## J-17060/404/2015-DDU-GKY Ministry of Rural Development Department of Rural Development (Rural Skills Division)

New Delhi, dated: 11th August, 2016

## **NOTIFICATION NO. 39/2016**

Sub: Conduct of courses for Persons with Disabilities and long duration courses under DDU-GKY (including Roshni and Himayat)-reg.

It is hereby stated that Section 3.1.2 of DDU-GKY Guidelines mandates that State Governments have to ensure at least 3% of beneficiaries under DDU-GKY target allocated in the State shall be Persons with Disabilities. This needs to be implemented. Further, the Ministry has observed that long term courses with training duration of 1152 hours or more have the potential to ensure skilling which leads to sustainable placements, especially in case of rural poor youths. However, PIA's had generally stayed away from long term courses in the past since per-hour training costs were less for long term courses. Now, with the adoption of category-wise (depending on job roles) as prescribed in Common Norms for skill development courses notified by Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, any such disincentive for a PIA to undertake long term courses is removed. The Ministry, in consultation with the stakeholders, has mandated that a minimum of 30% of target approved for a State shall be earmarked for projects with duration equal to or more than 1152 hours.

- 2. Accordingly, it is stated that States, in project appraisals and sanction of projects, shall ensure earmarking of targets for such projects to cover the PwD beneficiaries and minimum target prescribed for long duration courses in the State. A State-wise minimum targets for coverage of PwD beneficiaries and targets for long duration courses for the Financial Year 2016-2019 are given at Annexure for quick reference. The targets have been incorporated in the central application system. It is also stated that from amongst the applications filed online on the central portal (ddugky.gov.in), each State may identify project applications with projects for PwD and long duration courses, and give preference in allocation of projects to such PIAs, subject to fulfillment of appraisal criteria. Achievements against this parameter shall be reviewed in the Quarterly Review meeting and Performance Review Committee meetings in the Ministry.
- This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

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## Minimum target to be trained under long term courses and for PWD beneficiaries

Annexure

Sl. No.	Name of States	Minimum Target for	Minimum target for PwD
		long duration training	beneficiaries
1	Andhra Pradesh	15000	1500
2	Arunachal Pradesh	1355	136
3	Assam	23553	1126
4	Bihar	72000	2666
5	Chhattisgarh	35988	1378
6	Gujarat	7506	374
7	Haryana	1993	199
8	Himachal Pradesh	4500	450
9	Jammu & Kashmir	124180	4770
10	Jharkhand	23900	1345
11	Karnataka	35455	1957
12	Kerala	12267	660
13	Madhya Pradesh	27584	1749
14	Maharashtra	17500	1078
15	Manipur	3155	316
16	Meghalaya	1923	192
17	Mizoram	1400	140
18	Nagaland	2077	208
19	Odisha	40129	3031
20	Punjab	3000	450
21	Rajasthan	20000	2376
22	Sikkim	2400	240
23	Tamil Nadu	46380	1932
24	Telangana	7709	788
25	Tripura	7585	476
26	Uttar Pradesh	60892	4100
27	Uttarakhand	1500	150
28	West Bengal	22054	1892
	Total	622985	35679