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- 1. The All MS/Director of Hospital, Deptt. of H&FW GNCT of Delhi
- 2. The Director, Family Welfare GNCT of Delhi.
- 3. All CDMOs DHS GNCT of Delhi.
- 4. ADHS, SHS, DHS GNCT of Delhi.
- 5. CMO, MHS DHS GNCT of Delhi.

Sub: Sponsorship of doctors/ Nurses during the year 2011-12 for P.G. Diploma in Disaster Preparedness and Rehabilitation (Part Time) by IRCS & affiliated to GGS IP University, Delhi.

Madam /Sir,

Kindly find enclosed the letter No. A-33015/1/11/PGDP & R from Indian Red Cross Society, New Delhi dated 07/07/2011 on above mentioned subject nomination of doctors / nurses working as regular employee in Departmental of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of GNT Delhi for sponsor as departmental candidate may be provided latest by 20/08/2011. The application form and other details about the course is available at website www.indianredcross.org.

This issue with the approval of Competent Authority

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Sub: Nominations to one year PG Diploma Course in Disaster Preparedness & Rehabilitation (part time programme) to the 6th batch (2011-2012).

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This is to thank you for nominating some of your officers / doctors to the one year PG Diploma Course in Disaster Preparedness & Rehabilitation (part time programme) to the earlier batches. This year the course for the 6th batch (2011-2012) will be started from 12th September 2011.

India is a disaster prone country and as auxiliary to the Government, Indian Red Cross Society (IRCS) assists the Government in relief and rehabilitation activities following disasters. Red Cross has the mandate and rich experience of organizing relief operations in times of disaster. It has trained members who initiate action and get involved in rapid response in situations of calamity. However, there is a massive need to enlarge this cadre base of trained personnel in this field.

As a leading institution in the field, IRCS launched a one year part time PG Diploma Course in Disaster Preparedness and Rehabilitation in 2006. The course is affiliated to the Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, Delhi. This provides a unique opportunity to working professionals and others to acquire necessary capabilities to provide leadership in the field in times of need. This part time course focuses on the development of skills and abilities in the field of disaster that matches the best practices available in this discipline today. Emphasis of the course has been to train professionals to improve the emergency response mechanism of the local bodies as far as preparedness, mitigation, relief and rehabilitation is concerned. The course is being conducted at the Disaster Management Centre, IRCS (NHQ), 1-Red Cross Road, New Delhi-110001. The classes are being held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 6.30 p.m. to 9.00 p.m. and on Saturdays from 10.00 am to 2.00

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The objective of the course is to develop a cadre of experts who will in times of need respond to disasters efficiently and effectively and be able to train others to provide comfort to the people in distress. Besides didactic lectures, IRCS provides opportunities to the students in field drills and simulation exercises.

A copy of the circular issued in this regard as well as the prospectus is enclosed. The last date for the receipt of nominations in IRCS (NHQ) is 31<sup>st</sup> August 2011. Application form and further details about the course is also available at website (www.indianredcross.org).

In view of the above, I request you to kindly sponsor some of your officers for this course, whose services may be used in future for disaster prevention and response activities and also to provide leadership in the field in times of need.

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Xours sincerely,

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