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Subject : Observing Vigilance Awareness Week, 2013 in schools Reg.

Dear Principal,

The Central Vigilance Commission, which as a special responsibility under para 3(v) of Government of India Resolution no 370/20/99/AVD-III dated 4.4.1999, declared that the week beginning from 31<sup>st</sup> October every year should be observed as the Vigilance Awareness Week. The Vigilance Awareness Week is observed in memory of Bismarck of India, Sardar Vallabh Bhai Patel. **The Commission has decided that this year Vigilance Awareness Week would be observed from 28<sup>th</sup> October to 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2013.** The theme of observing Vigilance Awareness Week this year is "Promoting Good Governance – Positive Contribution of Vigilance".

A nation can definitely achieve national prosperity by virtue of **good governance**. It helps to create an environment that enhances the quality of life of the citizens. Governance consists of the mechanisms, processes and institutions through which citizens and groups articulate their interest, exercise legal rights, meet obligations and mediate differences. Without good governance, no amount of developmental schemes can bring in improvements in the quality of life of the citizens. Strengthening governance therefore is vital and over the recent past, several initiatives have been undertaken to improve the equality of governance.

Experience has shown that increased transparency, competition, and leveraging of technology lead to decline in corruption. There is a need to institutionalize best practices and sustained efforts are required to identify and document such practices. Promoting good governance is therefore, the focus of the vigilance awareness campaign this year.

The schools may organize various activities during Vigilance Awareness Week reflecting the aforementioned theme. Few activities suggested are –

#### For Classes VI to VIII

- Banners or posters with slogans related to 'Corruption an evil'
- Essay writing on 'Good governance need of the hour'

### For Classes IX to X

- Lectures by eminent personalities on 'Role of Media in promoting good governance'
- Seminar on 'Need to eliminate corruption for improving governance'

The activities may be conducted in the schools to create awareness about good governance and its importance so that we are able to inculcate the basic idea of good governance among the students that will contribute in the social and economic development of our nation in future.

The reports, suggestion and feedback including Posters and CD's in this regard may be sent to the following address-

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With regards,

Yours sincerely,

Sd/-

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- 7. The Director of Education, Govt. of A&N Islands, Port Blair 744101.
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- 9. The Secretary, Central Tibetan School Administration, ESS ESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector 3 Rohini, Delhi-110085.
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