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Government of India
Ministry of Minority Affairs
(Skill Division)

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CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003
Dated 18.06.2025

To

Secretary In-Charge (Skill Development),
All States and Union Territories

Subject: Last date for submission of proposals on PM VIKAS portal by States and UTs - reg.

Madam/Sir,

This is in reference to this Ministry's earlier communications regarding the launch and implementation of the Pradhan Mantri Virasat Ka Samvardhan (PM VIKAS) scheme. In this connection, I am directed to say that the PM VIKAS is a Central Sector Scheme of the **Ministry of Minority Affairs**, aimed at the socio-economic empowerment of minority communities across India. It consolidates five earlier schemes—Seekho Aur Kamao, USTTAD, Hamari Dharohar, Nai Roshni, and Nai Manzil—under a unified framework. The PM VIKAS has the following four components:

- Skill and Training Component
- Women Leadership and Entrepreneurship
- Education Component
- Infrastructure Development Component

2. In continuation of the efforts toward the effective implementation of the scheme, a **workshop was organised on 15th April, 2025 at SCOPE Complex, New Delhi**, with officials/representatives of Skill Departments from all States/UTs. The workshop was conducted in hybrid mode—both physical and through video conferencing—and served as a platform to apprise the States/UTs of the core components and objectives of the PM VIKAS Scheme. A copy of Scheme Guidelines of PM VIKAS is also enclosed herewith. Subsequently, a DO letter dated 26.05.2025 was issued by Joint Secretary (Skills) to all States/UTs, reiterating the request to expedite the submission of authorised nominations from respective Skill Departments to facilitate seamless proposal entry on the PM VIKAS portal.

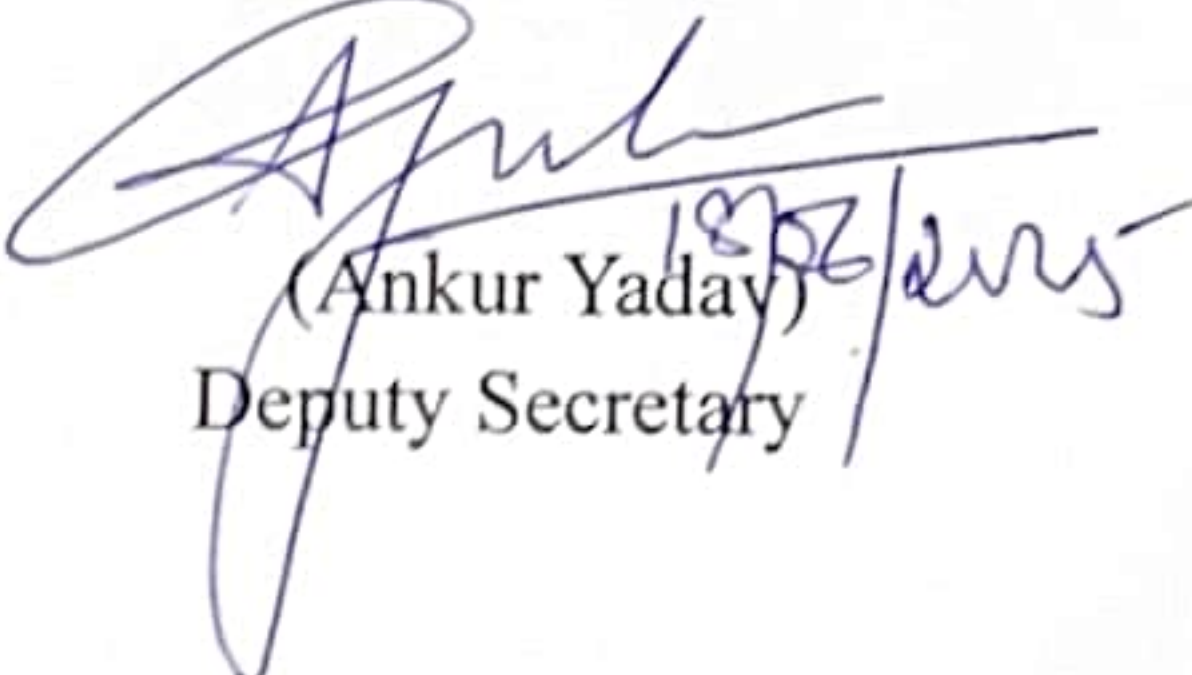
3. In light of the budget availability and considering that FY 2025–26 is the final year of the 15th Finance Commission cycle, **30th June 2025** has been decided as the last date for submission of new proposals under the PM VIKAS Scheme.


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4. Accordingly, it is requested to kindly submit the proposals at the earliest under PM VIKAS without delay only on the dedicated portal for this purpose (pmvikas.minorityaffairs.gov.in). Communications seeking further clarifications related to this matter, if any, may be sent to pmvikas-mma@gov.in and ankur.yadav90@gov.in.

Warm regards,

Yours faithfully,


(Ankur Yadav)
Deputy Secretary