F.No.11-1/2017-Skt.II Government of India Ministry of Human Resource Development Department of Higher Education Language Division

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi Dated 25th May, 2017

To

1) All Secretaries of Government of India.

2) The Chief Secretaries of all State Governments/UTs.

3) The Education Secretaries of all the State Governments/UTs.

4) The Vice Chancellors of all India Universities/ Deemed to be Universities.

5) All Awardees of Certificate of Honour.

6) All state Universities in A.P., Karnataka, Kerala and Odisha.

Subject: Presidential Awards for the year 2017 for Certificate of Honour to eminent Sanskrit, Pali, Prakrit, Arabic, Persian, Classical Oriya, Classical Kannada, Classical Telugu and Classical Malayalam Scholars and Maharshi Badrayan Vyas Samman for young scholars in these languages – reg.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter of even number dated 28.04.2017 on the above subject seeking recommendations for the Presidential Awards for scholars in respect of various languages for the year 2017.

It has been decided to extend the last date of receipt of recommendations/nominations for Presidential Awards for scholars till 30.06.2017 in this Ministry. Other instructions as mentioned in the circular dated 28.04.2017 remains the same.

Yours faithfully,

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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Copy to: -

1) All Language Institutions

2) The Chairman, University Grants Commission, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi.

3) Director, 17-B, N.C.E.R.T., Sri Aurobindo Marg, New Delhi-16.

- 4) Vice Chancellor, N.U.E.P.A., NCERT complex, Sri Aurobindo Marg, New Delhi.
- 5) Director, National Book Trust, A-5, Green Park, New Delhi-16.
- 6) Director, Sahitya Academy, 35, Ferozshah Road, New Delhi.
- 7) Under Secretary (Languages), Language Division, MHRD