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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Monthly Summary for the month of February, 2019 in respect of Ministry of Women and Child Development.

The undersigned is directed to circulate herewith a copy of the unclassified portion of the monthly summary in English pertaining to the Ministry of Women and Child Development for the month of February, 2019.

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Encl.: As above

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All the Members of the Council of Ministers

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Monthly Summary Report for the month of February, 2019 in respect of Ministry of Women and Child Development

The significant events relating to the work of Ministry of Women and Child Development for the month ending February, 2019 are as follows:

1. Video-Conference meeting with States/UTs

The Video-Conference Meeting with States/UTs was held on 8th February, 2019 to review implementation of Anganwadi Servicces Scheme, pending Utilization Certificates (UCs)/ Statements of Expenditure (SoEs), Swachhta Action Plan, insurance claim settlement under Insurance Schemes (viz. PMJJBY, PMSBY, AKBY, etc.) available to Anganwadi Workers (AWWs)/Anganwadi Helpers (AWHs), requirements of foodgrains under WBNP for the year 2019-20 etc.

2. World Food Programme

The meeting with representatives of World Food Programme (WFP) and line Ministries/Departments under chairpersonship of Secretary, MWCD was held on 22nd February, 2019 to discuss the strategy for food fortification and its role on the schemes in the Ministry.

3. "Pusti Utsav" organized by Voice for Child Right, Odisha (VCRO)

During the month of February 2019, CFNEU, Bhubaneswar under Food and Nutrition Board, Eastern Region, Ministry of Women & Child Development, Govt. of India participated in "Pusti Utsav" organized by Voice for Child Right, Odisha (VCRO) supported by Child Right and You (CRY) on 13.02.2019 at Guru Kelu Charan Mohapatra Odissi Research Centre, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar. In the exhibition, exhibits like nutritional recipes (balanced diet, diet during pregnancy, iron rich food, weaning food, processed fruits & Vegetables etc.), panels & posters were displayed. IEC materials were distributed among visitors. Nutrition lectures were also delivered. Nearly 103 visitors visited the stall.

4. "Emerging North East"

The CFNEU, Guwahati participated in "Emerging North East" in collaboration with NIPCCD, Guwahati organized by the Associated Chambers of Commerce and Industry of India (ASSOCHAM) from 20th to 22nd February, 2019 at Maninam Dewan Trade Center, Betkuchi, Guwahati to highlight the activities of Ministry of Women & Child Development, Govt. of India. In the exhibition, exhibits like nutritional recipes (balanced diet, diet during pregnancy, iron rich food, weaning food, processed fruits & Vegetables etc.), panels & posters were displayed. IEC materials were distributed among visitors. Nutrition lectures were also delivered. Nearly 1500 visitors visited the stall.

5. Minimum Government, Maximum Governance:

- Video Conferences are being held on regular basis for inter-action and dialogues with States/UTs for effective implementation of various schemes
- Full-fledged e-Office implementation by Ministry has resulted in savings to Government exchequer; Also, substantial number of Inter – Ministerial communications are made through e-mail.
- All Policies/Programmes/Schemes/Acts/sanction orders etc. are loaded on public domain for easy access by stakeholders.