based on the performance till 31st December 2016.

**Evaluation Criteria:**
The GAS who qualifies the above shortlisting criteria will be evaluated on the following grounds:

1. Quality of Photo moderated: Geotags should not have been approved which do not reflect the information about the asset.

4. **MSE of the Year**

**Description:** This award will be given to Mahatma Gandhi NREGA Spatial Enumerator at the Gram Panchayat level to an official performing geotagging.

**Shortlisting Criteria (during the evaluation period):**

1. All works completed under MGNREGA should be 100% Geotagged for the FYs 2015-16 and 2016-17 in the allotted Gram Panchayat(s). In case of more than one MSE per Gram Panchayat, both the MSEs together will be considered for the award.
2. The rejection percentage should be less than 3% of the attempted geotags.
3. The average accuracy level should be less than 10 meters.
4. Evaluation will be based on the performance till 31st December 2016.

**Evaluation Process:**
The MSE who qualifies the above shortlisting criteria will be evaluated on the following grounds:
1. Quality of the Photo: The photo should be covering majority of the asset area and should be properly lit.

2. Capturing of primary and attached assets: The asset name should clearly reflect primary or attached assets.