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Dear Principal Secretary / Secretary,

Please refer to my D.O. of even number dated 26th September, 2018 regarding Panchayat Awards 2019 (Appraisal Year 2017-18).

2. As you are aware that the process of online nominations for Panchayat Awards 2019 (Appraisal Year 2017-18) has commenced w.e.f 28th September, 2018 on the link <http://panchayataaward.gov.in>. It is noted that the first stage of the process which is "publishing" of the questionnaires has not been completed in respect of your State/UT for Deen Dayal Upadhyay Panchayat Sashaktikaran Puraskar (DDUPSP) and Nanaji Deshmukh Rashtriya Gaurav Gram Sabha Puraskar (NDRGGSP).

3. As the last date for filling of online nominations for Panchayats is 31st October, 2018, to avoid last minute rush, kindly publish the questionnaires immediately so that Panchayats from your State/UT can participate for the Awards.

4. A State/UT Nodal Officer is also to be nominated and his/her contact details need to be shared with this Ministry which is pending in case of few States/UTs.

5. The States/UTs are requested to give wider publicity to these Awards preferably through the Regional News Papers & TV Channels as well as DD National & DD Kisan Channels to ensure large participation of Panchayats doing good work.

6. The Ministry will announce for online application forms for Gram Panchayat Development Plan (GPDP) Awards 2019 shortly at the same above link <http://panchayataaward.gov.in>.

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7. For more information regarding the award guidelines and procedure for filling up of online nominations, the Ministry's link <http://panchayataward.gov.in> may be referred on a regular basis. In case of any clarifications, queries may be forwarded at awards-mopr@nic.in & joshi.sk@nic.in.

With regards

Yours sincerely,


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To,
The Principal Secretary / Secretary (PR),
(All States and UTs.)

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