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To,
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Sub:- Implementation of Samarth e-Governance Platform for School Education in Goa.

Sir

The Ministry of Education, Government of India, has approved the implementation of the Samarth e-Governance platform for school education in Goa.

This platform is part of the broader vision to achieve "Viksit Goa" and "Digital India," by leveraging technology to improve the efficiency, transparency, and overall quality of educational administration. This project is being fully funded by the **Ministry of Education**, Government of India, as part of their commitment to advancing digital governance in education. There will be **no cost or charges** incurred by your school for the implementation, operation, or maintenance of the Samarth e-Governance platform. Government of Goa and the SAMARTH e-Governance team would like to project Goa as a model State where entire education system is integrated on a single digital platform.

Key Features and Importance of the Samarth e-Governance Platform:

The Samarth e-Gov platform is a comprehensive digital solution designed to streamline various administrative and educational processes. The key features of the platform include:

- **HRMS (Human Resource Management System):** Digital management of employee records, payroll, and leave applications.
- **Leave and Attendance Management:** Automated systems to manage staff attendance and leave requests.
- **Student Lifecycle Management:** The platform ensures seamless data handling from student admissions to assessments and certification.
- **Academic and Examination Modules:** Digital tools to schedule, conduct, and evaluate examinations effectively.
- **Integration with National Education Policy (NEP) 2022:** Aligning school processes with the goals of NEP to improve learning outcomes.

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- **Real-time Reporting and Analytics:** Enabling data-driven decision-making through dashboards and analytics.

The Government of Goa has approved this initiative under the **Goa State Higher Education Council (GSHEC)**. To facilitate the successful implementation of this project, a dedicated **"Goa State Samarth e-Governance Project Unit"** has been established by the Chairman of GSHEC, which will oversee the project and offer technical support to all participating schools.

The following members of the **Goa State Samarth e-Governance Project Unit** (School Education Section) will be in charge of overseeing the implementation process:

1. Dr. Mahadev Gawas – Project Director (SAMARTH e-Gov Incharge)
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3. Mr. Ajay Jadhav – Project Officer
4. Mr. Gopal Dharma Prabhu – Project Officer

For implementation of the Samarth e-Governance for schools in Goa, SAMARTH e-Governance team from the Ministry of Education, Government of India, will be visiting the state in February 2025. The primary objective of this visit is to formalize the collaboration through the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between the Government of Goa and SAMARTH e-Governance Delhi, thereby laying the groundwork for the structured adoption of the Samarth platform in schools.

Following the MoU signing, the team will conduct site visits to a selected group of schools identified for the pilot phase. During these visits, the team will engage with school administrators, teachers, and other stakeholders to conduct an in-depth assessment of their existing systems, operational workflows, and key challenges. The gathered insights will help in tailoring the Samarth platform to effectively address the specific needs of schools in Goa.

Subsequently, the Samarth platform will be deployed in the selected schools. The implementation will be carried out in a structured manner, ensuring that the platform integrates seamlessly with the school's administrative and academic processes. This phase will serve as a testbed to evaluate the effectiveness of the platform in real-world conditions and refine its functionality based on feedback from the pilot schools.

Upon the successful completion of the pilot phase and a thorough assessment of its impact, the Samarth platform will be scaled up for statewide implementation across all schools in Goa. The objective is to ensure a smooth and efficient transition before the commencement of the next academic year, ultimately enhancing digital governance and administrative efficiency in the school education sector.

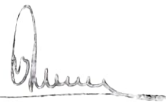
Based on the recommendation from the Project officers, we have shortlisted a few school complexes across Goa (Annexure I) placed at /C for phase-I implementation of the **Samarth e-Governance platform**. This selection underscores preparation and school's ability to lead by example and actively contribute to the successful implementation of this transformative initiative.

For successful implementation of SAMARTH e-Governance in these schools and for coordination, the selected schools may be requested to communicate directly with the office of **Goa State Samarth e-Governance Project Unit**.

This initiative will play a key role in transforming educational governance in Goa and will contribute to the state's progress toward becoming a digital hub for education. Looking forward to your cooperation in making this transformative initiative a success.

In this regard, you are kindly requested to inform the schools for coordination with SAMARTH e-Governance team.

Yours faithfully,



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Encl:- Annexure I

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