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Government of India
Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises
(PM Vishwakarma Division)

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Office Memorandum

A new Central Sector scheme, *PM Vishwakarma* is going to be launched by Hon'ble Prime Minister on 17.09.2023. The scheme aims to provide holistic support to artisans and craftspeople through access to skill training, collateral free credit, modern tools, incentive for digital transactions and market linkage support.

2. Constitution of National Steering Committee (NSC)

A National Steering Committee (NSC), an Apex Body, for taking policy and strategy decisions in implementation of the scheme is hereby constituted as follows:-

Composition of National Steering Committee		
1.	Secretary, Ministry of MSME	Co-Chairs
2.	Secretary, Department of Financial Services, Ministry of Finance	
3.	Secretary, Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship	
4.	Representative of NITI Aayog	Member
5.	Representative from Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship	Member
6.	Representative from Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology	Member
7.	Representative from Ministry of Panchayati Raj	Member
8.	Representative from Ministry of Rural Development	Member
9.	Representative from Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs	Member
10.	Two leading experts/practitioners to be nominated by the Chairperson	Members
11.	Additional Secretary & Development Commissioner, Ministry of MSME	Member Convener

3. The NSC will have the following terms of reference:

- a) Ensuring effective roll-out of *PM Vishwakarma* across the country.
- b) Taking decisions related to any aspect concerning the scheme.
- c) Undertaking measures, as deemed appropriate, and ensure delivery of benefits under the scheme to the eligible beneficiaries.
- d) Approving any modifications required in the scheme including addition or deletion of trades.

- e) Engaging with stakeholders including civil organizations, associations, forums etc. for getting feedback about the scheme.
 - f) Modifying the scheme design, coverage, delivery mechanism etc. within the overall mandate of the scheme.
4. The meetings of the NSC will be convened at least twice a year.


(Dr. Rajreesh)

AS&DC (MSME)/Member Convener

To,

1. PPS to Secretary, Department of Financial Services, Ministry of Finance
2. PPS to Secretary, Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship
3. PPS to Secretary, Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises
4. All Members of National Steering Committee

Copy to:-

1. All Chief Secretaries of the States/UTs
2. All Nodal Officers of the States/UTs
3. PPS to AS&DC (MSME)
4. PS to ADC (IGT)
5. Director (NIC)/SIDBI- with a request to upload on PM Vishwakarma portal.