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Notification

Subject: Constitution of High-Powered Committee- The National Syllabus and Teaching Learning Material Committee (NSTC)-reg.

As a follow-up of the National Education Policy 2020 (NEP 2020), development of the National Curriculum Framework for School Education (NCF-SE 2023) was initiated with the constitution of National Steering Committee vide MoE OM No. **11-2/2019** dated 21/09/2021. The NCF-SE is now in advanced stages of development and shall act as the reference point and guiding roadmap for the syllabus and textbook developers for School Education all over the Country.

In this context, a High-Powered Committee, the National Syllabus and Teaching Learning Material Committee (NSTC) which is empowered to develop the school syllabus, textbooks, and teaching learning materials for Classes 3-12 (and to appropriately revise the existing textbooks of class 1 and 2 to ensure smooth transition from Class 2 to 3), is being notified here.:

Constitution of the NSTC shall be as follows with given ToR:

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| 1. Shri M. C. Pant, Chancellor, National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration (NIEPA) | - Chairperson |
| 2. Prof. Manjul Bhargava, Princeton University | - Co-Chairperson |
| 3. Dr. Sudha Murty, Chairperson, Infosys Foundation | - Member |
| 4. Dr. Bibek Debroy, Chairman, EAC-PM | - Member |
| 5. Dr. Shekhar Mande, Former DG, CSIR, Distinguished Professor, Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune | - Member |
| 6. Prof. Sujatha Ramdorai, University of British Columbia, Canada | - Member |
| 7. Shri Shankar Mahadevan, Music Maestro, Mumbai | - Member |
| 8. Shri U. Vimal Kumar, Director, Prakash Padukone Badminton Academy, Bangalore | - Member |
| 9. Prof. Michel Danino, Visiting Professor, IIT_Gandhinagar | - Member |
| 10. Smt. Surina Rajan, IAS (retd.), Haryana, former DG, HIPA | - Member |
| 11. Shri Chamu Krishna Shastri, Chairperson, Bhartiya Bhasha Samiti | - Member |
| 12. Shri Sanjeev Sanyal, Member, EAC-PM | - Member |
| 13. Dr. M.D. Srinivas, Chairman, Centre for Policy Studies, Chennai | - Member |
| 14. Shri Gajanan Londhe, Head, Programme Office, NSTC | - Member |
| 15. Dr Rabin Chhetri, Director, SCERT, Sikkim | - Member |

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| 16. Prof. Pratyusha Kumar Mandal, NCERT | - Member |
| 17. Prof. Dinesh Kumar, NCERT | - Member |
| 18. Prof. Kirti Kapoor, NCERT | - Member |
| 19. Prof. Ranjana Arora, NCERT | - Member Secretary |

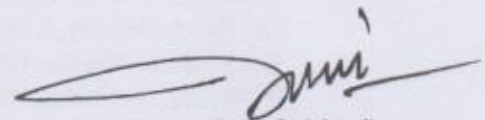
Terms of Reference:

The textbooks and other teaching learning materials will cover all curricular areas, and the subjects within, that are part of the NCF-SE, as also their support materials such as teacher handbooks. The textbooks and other teaching learning materials developed and finalized by the NSTC shall be published and distributed by the NCERT.

The NSTC will be assisted by 'Curricular Area Groups' (CAGs) to develop textbooks and other teaching learning materials for each of the subjects included in syllabus. The Chairperson and Co-chairperson of NSTC will constitute the CAGs with appropriate experts and with the support of NCERT. The NSTC will be free to invite other experts for advice, consultation, and support as and when required. The NSTC will be assisted by a Programme Office set-up by the NCERT and NCERT shall provide all necessary expertise and support as per the needs of the NSTC.

A few members of the National Steering Committee, and the Mandate Group for the 'National Curriculum Frameworks', and other relevant experts, shall be drawn to form the 'NCF Oversight Committee'(NOC). The NOC will facilitate rigorous connection of the Textbooks and LTMs being developed as a follow-up of NCF-SE including detailed orientation to NSTC and all the CAGs on the NCF-SE and subsequent engagement throughout the development process as required. The members of the NOC are being notified separately.

This has the approval of the Competent Authority.


(D.P. Saklani)
Director, NCERT

To all the Members of the Committee

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