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**Government. of India**  
**Ministry of Human Resource Development**  
**Department of School Education & Literacy**  
**EE-13 Section**

New Delhi, dated the 9<sup>th</sup> March, 2007

**Subject: Re-Constitution of Grants-in-aid Committee (GIAC) for Innovative and Experimental Education Projects.**

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In continuation of this Department's notification of even number dated 12<sup>th</sup> October, 2004 on the subject mentioned above, with the approval of HRM, the membership of six non official members of the Grants-in-aid Committee for Innovative & Experimental Programme for the Education at the Elementary stage is renewed for another two years with effect from the issue of this order. The members of GIAC are as follows:

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| (i)    | <b>Secretary, Department of SE&amp;L, Ministry of Human Resource Development</b>   | Chairperson       |
| (ii)   | <b>Dr. Deepa Das, Education Officer, UNICEF, Office for Assam, Dandi Tower, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, G.S.Road, Dispur, Guwahati</b>                         | Member            |
| (iii)  | <b>Ms. Farida Lambay, Vice Principal, College of Social Work, 38, New Maune Lines, Mumbai</b>  | Member            |
| (iv)   | <b>Shri Lalit Pande, Director, Uttarakhand Seva Nidhi, Jakhan Deve, Mall Road, Almora-263601 (Uttaranchal)</b>   | Member            |
| (v)    | <b>Shri Shamshad Khan, Secretary, Centre for Rural Education and Development Action (CREDA), 490, Awas Vikas Colony, Mirzapur-231001 (Uttar Pradesh)</b> | Member            |
| (vi)   | <b>Father Thomas Felix, (CMI), Central Institute of Mental Retardation (CIMR), Jagathy, Thiruvananthapuram-695014 (Kerala)</b>                           | Member            |
| (vii)  | <b>Shri Mrinal Miri, A-39, South Extension Pt.I, New Delhi</b>   | Member            |
| (viii) | <b>Joint Secretary (EE) (in charge of EGS/AIE), Department of EE&amp;L, Ministry of HRD.</b>   | Ex-officio Member |
| (ix)   | <b>Financial Adviser, Ministry of HRD</b>  | Ex-officio Member |
| (x)    | <b>Secretary, Ministry of Women &amp; Child Development of his/her nominee</b>   | Ex-officio Member |
| (xi)   | <b>Secretary, Ministry of Social Justice or his/her</b>  | Ex-officio Member |

	<b>nominee</b>	
(xii)	<b>Secretary, Ministry of Labour or his/her nominee</b>	Ex-officio Member
(xiii)	<b>Director, NCERT, New Delhi or his/her nominee</b>	Ex-officio Member
(xiv)	<b>Divisional Head in charge of Innovative and Experimental Education Projects</b>	Member Secretary

2. **Education Secretaries of the concerned states would be invited to the GIAC meeting.**

3 **The duration of the membership of the non-official members will be for a period of two years from the date of nomination.**

4. **A quorum of six members (including 3 non-official members) will be necessary for the meeting.**

5. **The Committee shall meet to consider proposals as often as required.**

6. **The following shall be the terms of reference of the Committee:-**

(a) **To consider requests received from Government agencies, public trusts, registered societies, non-profit making companies and Panchayati Raj Institutions for grant of 100% central assistance for undertaking experimental and innovative programme for education at the elementary stage.**

(b) **To consider the amount of grant to be released and the duration of the project for which the grant is to be released year-wise.**

(c) **To advise the Government on any issue relating to the scheme for Innovative & Experimental Education Projects.**

(d) **The Chairman, GIAC, may, in case of exigencies, consider and approve cases and these cases may be ratified in the subsequent meeting of GIAC.**

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