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## तंत्र शिक्षण विभागीय कार्यालय, पुणे

४१२-ई, शिवाजीनगर, पुणे - ४११ ०१६.

जावक क्रमांक : तंत्रशिक्षण/वि.वि./विद्या लक्ष्मी पोर्टल/२०२१/४८५३

दिनांक : ०८.११.२०२१

**परिपत्रक: (कालर्यादा ०९.११.२०२१ दुपारी १ वाजेपर्यंत)**

प्रति,  
प्राचार्य/संचालक,  
या विभागीय कार्यालयाच्या अखत्यारीतील  
सर्व पदवी, पदविका व पदव्युत्तर पदवी तांत्रिक  
व्यावसायिक अभ्यासक्रमांच्या संस्था,

**विषय : शैक्षणिक कर्जासंबंधी असलेल्या Vidya Lakshmi Portal बाबत..**

- संदर्भ : १) भारत सरकार, मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय, शालेय शिक्षण व साक्षरता विभाग, नवी दिल्ली यांचे पत्र दिनांक ०८.०५.२०१७  
२) भारतीय कृषी अनुसंधान परिषद (कृषी शिक्षा विभाग), नवी दिल्ली यांचे पत्र जा.क्र. १७-०९/२०१७-ए अँड पी, दिनांक २४.०६.२०१७.  
३) तंत्रशिक्षण संचालनालय, म.रा. मुंबई यांचे पत्र जा.क्र. १६/आस्था/संकीर्ण/२०१७/शा१७७७७ दिनांक २६.०७.२०१७.

उपरोक्त विषयास अनुसरून, भारतीय कृषी अनुसंधान परिषद, नवी दिल्ली यांच्या शैक्षणिक कर्जाशी संबंधित असलेल्या विद्यालक्ष्मी पोर्टल विषयी दिनांक २१.०४.२०१७ रोजी मा. सहसंचिव, भारत सरकार, वित्त मंत्रालय (वित्तीय सेवा विभाग), नवी दिल्ली यांचे अध्यक्षतेखाली झालेल्या बैठकीचे इतिवृत्त संदर्भ क्रमांक २ मधील भारत सरकार, मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय, शालेय शिक्षण व साक्षरता विभाग, नवी दिल्ली यांचे पत्रासोबत जोडलेले आहे. सदर इतिवृत्ताच्या अनुषंगाने खालील मुद्यांबाबत योग्य ती कार्यवाही करण्याच्या सूचना संदर्भीय पत्र क्रमांक ३ अन्वये सर्व संस्थाना देण्यात आलेल्या होत्या.

- 1) Website of Educational Institutions should carry a link to VLP (Vidya Laxmi Portal)
- 2) All educational Institutions should incorporate details of VLP (Vidya Laxmi Portal) on the last page of their prospectus.

याबाबतचा अहवाल शासनास सादर करावयाचा असल्याने, आपल्या संस्थेकडून उपरोक्त विषयाबाबत केलेल्या कार्यवाहीची माहिती सोबत जोडलेल्या गुगल फॉर्ममध्ये भरून उद्या दिनांक ०९.११.२०२१ (दुपारी १ वाजेपर्यंत) सबमिट करावी. सोबत गुगल फॉर्मची लिंक देण्यात येत आहे.

**गुगल फॉर्म लिंक :**

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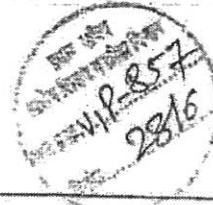
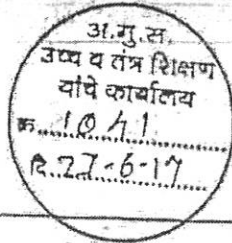
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F. No. Edn. 17-09/2017-A&P  
To

Dated the 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2017

The Chief Secretaries,  
All the State Governments

Subject: Vidya Lakshmi Portal.  
Sir,

The Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) is in receipt of following letters from the Deputy Secretary (HE), Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of School Education & Literacy, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi :

1. Letter D.O. No. 17/11/2015-U.5 dated 8<sup>th</sup> May, 2017 alongwith letter OM NO. 6(6)/2014-CP-IF-II, dated 21<sup>st</sup> April 2017 forwarding therewith Minutes of the Meeting chaired by Joint Secretary (DFS) to discuss issues regarding Vidya Lakshmi Portal (VLP) on Education Loans.
2. Letter D.O. No. 17-11/2015-U.5 dated 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2017.
3. Letter D.O. No. 17-11/2015-U.5 dated 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2017 regarding linking of sites with Vidya Lakshmi Portal ([www.vidyalakshmi.co.in](http://www.vidyalakshmi.co.in)).

A copy of the said letters are forwarded herewith for reference and necessary

action.

