No. CDN/80/2017-Coordination [e–30652] Government of India Ministry of Women and Child Development

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi Dated: 15th March, 2022.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Monthly Summary for the month of February, 2022 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 (both in English and Hindi) pertaining to the Ministry of Women and Child Development for the month of February, 2022 for information and necessary action.

Encl.: As above

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Monthly Summary Report for the month of February, 2022 in respect of Ministry of Women & Child Development.

The significant activities undertaken by Ministry of Women and Child Development for the month ending February, 2022 are as follows:

1. Approval of schemes of the Ministry for its continuation over the 15th Finance Commission Cycle: Department of Expenditure, vide its O.M dated 01.02.2022, has conveyed the approval of continuation of the schemes of the Ministry by the Cabinet vide its decision dated 19.01.2022 whereby all the schemes have now been clubbed together into three verticals. Mission Shakti for safety, protection and empowerment of women; Mission Vatsalya for protection and welfare of children and Saksham Anganwadi and Poshan 2.0 for improving nutrition indicators in the country with enhanced outlay of Rs. 20,989 crores, Rs. 10,916 crores and Rs.1,02,031 crores respectively over the 15th Finance Commission Cycle.

2. Draft Cabinet Note and Draft Trafficking of Persons (Protection, Care and Rehabilitation) Bill: Final version of Draft Cabinet Note and the draft Trafficking of Persons (Protection, Care and Rehabilitation) Bill had been sent to Legislative Department (LD) on 07.02.2022 for vetting. The Ministry hopes to introduce the Bill in the current session of Parliament.

3. 8th meeting of National Task Force (NTF) to review the implementation of Beti Bachao Beti Padhao (BBBP): 8th meeting of National Task Force (NTF) was held under the Chairmanship of the Secretary, Ministry of Women and Child Development (MoWCD) on 16th February, 2022 through video conference to review the implementation of Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao (BBBP) at the National, States/UTs and Districts level.

4. Participation in other Meetings/ Conferences/ Workshops by Secretary, WCD:

4.1 Attended the meeting of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee (EWCY & S) on the subject 'Consideration of Demands for Grants (2022-23) of MWCD' held on 26.02.2022
