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Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi-110114
Dated 12th February, 2016

To

The Principal Secretary / Secretary (Rural Development)
of all State Governments and UT Administration
dealing with Indira Awaas Yojana.

Subject :- Conduct of Mason Training – Reg.

Sir / Madam

You are aware that Ministry of Rural Development had initiated steps towards training of masons in rural areas, with an objective to improve the quality of houses constructed under Indira Awaas Yojana and also other houses in rural areas. During the course of interaction in this context, State Governments have raised certain issues which are clarified as follows :-

- a) States to take up training of masons on pilot basis in a district / block and meet the expenditure involved from the administrative fund.
- b) If the States desire that the amount of assistance that is to be paid to beneficiary in respect of houses that are to be taken up for training should be paid in one instalment. States should send the details of the beneficiaries whose houses would be taken up for training of masons so that exception can be made in AwaasSoft for payment of assistance in single instalment. The format in which the details of the beneficiaries should be sent is enclosed as **Annexure – I**.
- c) If all the houses allotted to the State for the year 2015-16 have been sanctioned and are in different stages of construction. Houses that are proposed to be taken up in the next financial year may be taken up for the purpose of training.

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2. Further, in order to facilitate the conduct of training of masons, material that is required for training is being developed by Ministry of Rural Development. In this connection, the following material that has been developed is enclosed for use during the conduct of the pilot training.

a) List of suggested tools that are required for conduct of the training (Annexure – II).

b) Ready reckoner for masons to share with the trainee masons (soft copy)

3. The other training material that is being prepared by the Ministry would be shared with the State Governments as soon as the same are finalized.

Encl: As above.

Yours faithfully,



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ANNEXURE – I

Sl. No.	IAY Registration ID	Sanction Year	Scheme *	District Code	Block Code
1	2	3	4	5	6

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**LIST OF SUGGESTED TOOLS FOR
TRAINING OF RURAL MASONS UNDER IAY**

The following tools are suggested for training of masons based on feedback from the states in different workshops. States may add or remove items from this list based on their specific context and exact technologies / activities on which training will be provided in line with the budget available for the training kit. .

EDUCATIONAL TOOLS FOR TRAINING OF MASONS

Sl	Item	Qty	Unit
1.	Shovel	4	nos.
2.	Mortar pan	4	nos.
3.	Spade	4	nos.
4.	Water drum	2	nos.
5.	Mason trowel small	5	nos.
6.	Wooden float	6	nos.
7.	Steel float	6	nos.
8.	Straight edge 5 ft	3	nos.
9.	Straight edge 3 ft	3	nos.
10.	Spirit level 3 ft	5	nos.
11.	Water bucket 20 L	5	nos.
12.	Water mug 1 L	5	nos.
13.	Broom (coconut)	5	nos.
14.	Cold chisel 1 inch	2	nos.
15.	2 Lb Hammer	2	nos.
16.	8 Lb Hammer	1	nos.
17.	Claw hammer (carpenter)	4	nos.
18.	Wood saw	4	nos.
19.	Pliers	4	nos.
20.	Hacksaw steel	4	nos.
21.	Hacksaw blades	10	nos.
22.	Bar bending lever	4	nos.
23.	Bar bending hook	4	nos.
24.	Measuring tape 10 Meter	1	nos.
25.	Scaffolding	As required	

TOOLS FOR INDIVIDUALS OF MASONS

<u>Sl</u>	<u>Item</u>	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Unit</u>
1.	Mason trowel large	1	nos.
2.	Brick hammer	1	nos.
3.	Plumb bob	6	each
4.	Water pipe	15	feet
5.	Line Dori	1	roll
6.	Measuring tape 3 Meter	1	nos
7.	Tri square medium size	1	nos
8.	Pencil	1	nos.
9.	Notebook	1	nos.