This issues with the approval of DDG (Agril.Edn.).

Yours faithfully,

(Binod Toppe)

Under Secretary (Agril. Edn.)

Copy to:

1. The Vice Chancellor, (SAU/CAU/ICAR DUs/Central Universities with agriculture faculty) for reference and necessary action.
2. The Deputy Secretary (HE) (S.Shankar), Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of Higher Education, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi - 110115 for information.

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D. O. No. 17/11/2015-05

6<sup>th</sup> May, 2017

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am enclosing a copy of a very important Meeting minutes regarding Vidya Lakshmi Portal (Education Loan Portal) set up in pursuance of the Budget Speech in the Lok Sabha by the Finance Minister and later inaugurated by the Prime Minister on 15<sup>th</sup> August, 2015 for your immediate action please. Special attention is required on the following:-

- Linking of Vidya Lakshmi Portal ([www.vidyalakshmi.co.in](http://www.vidyalakshmi.co.in)) with your body.
- Mentioning about Vidya Lakshmi Portal in the prospectus and other information materials.
- Awareness to students about quality institutions, including NAAC Accreditation and NIRF.
- Updating of your Sites with all Courses (recognized) offered. This needs to be updated from time to time.
- Mass-publicity and awareness about Vidya Lakshmi Portal.
- Mass-publicity about IBA's ([www.iba.org.in](http://www.iba.org.in)) Model Education Loan Scheme, 2015 and Central Sector Interest Subsidy Scheme, 2009 ([www.mhrd.gov.in](http://www.mhrd.gov.in)) and ([www.canarabank.com](http://www.canarabank.com)).
- Mass-awareness among the students about other Scholarships/Fellowships/Freeships/Incentives available and due mention of them in the Websites.
- Encouragement of Aadhar compliance details.
- Interaction with the Banks for Education Loans.

Immediate action may kindly be taken on linking of Vidya Lakshmi Portal and mentioning of Vidya Lakshmi Portal in the prospectus.

In case of any query regarding Vidya Lakshmi Portal the undersigned may be contacted.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

S. Shankar  
(S. Shankar)

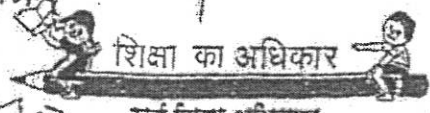
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Copy to:-

1. All Regulatory Bodies (All).
2. Joint Secretary, Department of Financial Services, Ministry of Finance, Jeevan - Deep Building, Parliament Street, New Delhi-110001.
3. Shri K. Unnikrishnan, Sr. Chief Executive, Indian Banks' Association, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor Central Building, World Trade Centre Complex, Cuff Parade, Mumbai - 400005.
4. Shri Ravindra Bhandary, General Manager, Canara Bank Head Office, 112-J.C. Road, Bengaluru-560002, Karnataka.
5. Shri Aniruddha Bagchi, Deputy General Manager, National Credit Guarantee Trustee Company Ltd. (NCGTC), SME Development Centre, C11, G Block, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra East, Mumbai 400051.
6. Shri Gagan Rai, MD & CEO, NSDL e-Governance Infrastructure Limited, Times Tower, 1st Floor, Kamala Mills Compound, Lower Parel, Mumbai - 400 013.
7. Chairman, State Bank of India, Corporate Centre, State Bank Bhawan, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Madane Cama Road, Bandra Kurla, Mumbai- 400021.
8. JS (HE).

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F. No. 6(6)/2014 -CP-IF-II  
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Ministry of Finance  
Department of Financial Services

3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, 'Jeevan Deep' Building,  
Parliament Street, New Delhi,  
Dated: 21<sup>st</sup> April, 2017

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Minutes of the Meeting chaired by Joint Secretary (DFS) to discuss issues regarding Vidya Lakshmi Portal (VLP) on Education Loans at 11.00 a.m. on 12.04.2017 in the Conference Room of Department of Financial Services

The undersigned is directed to enclose the minutes of the above meeting.

2. In view of the decisions taken in the above mentioned meeting it is requested to initiate action on the following points:

- VLP should carry logo of the Government of India indicating Department of Financial Services, Ministry of Finance and Ministry of HRD to convey that it is a Government Portal. MoHRD may seek necessary approval from the competent authorities for the same.
- Websites of premier Educational Institutions, UGC/AICTE/IIM/Medical/Engineering Colleges/Management Schools/Major Skilling Centres should carry a link to VLP.
- All educational Institutions should be requested to incorporate details of VLP on the last page of their prospectus.

