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Government of India
Ministry of Human Resource Development
Department of School Education & Literacy
EE.16 Section

Dated 31st October, 2017

To

1. Chairperson, CBSE
2. Chairman, CISCE
3. Commissioner, KVS
4. Commissioner, NVS
5. Joint Secretary (Training), Ministry of Defence

Sub:- Swachh Vidyalaya Puraskar (SVP), 2017-18 – Extension of last date for applying for the awards – regarding.

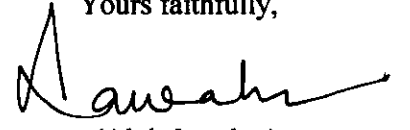
Madam/ Sir,

Please refer to this Department's communication of even no. dated 11th September, 2017 regarding Swachh Vidyalaya Puraskar (SVP), 2017-18.

2. This Department has received several requests for extension of last date of submission of application, due to various reasons. The competent authority in this Department has therefore decided to extend the **last date for submission of application for SVP, 2017-18 from 31st October, 2017 to 15th November, 2017.** All other timelines for the Awards will remain same as already informed vide D.O. letter of even no. dated 11th September, 2017 (copy enclosed).
3. It is requested to make sure the submission of all the application by **15th November, 2017.** No further extension will be given.

Encl. As stated above

Yours faithfully,



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D.O.No.F.27-11/2017-EE.16

11th September, 2017

Respected Ma'am/sir,

As you would be aware, the Ministry of Human Resource Development has constituted the Swachh Vidyalaya Puraskar in the year 2016 under the Swachh Bharat: Swachh Vidyalaya initiative to recognize, inspire and celebrate excellence in sanitation and hygiene practice in elementary and secondary schools. The explicit purpose of the awards is to honour schools that have undertaken significant steps towards fulfilling the mandate of the Swachh Vidyalaya Campaign. The awards are given at the District, State and National levels.

2. It is a matter of satisfaction that more than 2.68 lakh schools participated online in the first edition of the awards. Out of 643 State level award winning schools, 172 schools have been awarded with the National level awards for Swachh Vidyalaya Puraskar 2016-17 on 1st September, 2017. Three best performing States and 11 districts with highest participation at National level of Swachh Vidyalaya Puraskar have also been recognized at the award ceremony on 1st September, 2017.

3. Swachh Vidyalaya Puraskar 2017-18 has been formally announced on 1st September, 2017. The guidelines of Swachh Vidyalaya Puraskar 2017-18 are enclosed herewith. As per the guidelines, schools will register and submit information as per the prescribed format made available online (<http://mhrd.gov.in> → [SwachhVidyalaya](#) → [SwachhVidyalayaPuraskar](#) or by downloading a mobile app, SwachhVidyalayaPuraskar 2017 - 18. The mobile app can be downloaded from Google Play Store.

4. It has now been decided to include all schools in the ambit of the award for Swachh Vidyalaya Puraskar 2017-18 including the private schools affiliated to CBSE, CISCE, State Boards etc. as well as Central Government Schools i.e. Kendriya Vidyalayas, Navodaya Vidyalayas, Sainik Schools etc. Thus, the Swachh Vidyalaya Puraskar 2017-18 will be open to (a) Government and aided schools; and (b) Private schools, in both rural and urban areas.

5. In order to ensure participation of all schools in this ambitious and innovative initiative, it is requested to:

(a) Organise a State level orientation workshop quickly, to be attended by Principal Secretary (Education), State/district level Education officials including Resource Centres, Cluster Coordinators, all DEOs, Consultants and other concerned officials. This workshop will help to understand the framework/tools and methodology better.

(b) Ensure a quick dissemination of the concept and actions required, at the block and the school level – issue necessary instructions to schools to participate in the award scheme.



6. On submission of the application by the schools, the data will be aggregated into star rating categories (one to five) by the App and the performance report of the school would be shared with the states/districts/schools. Depending upon the rank category they belong to, the schools would be awarded at different levels, subject to physical validation and screening at different levels.

The time line for the award is given below:

Submission of application	1 st September- 31 st October, 2017
Selection for awards at the District Level and submission of the results to the State/UT Level	1 st November – 30 th November, 2017
Selection for awards at the State/UT Level	1 st December – 31 st December, 2017
Submission of State/UT Level results to MHRD for National Level selections	by 7 th January, 2018
Selection of school for National award	31 st March, 2018

7. It may be noted that UNICEF and Administrative Staff College of India, Hyderabad (ASCI) are collaborating with us in this process, for technical support, and they may reach out to you, for facilitation of the same.

8. For any further clarifications, you may contact Shri Girish Hosur, Director in this Department, Tel. No. 011-23073687; email: hosur.edu@gov.in and Prof. V. Srinivas Chary, Director, Centre for Energy, Environment, Urban Governance and Infrastructure Development at ASCI, Hyderabad; Tel No. 91-40-66534221 email: schary@asci.org.in.

With Regards,

Yours sincerely,

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To,

The Additional Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries/ Secretaries (School Education) of all State Governments and UTs

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