

REPORT



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Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan)

In Collaboration with

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Kolkata

क्षेत्रीय सम्मेलन

“दीनदयाल दिव्यांग पुनर्वास योजना”

Regional Conference

on

“Deendayal Disabled Rehabilitation Scheme”

18 फरवरी, 2019

ग्रेट बॉल रूम,

दी ललित ग्रेट ईस्टर्न कोलकाता

18th February, 2019

Great ball Room,

The LaLiT Great Eastern Kolkata.

Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan), Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India in collaboration with National Institute for Locomotor Disabilities (Divyangjan), (NILD) Kolkata organized one day Regional Conference on Deen Dayal Disabled Rehabilitation Scheme for Eastern and North East Region on 18th February, 2019 at The Lalit Great Eastern Kolkata.

The Conference was inaugurated by Dr. Prabodh Seth, Joint Secretary, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan), Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India by lighting of Lamp as Customary to start any Program in presence of Shri Vikas Prasad, Director, DEPWDs, Ministry of S J & E, Shri Ramanuj Dey, Under Secretary, DEPWDs, Ministry of S J & E and Dr. Abhishek Biswas, Director, National Institute for Locomotor Disabilities (Divyangjan), (NILD) Kolkata.

Dr. A. Biswas, Director , NILD, Kolkata felicitated Dr. Prabodh Seth, Joint Secretary, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan), Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India ,Shri Vikas Prasad, Director, DEPWDs, Ministry of S J & E, Shri Ramanuj Dey, Under Secretary, DEPWDs, Ministry of S J & E



Dignitaries in the dais



Lamp Lighting By the dignitaries



Felicitation to Dr. Prabodh Seth



The Regional Conference was attended by representatives from Odisha, Chattisgarh, West Bengal, Bihar, Assam, Arunachal Pradesh, Manipur, Nagaland, Meghalaya, Tripura, Sikkim, Mizoram. Total 225 Participants attended the program including 22 media personnel from different media houses.

Dr. Prabodh Seth, Joint Secretary, DEPWDs, Ministry of S J & E, Shri Vikas Prasad, Director, DEPWDs, Ministry of S J & E, Shri Ramanuj Dey, Under Secretary, DEPWDs, Ministry of S J & E and Dr. Abhishek Biswas, Director, National Institute for Locomotor Disabilities (Divyangjan), (NILD) Kolkata spoke different aspects of the DDRS Scheme. Dr. Prabodh Seth told that Govt. of India will provide 90% of the fund under DDRS Scheme.



NGO representatives also presented their activities on DDRS. There was interactive session and the questions raised by the participants were solved by the panel.

The conference was widely covered by Print media , electronic media and different TV Channels.



डीडीआरएस के तहत केंद्र सरकार ने बढ़ायी अनुदान राशि

- केंद्र सरकार ने जारी किया नया नियम

कोलकाता. केंद्र सरकार ने दिव्यांगजनों के विकास के लिए कार्य कर रही स्वयंसेवी संस्थाओं को दिये जानेवाले आर्थिक अनुदान में वृद्धि की है. साथ ही इन संस्थाओं को राशि प्रदान करने के लिए भी कई महत्वपूर्ण कदम उठाये गये हैं. सोमवार को महानगर में दीनदयाल दिव्यांगजन पुनर्वास योजना (डीडीआरएस) पर क्षेत्रीय सम्मेलन का आयोजन किया गया. इस मौके पर दिव्यांगजन सशक्तीकरण विभाग के संयुक्त सचिव डॉ प्रबोध सेठ ने कहा कि अब से डीडीआरएस के तहत प्रोजेक्ट राशि का 90 प्रतिशत अनुदान केंद्र सरकार देगी और हमेशा इसी दर पर राशि प्रदान की जायेगी. पहले सात वर्ष के बाद से अनुदान की राशि प्रत्येक वर्ष पांच प्रतिशत कम कर दी जाती थी, लेकिन केंद्र सरकार ने नया नियम बनाया है, जिससे अब हमेशा 90

प्रतिशत का अनुदान दिया जायेगा. इसके साथ ही विशेष क्षेत्रों में डीडीआरएस के तहत 100 प्रतिशत अनुदान दिया जायेगा. इसके साथ ही उन्होंने बताया कि 2018-19 के अंत तक पूर्वी भारत में दिव्यांगजनों के विकास के लिए कार्य कर रही संस्थाओं को लगभग 70 करोड़ की राशि प्रदान की जायेगी.

उन्होंने बताया कि कई संस्थाओं का आरोप है कि राज्य सरकार उन्हें समय पर क्लीयरेंस नहीं देती है. इसके लिए भी केंद्र सरकार ने नया नियम शुरू किया है, जिसके तहत जिला समाज कल्याण अधिकारी द्वारा एनजीओ का निरीक्षण किये जाने के 60 दिनों के अंदर अगर राज्य सरकार क्लीयरेंस नहीं देती है तो इसे राज्य सरकार द्वारा अनुमोदित माना जायेगा और केंद्र सरकार अपने स्तर पर प्रक्रिया शुरू कर देगी. इस मौके पर दिव्यांगजन सशक्तीकरण विभाग के निदेशक विकास प्रसाद ने योजना के बारे में विस्तृत जानकारी दी.

Aiming for better implementation of Deendayal Disabilities Rehabilitation Scheme in East and North-East India

A regional conference on implementation of Deendayal Disability Rehabilitation Scheme (DDRS) in eastern and north-eastern states was held in Kolkata on 18th Feb. The conference was attended by Dr. Prabodh Seth, Joint Secretary in the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (DEPWD), Shri Vikash Prasad, Director – DEPWD, Dr. Abhishek Biswas, Director, National Institute of Locomotor Disabilities (NILD), Shri Ramanuj Dey, Under Secretary to the Government of India, several State Government Secretaries and State Welfare Officers, District Welfare Officers in charge of DDRS, Disability Commissioners and the programme implementation agencies which are mostly NGOs. The State Government representatives of West Bengal, Jharkhand, Odisha, Chhatisgarh, Bihar, Assam, Arunachal Pradesh, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Sikkim and Tripura participated in the conference. This is the third of a series of Regional Conferences held across the country and the exercise will culminate in a National Conference to be held on 1st March, 2019 at New Delhi.



DDRS, a central scheme has been operational with the objective of ensuring effective implementation of the Rights to Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 (earlier Persons with Disabilities Act, 1995) through creating an enabling environment and encouraging programme implementing agencies through financial assistance. With a view to inclusion of persons with disabilities in the mainstream of society and actualizing their potential, the thrust is now on education and training programmes. The scheme was thus revised and the revised scheme was made effective from 1st April, 2018.

The day-long deliberations of the conference with all stakeholders focussed on an in-depth understanding and better implementation of the scheme in terms of better



The Conference was coordinated by Shri Aratatan Patra- Nodal Officer, Regional Conference. The Program was great success with the Guidance of Dr. A. Biswas, Director, NILD, Mr. Bratin Sarkar, Accounts Officer, NILD with the active participation of DEPWDS officials, Staff of Out Reach Services, Socio Economic Rehabilitation and students of PGDDRM, NILD, Kolkata.

