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Dated: 17 July 2017

**Circular**

**Subject: Invitation of Nominations for "National workshop on Gender Budgeting in Rural Development" during 29-31 August 2017 at NIRD&PR, Hyderabad-reg.**

Center for Gender Studies and Development, NIRD&PR, MoRD will be organizing a three days National workshop on "Gender Budgeting in Rural Development" during 29-31 August 2017 at NIRD&PR, Hyderabad.

2. There is no programme fee and all the participants will be provided free boarding and lodging at the Guest house of NIRD&PR, Hyderabad. However, the travel cost of participants would have to be borne by their organization/department.

3. For more details, copy of invitation letter and programme brochure are enclosed herewith.

4. In this regard, nominations are invited from interested ISS officers who can apply for the same directly with intimation to NSSTA. They should apply after taking the requisite approval from their controlling officer.

This issue with the approval of ADG, Training division.

**Enclosed:** As above.

  
(Debanjaha Datta)  
Director, NSSTA  
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**Copy to:**

1. ADG, SSD with request to nominate an officer;
2. ADG CAP with request to nominate an officer;
3. Ministry official website, /
4. ALL the ISS officers.

**Copy for information to:**

1. PS to ADG, (Trg.) MoSPI; &
2. PS to HoD, NSSTA, MoSPI.

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Sub: Invitation of Nominations for "National Workshop on Gender Budgeting in Rural Development" during 29<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2017 at NIRD&PR, Hyderabad - reg.

Dear Sir / Madam,

Greetings!

Our Institute will be organizing the above workshop at its HQs in Hyderabad. The Ministry of Women and Child Development, Govt of India has sponsored this programme. For details about the objectives, content and other details can be seen in the enclosed brochure.

2. There is no programme fee and all the participants will be provided free board and lodging at the Guest house of NIRD&PR, Hyderabad. However, the travel cost of participants would have to be borne by their organization/department.

3. We would request you to kindly nominate three / four officials of each of your department for the workshop. The names of the officers nominated along with their contact details may kindly be sent to **Dr. Sucharita Pujari**, Assistant Professor, Centre for Gender Studies and Development, (CGSD), NIRD&PR, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad -500030 via E-mail: [sucharitapujari@gmail.com](mailto:sucharitapujari@gmail.com); T/F: 040 - 24008456; Tel: 040-24008523 (O); Fax: 24008500; latest by **15<sup>th</sup> August, 2017**

Thanking you,

The Addl Director General  
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Yours faithfully,

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**National Workshop**

**"Gender Budgeting in Rural Development"**  
(29<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2017)

Sponsored.  
Ministry of Women and Child Development, GoI

**Venue: NIRD& PR, Hyderabad**



Centre for Gender Studies and Development  
**National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayat Raj**  
(Ministry of Rural Development, GoI)  
Rajendranagar Hyderabad – 500 030

## **Background**

The Government of India has adopted Gender Budgeting as a tool for gender mainstreaming at all levels of governance. To pursue this, the Ministry of Women and Child Development has been organizing various training programmes and workshops on Gender Budgeting over the last few years, in collaboration with various training institutes. With the ongoing training programmes of the Ministry many states and sectoral departments in states have undertaken Gender Budgeting initiatives with different methodologies and in some cases have developed effective gender mainstreaming frameworks in planning and budgeting.

You are also aware that through the mobilization of women in self-help group networks, participation in local planning processes and presence of elected women representatives in various tiers of local governance as well as the implementation of schemes of both state and central governments has increased the women in public sphere. However, the participation and mobility of women in planning and budgeting as well as their access and control over financial resources are limited and vary across caste and religious groups.

It is therefore important to focus on rural development and Gender Budgeting so as to analyse development problems and reformulate plan priorities with a gender-specific approach. Gender budgeting initiatives in terms of rural development is important because of the challenges involved in addressing the complexities of socio-cultural factors which constitute gender disparity of the specific spatial and temporal context.

With this in view the Ministry in collaboration with the National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayat Raj (NIRD& PR) had organized a series of Gender Budgeting workshop for the officers of the Department of Rural Development of various states in the last two years. We are sure that many state departments must have initiated the process of Gender Budgeting as part of their budget making process and have started reflecting women specific allocations in the Gender Budget statement published as part of the state budget.

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However, lot remains to be done so as to ensure, systematic processes of engendering of policies,

Programmes and schemes and better monitoring of the actual expenditure and benefits flowing to women. It is with this perspective that the Gender

Budgeting workshop specifically for Master Trainers / officers of the Rural Development and Panchayati Raj Departments of the State Governments is being organised by NIRD&PR to be held at its campus in Hyderabad.

### **Objectives**

1. To develop understanding of Gender Budgeting, related concepts, and tools and techniques.
2. To share experiences regarding progress and challenges in integrating Gender Budgeting in development programmes.
3. To identify linkages between different institutions for supporting/exploring Gender Responsive solutions and Budgets.

### **Content**

Conceptual Understanding of Gender: Gender Perspectives in preparing budget and budget analysis; Overview and tools and techniques of Gender Budgeting, Gender Audit Gender issues in RD.

### **Methodology**

Participatory methods, discussions on the issues, classroom exercise.

### **Participants**

Faculty from SIRDs, ETCs & other National and state level training institutions, Sr and Middle level officials of RD and Panchayati Raj and allied department.

**Note: Please advise the participants to send in advance and or/ bring Gender Budgeting Initiatives in their Institutions for sharing during the TOT.**

**Duration**

Three days (29<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2017)

**Course Fee**

There is no fee. Participants have to bear their own travel expenses to and fro to attend the workshop. NO TA / DA WILL BE GIVEN TO THE PARTICIPANTS. Free boarding & Lodging facilities will be arranged for all participants during the programme and half day before and after the programme.

**Last Date to receive nominations:**

**15th August, 2017.** Nomination may be send to:-

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Web site: [www.nird.org.in](http://www.nird.org.in)

**Venue and Accommodation**

**NIRD& PR, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad- 500030 (Telengana)**

**Course Team**

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