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Please find enclosed herewith a copy of communication No.K-11025/36/2023-IEC Section-Part (1)/445 dated 19th October, 2023 received from Ministry of Jal Shakti, Department of Water Resources Rivel Development & Ganga Rejuvenation on the above cited subject for information and necessary action.

Encl: **As above.**



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MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION

D.O. No. K-11025/36/2023-IEC Section-Part(1)/445

19th October, 2023

Dear Sir,

The Department of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation, Ministry of Jal Shakti is working to improve management of water resources in the country. This is critical in the context of climate change, and can be done only by involving all stakeholders. In order to encourage all stakeholders, including civil society organizations, Gram Panchayats, urban local bodies, corporate sector and individuals working in water sector, the Department has been organizing the National Water Awards (NWAs) since 2018. These awards are intended to encourage and felicitate individuals and organizations for adopting innovative practices to augment ground water, rainwater harvesting, recycling of water and other steps to ensure creation of a culture of better water resources management.

2. The **5th National Water Awards** has been launched on 13th October 2023 through the Rashtriya Puraskar portal online (www.awards.gov.in), and entries are now being invited. We intend to identify suitable individuals and organizations for these awards in the categories like 'Best State', 'Best District', 'Best Village Panchayat' etc. The detailed list of categories and other related information is contained in the National Awards Guidelines enclosed with this letter.

3. The objective is to recognize, document and amplify good work in water conservation and management. You are requested to publicize these awards through your Ministry/Department/attached/subordinate offices for wide publicity so that numerous entries are received in various categories. The last date for receiving entries is **15th December, 2023**.

With Regards,

Yours sincerely,

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