PRESS NOTE

Nominations are invited by the Directorate of Women & Child Development from suitable individuals and Institutions who have made outstanding contribution towards child welfare and service in a particular year for the “National Award for Child Welfare 2015 & 2016”, instituted by the Ministry of Women and Child Development, Government of India, New Delhi.

Criteria for selection:-
For Institutions:-

a) Should not be entirely Government funded but could be Govt. aided or otherwise.
b) Should have been in the field of child welfare for some years and
c) Should have, to their record, a good performance in the field.
d) The branches of institutions working independently will also qualify for the selection for the award.
e) The Selection will be made solely on the basis of quality of performance and the number of children served by the institution.

For Individuals:-

a) Should have worked for the cause of children for some years.
b) Paid officers of the institutions will not be eligible for selection.
c) The sole basis of selection will be the quality of work performed by the individual for the cause of children and its significance of the cause.

Nature of Awards:-

a) The Award for each Individual(Maximum three) shall consist of:-
   i) A cash prize of Rs. 1,00,000/- (Rs. One Lakh) and a Citation.
b) The Award to each Institution (Maximum Five) shall consist of:-
   ii) A cash prize of Rs. 3,00,000/- (Rs. Three Lakh) and a Citation.

Date of Awards:-

The awards will be announced on Children’s Day – 14th November every year and will be given away in New Delhi on a convenient date and time.

For more details about this award and for application form please contact the Directorate of Women & Child Development, Old Education Building, 2nd Floor, 18th June Road, Panaji or may visit on the website of the Ministry (www.wcd.nic.in) or of this Directorate (www.dwcd.gov.goa).

The last date to submit the application completed in all respect in soft copy (C.D., Pen Drive) and hard copy to the Directorate of Women & Child Development latest by 30th June, 2016.