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To  
The Principal Secretary(RD)  
In charge of IAY/MGNREGA,  
All States/UTs.

Subject: Convergence between IAY and MGNREGA - Integration of  
software – Regarding.

Sir/Madam,

This is in continuation of this Ministry's letter No.M- 13011/05/ 2013-  
RH dated 27.03.2015 regarding mandatory convergence of the scheme of  
IAY with MGNREGA wherein all beneficiaries of IAY are to be provided  
wage component for 90/95 persons unskilled labour component. To carry  
out this mandatory convergence, the software of MGNREGA and IAY  
need to be integrated.

In order to operationalize the integration of the software of  
MGNREGA and IAY the following steps needs to be taken:-

(i) All IAY works in NREGASoft will be generated automatically  
based on sanction of houses in AwaasSoft. Such works shall appear  
distinctly from the other NREGA works and they cannot be  
manually deleted from the system.

(ii) All such IAY works created will be for 95 person days of unskilled  
labour in Hilly States and IAP districts and will be 90 days in other  
areas.

(iii) Option for creation of IAY work in NREGASoft manually would  
be disabled in 15 days from the issue of these instructions.

(iv) The Technical Sanction and Administrative Sanction numbers  
and dates for such IAY works will be the same as the Sanction  
number generated in AwaasSoft and will be auto-seeded in  
NREGASoft.

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(v) Allocation of labour for IAY works - Allocation shall be done by the GRS in the following manner:

(a) Based on the acceptance to work under NREGA ascertainable from AwasSoft in respect of the beneficiary, the IAY beneficiary shall be first allocated to the IAY work.

(b) Allocation shall be for total number of days available in the beneficiary Job Card (Annual Entitlement – Persondays already exhausted), subject to a maximum of 90/95 days for IAY work.

(c) If the beneficiary has exhausted his annual entitlement then, other Job Card holders shall be allocated the work.

(vi) Generation of e-muster for IAY works and payment of wages will remain same as for any other work in NREGASoft.

2. The above steps may be adopted for integration of software of IAY and MGNREGA to ensure that the convergence at the ground level takes place in a smooth manner.

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