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Dear *Madam/Sir,*

You may be aware that the purpose of National Awards to Teachers is to celebrate the unique contribution of some of the finest teachers in the country and to honor those teachers who through their commitment and industry have not only improved the quality of school education but also enriched the lives of their students and thereby strengthened the Nation.

2. I would like to inform that the scheme for National Awards to Teachers has been revised this year. The condition of eligibility of teachers for consideration of awards as 10 years regular service, inclusion of teachers of Private Schools affiliated to State Boards, and revised evaluation matrix in Annexure I & II are some of the changes made this year. A copy of the revised guidelines is attached.

3. I am glad to inform that the web portal for online self-nomination by teachers, <http://nationalawardstoteachers.education.gov.in> is open from 23.06.2023 and last date for the same is 15.07.2023. Further, you are requested to constitute District/Regional level Selection Committees as laid down in the Guidelines well in advance so that next levels of online selection process may be carried out smoothly and on time.

4. You are requested to initiate appropriate action and give wide publicity amongst the teachers to ensure maximum participation. Please also place the attached banner on your official website.

With regards,

- Encl: 1. Latest NAT Guidelines
2. Timelines for 2023
3. Banner

Yours sincerely,

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To,

Principal Secretaries/Secretaries (Education) of all States/UTs/Heads of Organization