

Government of Odisha Department of Social Security & Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities

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From

Niten Chandra, IAS

Principal Secretary to Government

To

All Collectors

Sub: Organisation of skill up-gradation training for SHGs of Persons with Disabilities.

Madam/Sir,

Bhima Bhoi Bhinnakhyam Samarthya Abhijan (BBSA) guidelines have been revised to provide benefits to the Persons with Disabilities. Organisation of skill up-gradation training for SHGs of Persons with Disabilities is one of the priorities for rehabilitating the Persons with Disabilities. Agriculture and allied activities being the means of livelihood in rural areas of the State, initiation of vocational training in those activities for SHGs of Persons with Disabilities will ensure sustainable livelihood.

On a pilot model vocational training on mushroom cultivation and bee keeping was taken up in Dhenkanal and Balasore districts which have given encouraging results. Similar vocational training programs may be organised out of the funds released under Bhima Bhoi Bhinnakhyam Samarthya Abhijan (BBSA) Scheme. All Districts should formulate a strategy for organisation of training programme. The SHGs of Persons with Disabilities of your districts may be encouraged to join the training programme.

I shall appreciate if the training programme are organised at the earliest and an action taken report is sent to the Department within a fortnight.

Yours faithfully,

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Principal Secretary

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Copy forwarded to all DSSOs for information and necessary action.

Under Secretary