(M.K. Mishra)

Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Ph. 23748717

Deputy Secretary (Kind Attn Shri Vijay Shankar),  
Department of Higher Education,  
Ministry of HRD,  
Shastri Bhawan,  
New Delhi

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Vijay Shankar  
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Minutes of the Meeting chaired by Joint Secretary (DFS) to discuss issues regarding Vidya Lakshmi Portal (VLP) on Education Loans at 11.00 a.m. on 12.04.2017 in the Conference Room of Department of Financial Services

List of Participants is Annexed.

At the onset, Joint Secretary emphasized that education loans should be seen as an investment opportunity as it has a significant role to play in the development of human capital in the country by ensuring education loans to the needy and meritorious students. In this regard, Vidya Lakshmi Portal (VLP) is a very important initiative and therefore it has to be made successful. He shared the concern about the low progress under VLP.

2. Director, DFS informed about the requirement of responding to complaints regarding education loans promptly. Bank branches sometimes fail to lodge claims pertaining to CSIS timely which results in complaints and court cases. Canara Bank being the nodal Bank should sensitize the concerned Nodal officers of all banks to respond timely when funds are made available by MoHRD.
3. Participating Banks have mentioned following reasons for slow progress under VLP:
  - Lack of awareness among the students and Bank branch personnel.
  - Banks have a number of education loan schemes which some times vary from the VLP format mainly developed for IBA Model Scheme. Some banks have different application forms for different Schemes.
  - Some fields like mobile nos/ email ids of parents, etc is made mandatory due to which legacy cases could not be uploaded.
  - Lack of awareness among educational institutions about VLP.
  - Apprehension amongst bankers that educational loans easily become NPAs.
  - Misconception of students that VLP is a private portal.
4. Officials of NSDL made a power point presentation on the progress under VLP. They have also informed that from 17.04.2017 the requisite linkage will be provided to enable the banks to upload the legacy cases.
5. After detailed deliberations, following action points emerged:
  - All education loans should be routed through VLP. Where students have submitted physical application, the same should also be uploaded on VLP after sanction. All banks should also upload all their education loan schemes on VLP. (Action All PSBs). Letter in this regard to be written to Chairman/MDs of Banks (Action:DFS).
  - Canara Bank has issued a Circular to all the Branches that education loans should be strictly sanctioned through VLP. Other Banks to issue guidelines on the same lines. (Action:PSBs)

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- All banks including private sector banks to be linked to the VLP. IBA to send a list of left out prominent banks to DFS so that the matter can be taken up with Chairmen of concerned Banks. (Action: IBA).
  - IBA to develop a simple common education loan application form to be used by all the banks in a week's time. This will also facilitate for uploading the loan application through mobile app being developed by NSDL. (Action: IBA).
  - Awareness campaign should be launched from 1<sup>st</sup> May, 2017. LDMs should ensure sensitization of stakeholders at the District level. SLBCs to arrange for seminars with HODs of educational institutions before the start of this academic session. (Action: DFS, SLBC, LDMs)
  - Banks to organize orientation programme for their Officers on educational loans, CSIS and VLP. (Action: PSBs)
  - All the Banks' websites should have a direct tag to VLP (Action: PSBs)
  - All legacy cases from 15<sup>th</sup> August, 2015 (Launch date of VLP) should be uploaded on VLP latest by September 30, 2017 (Action: PSBs).
  - VLP should carry logo of the Government of India indicating Department of Financial Services, Ministry of Finance and Ministry of HRD to convey that it is a Government Portal. (Action: DFS/MoHRD)
  - Websites of premier Educational Institutions, UGC/AICTE/IIM/Medical/Engineering Colleges/Management Schools/Major Skilling Centres should carry a link to VLP (Action: MoHRD).
  - Bank branches should coordinate with the educational Institution of their area and popularize the VLP. Banks should also conduct seminar in such institutions during the admission season. (Action: PSBs).
  - Each Bank branch/Educational Institution to display a Banner on VLP. ATMs of banks in educational institutions should also carry posters of VLP. SLBCs may prepare a common Banner for their respective states. Zonal Manager may sensitize Branch Managers in their region and ensure compliance about the popularization of VLP. (Action: SLBCs/PSBs).
  - All educational Institutions should be requested to incorporate details of VLP on the last page of their prospectus. (Action: MoHRD).
  - SLBCs/DLCCs to review progress of education loans at the State/District level. A communication to all SLBC Conveners, Nodal Officers for SLBCs of DFS and Chief Secretaries should be sent by next week. (Action-DFS).

