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Ministry of Women and Child Development**

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Monthly Summary for the month of May, 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 May, 2022.

Encl.: As above



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

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

1. PM CARES for Children Scheme: To support children who have lost both parents, single surviving parent, legal guardian or adoptive parents to Covid-19 pandemic, the scheme for PM Cares for Children was launched on 29th May, 2021 by Hon'ble PM. The scheme included support for Boarding and Lodging; Financial assistance of Rs 10 Lakhs on attaining the age of 23 years; support for education including free education till secondary level including scholarship; Scholarship and loan for higher education; and Health support through insurance of Rs 5 lakhs through AB-PMJAY. The scheme was open till 28th Feb 2022. A total of 4345 children were found eligible under the scheme.

On 30th May, 2022, the Hon'ble Prime Minister provided benefits and services for children covered under the scheme.. He addressed the children and all stakeholders covered under scheme for **PM CARES for Children** via video conferencing. Hon'ble Minister, Smt. Smriti Zubin Irani was present on the occasion. The event was organized in all 31 State Capitals and 557 Districts, where the children covered under the schemes are residing and was attended by Hon'ble Chief Ministers; Ministers of Union Government; Members of Parliament; Ministers of State Government; and Members of Legislative Assemblies.

The children along with their guardians/ Care givers and concerned District Magistrate of their respective district joined the event from their District Head Quarters. Hon'ble Prime Minister initiated real time transfer of scholarship of Rs. 20,000/- to all children studying in class 1 to 12th digitally. During the function, the children were handed over personalized letters from Hon'ble PM; SnehPatra (PM CARES certificate); PM CARES for children scheme passbook; and Ayushman Bharat Pradhan Mantri Jan ArogyaYojana (PM-JAY) card.

2. 2nd Plenary Meeting and 2nd Side Event of G20 EMPOWER in Indonesia: The Ministry virtually attended the 2nd Plenary Meeting and 2nd Side Event of G20 EMPOWER from 17th – 19th May, 2022 organized by the G20 Secretariat under Indonesian Presidency in hybrid mode at Yogyakarta, Indonesia.