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Jeevan Prakash Building, 9th floor, 25 K.G. Marg,
Dated 15th June, 2003

To

The Chief Secretary/Administrator,
All State Governments/Union Territory Administrations,

Subject:- Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Literacy Award For Promoting Education Amongst Educationally Backward Minorities.

Sir,

The Maulana Azad Educaton Foundation, an organization under the aegis of Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment has started a new scheme namely Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Literacy Award For Promoting Education Amongst Educationally Backward Minorities. Under the scheme, the Award shall be given to an Institution having done commendable work to promote education amongst educationally backward Minorities. There shall be four awards every year. Each award shall carry an amount of Rs. 1.00 lac which will be given to an outstanding institution in each region of the country rendering yeomen services in the field of general education and technical education, particularly for girls of educationally backward Minorities. The scheme was launched by Hon'ble Prime Minister on 3rd May, 2003 in a function held in Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi. A copy of the scheme is enclosed.

It is requested that the scheme may kindly be given wide publicity and suitable proposals of eligible institution belonging to minority communities, as per guidelines of the scheme, may be sent either to this Ministry or to the Maulana Azad Education Foundation for consideration.

Yours faithfully,

(Sarvesh Rai)
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

Encl.:- As above.

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This may relate to you.
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