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Please find enclosed D.O.No.K-11025/11/2019-IEC(Part-I)/651 dated 9th September, 2019, received from Secretary, M/o jal shakti Deptt. Of water resources, Shram Shakti Bhawan, New Delhi-1 on the above cited subject. The contents of the letter are self -explanatory. Kindly send the nominations for the award directly to the concerned authority under intimation to the undersigned to enable us to bring the consolidated statement to the notice of the Secretary (D) & D.G., ICAR. Keeping in view the sanctity of these awards it is requested that case may be examined carefully while nominating people for "2" National Water Award -2019 "reg.

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9th September, 2019.

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Since some parts of India is becoming water stressed, it is imperative to generate awareness towards water conservation and preservation amongst citizens of the country. Water conservation is a habit which needs to be developed among the citizens of the nation. The Department is incessantly trying to sensitize the public on the issues of water conservation and management through various modes and media like print media, electronic media and social media.

In an attempt to provide an impetus to Department's efforts of water conservation, it had instituted National Water Awards last year for various categories including Best States, Best Districts, Best Village Panchayats, Best Municipal Corporations/other Municipal bodies, Best Schools, Best TV Shows, Best Newspapers etc. The winners of National Water Awards 2018 were felicitated with Awards at a function held on 25th February, 2019 at Mavlankar Hall, New Delhi. Through this, the efforts made in the field of water conservation and management by the participants was recognised by Government. We believe that this will not only motivate the participants to continue their good work but also induce others to vigorously attempt/replicate the best practices of water conservation and management. In continuation to last year, I am pleased to inform you that 2nd National Water Awards, 2019 has been launched by our Department for FY 2019-20. The last date of submitting entries is 30th November, 2019.

You are requested to take personal interest in publicizing these Awards so that no effort in the field of water conservation/management is left unrecognised. You are also requested to publicize this Award through your Ministry/Departments/attached subordinate offices and give wider publicity to these Awards so that a large number of entries are received in various categories. Central Ground Water Board (CGWB) has been made nodal agency for submission of application forms etc. for Awards. A detailed guideline including application form has been enclosed for reference. General public may be asked to refer to websites (www.mowr.gov.in) or (www.cgwb.gov.in) for further information.

With regards,

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Yours sincerely,

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