No. C-42/(5)/2011-MPLADS

To,
The Nodal Secretaries of States/UTs
Commissioner Municipal Corporation of Delhi/Kolkata/Chennai/Mumbai
District Collector/District Magistrates/Deputy Commissioners,
All Districts.

Subject: Clarification regarding utilization of MPLADS funds for the welfare of the differently abled persons

Sir/Madam,


2. Consequent upon issue of the above letters, a number of Members of Parliament have approached the Ministry for allowing them to use the full entitled amount at any time in their entire tenure without the restriction of Rs. 10 lakhs to be spent per year so that a Rajya Sabha MP can utilize Rs. 60 lakhs and a Lok Sabha MP can utilize Rs. 50 lakh at any time during his/her tenure. Accordingly, the matter has been examined and it has been decided to allow Members of Parliament of both the Houses of Parliament to allocate Rs. 10 lakh per annum OR the consolidated entitled amount of their balance tenure, effective from the financial year 2011-12, at any time for giving assistance to differently abled persons as per MPLADS Guidelines.

2. These instructions may strictly be adhered to in implementation of MPLAD Scheme.

3. This issues with the approval of Hon’ble Minister, Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation.

Yours faithfully,

(A.K. Choudhary)
Director (MPLADS)

Copy for information to:
1. All Hon’ble Members of Parliament (Lok Sabha/Rajya Sabha).
2. Rajya Sabha Committee on MPLADS, Rajya Sabha Secretariat, New Delhi.
3. Lok Sabha Committee on MPLADS, Lok Sabha Secretariat, New Delhi.
4. To all concerned in MPLADS Division.
5. NIC for uploading on the MPLADS Website.