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मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय उच्चतर शिक्षा विभाग शास्त्री भवन नई दिल्ली – 110 115 GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION SHASTRI BHAWAN NEW DELHI-110 115

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Vice Chancellor/Directors/Heads of all Higher Educational institutions

Sir/Madam,

You are aware that the Country is on the verge of a major economic transformation due to the withdrawal of the high denomination bank notes. The move to a cashless society using the various digital payment options already available would be possible only when there is a massive campaign to educate the various stakeholders. This campaign will need the active involvement of higher educational institutions – the management, teachers and the students.

In this context, the Hon Minister for HRD, Sri Prakash Javadekar would address all the higher educational institutions through an interactive video conference at **<u>4 p.m. on 1st Dec 2016</u>**. The Minister is likely to present a draft plan action for higher educational institutions working for the Digital Economy; and would also seek the suggestions from the institutions. The video conference would be hosted by the NIC using the NKN network, and the local NIC in-charge would help you with the technical details for joining the video conference/webcast.

Considering the importance of the occasion, it is requested for your personal presence along with all the Deans/senior faculty and representatives of the student community in the video conference.

Yours faithfully

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<u>Dialling procedure to join Videoconferencing to be address by Hon'ble HRD</u> <u>Minister through NKN network at 4 P.M. on 1st December, 2016 are as follows:</u>

- A. From Standard IP based H.323 Videoconferencing systems :
- 1. All IITs/NITs will dial 164.100.103.34 or 10.199.27.6 and when prompted for the conference ID/Code, please enter 1216#

Or

Alternatively, you can directly enter into the conference by dialling 164.100.103.34##1216 or 10.199.27.6##1216 (Polycom VC System) or 1216@164.100.103.34 or 1216@10.199.27.6 (Cisco VC System)

 All IIMs/CUs will dial 164.100.103.35 or 10.199.27.9 and when prompted for the conference ID/Code, please enter 1216# Or

Alternatively, you can directly enter into the conference by dialling **164.100.103.35##1216** or **10.199.27.9##1216** (Polycom VC System) or **1216@164.100.103.35** or **1216@10.199.27.9** (Cisco VC System)

 All Other Institutions can dial 164.100.103.36 or 10.199.27.12 and when prompted for the conference ID/Code, please enter 1216# Or

Alternatively, you can directly enter into the conference by dialling 164.100.103.36##1216 or 10.199.27.12##1216 (Polycom VC System) or 1216@164.100.103.36 or 1216@10.199.27.12 (Cisco VC System)

B. WEBCAST :

All other institutions who do not have Standard conventional (H.323) Videoconferencing systems can participate as **webcas**t from a PC/Laptop at http://webcast.gov.in/mhrd

Note: All sites can test their VC Setup with helpdesk on 30th November (Wednesday) during 2.00-3.30 PM. On the actual day 1st Dec'2016 all are requested to dial and keep connected from 2.30 PM onwards. All sites can dial @2Mbps or more speed. In case of any problem please talk to following helpdesk number.

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Helpdesk Number for VC is: 011-24305791, Email: vc-delhi@nic.in

Helpdesk Number for NKN Network is: 011-22180335, 1800 111 555 (Toll Free) Email: support@nkn.in