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- NSDL to develop a Mobile App on VLP by May 15 2017 and show it to DFS for finalization. (Action: NSDL).
  - Corporate No/ email of NSDL should be displayed on VLP portal. List of Nodal Officers of Banks with their email ID to be displayed on VLP by April end (Action: IBA).
  - Banks should make efforts to link loanee to their employer to ensure recovery of education loans. (Action: PSBs).
  - Banks to centralize the lodgment of subsidy claim under CSIS. IBA to prepare a Draft letter by 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2017 for circulation among the banks by DFS (Action: IBA & DFS).
  - IBA will be the Nodal agency for launching publicity campaign in association with PSBs to create awareness among the student community about the VLP. IBA to prepare a publicity plan in consultation with the Banks in 10 days' time (Action: IBA/PSBs).
  - Publicity of VLP through Twitter handle and LinkedIn to be looked into. NSDL to link facebook account with all Government pages on facebook (Action: NSDL).
  - Whats App Groups of Nodal Officers of Banks, MoHRD, NSDL and DFS may be formed to closely monitor the progress of education loans on VLP (Action: DFS).
  - NSDL to provide MIS options in Excel software (Action: NSDL).
  - Educational loan disbursement target for 2017-18 be kept at Rs 15,000 crore. The target for PSBs will be conveyed separately based on their achievement for 2015-16. (Action: DFS)

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Annex

List of Participants from DFS

1. Shri Madnesh Kumar Mishra, Joint Secretary (DFS) in the Chair.
2. Smt Sindhu Pillai, Director
3. Shri MK Mishra, Under Secretary

List of Participants from Other Organizations

S.N.	Name & Designation	Organisation/Office
1	Shri Vijay Shankar, Deputy Secretary	Ministry of HRD
2	Sh Atul Gautam, Senior Adviser,	IBA
3	Sh P.C.Joshi, DGM	Central Bank of India
4	Sh S B Patwardhan, DGM	State Bank of India
5	Sh Ashok Aneja, GM	Bank of Baroda
6	Sh C. Santhalingam, DGM	Canara Bank
7	Sh R.P Sharma, DGM	PNB
8	Sh Vijay Kumar, CM	PNB
9	Sh Dev Raj Bansal, DGM	Bank of India
10	Sh Govinda Pant, Sr Manager	Bank of India
11	Sh A.V Pathmaragam, GM	IOB
12	Sh N Ravindran Menon, AGM	IOB
13	Sh Suresh Sule, Whole Time Director	NSDL
14	Sh Abidali A, AVP	NSDL

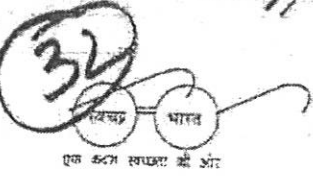
Regulatory Bodies List

<p>President Medical Council of India, Pocket 14, Phase-I, Sector-8, Dwarka, New Delhi-110077.</p>	<p>President, Dental Council of India, Aiwan-E-Galib Marg, Kotla Road, Temple Lane, New Delhi-110002.</p>
<p>Secretary (DARE) &amp; Director General Indian Council of Agricultural Research Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi-110 001.</p>	<p>Chairman, University Grants Commission, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi-110002.</p>
<p>President Pharmacy Council of India, Combined Council's Building, Kotla Road, Aiwan-E-Ghalib Marg, New Delhi-110002.</p>	<p>President Indian Nursing Council of India, 8th Floor, NBCC Center, Plot No. 2, Community Center, Okhla-Phase-I, New Delhi-110020.</p>
<p>Chairperson National Council for Teacher Education Hans Bhawan, Wing II, 1, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi - 110 002.</p>	<p>Chairman BAR Council of India 21, Rouse Avenue Institutional Area, Near Bal Bhawan, New Delhi-110002.</p>
<p>President, Central Council of Homoeopathy, Jawaharlal Nehru Bhartiya Chikitsa avum Homoeopathic Anusandhan Bhawan, 61-65, Institutional Area, Opp. 'D' Block, Janak Puri, New Delhi-110058.</p>	<p>President, Central Council of Indian Medicine Jawaharlal Nehru Bhartiya Chikitsa avum Homoeopathic Anusandhan Bhawan, 61-65, Institutional Area, Opp. 'D' Block, Janak Puri, New Delhi-110058.</p>
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NEW DELHI-110 115

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15<sup>th</sup> May, 2017

Dear Sir/Madam,

We are again requesting you to kindly ensure mention about Vidya Lakshmi Portal – Education Loan Portal ([www.vidyalakshmi.co.in](http://www.vidyalakshmi.co.in)) in the prospectus and other information materials please.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

*S. Shankar*

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1. All Regulatory Bodies (Complete List).
2. Joint Secretary, Department of Financial Services, Ministry of Finance, Jeevan deep building, Parliament Street, New Delhi. For information.
3. Shri Gagan Rai, MD & CEO, NSDL e-Governance Infrastructure Limited, Times Tower, 1st Floor, Kamala Mills Compound, Lower Panel, Mumbai - 400 013. Please pursue at your level also.
4. JS (HE).

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