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Subject: General Guidelines on Quality Assurance for Official Statistics and notification thereof

This Ministry notified General Guidelines on Quality Assurance for Official Statistics on 6th April, 2018 which can be accessed at http://mospi.nic.in/sites/default/files/main menu/gazette notification/notification 6apr18.pdf. These Guidelines are for use and voluntary compliance by all the offices dealing with statistical matters including administrative statistics.

2. All the concerned offices at the Centre and in the States/UTs are requested to access the guidelines for compliance to improve the quality of their official statistical products. It is also requested that the Guidelines be brought to the notice of all line Departments and Local Governments for promoting compliance. The manner of compliance as provided in the Guidelines may be placed in the public domain and this Division may be intimated from time to time the action taken thereof.

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