YOUTH WELFARE PROGRAMME AND DISTRICTWISE ALOCATION,
FOR THE YEAR 2015-16

1. Maintenance and Management of Youth Centre:

The following provision is earmarked for maintenance and management of District and Village Youth Centres during the year, 2015-16.

i) Subscription of Newspaper/Purchase of Library books. - Rs.450/-

ii) Honorarium for Caretakers of Youth Centres - Rs.350/-

A sum of Rs.350/- per month per Centre will be given to the Caretakers of each Village Youth Centre as Honorarium. This amount is meant for any programme/purpose which the Centre feels it necessary with regard to the functioning to the Centre. All programme of the Centres shall be organized in consultation with the District Youth Affairs & Sports Officer concerned. Bill for subscription of Newspapers/Journals shall be submitted just after completion of every month for which it was subscribed. Bill submitted after a gap of 2(two) months will not be considered for sanction.

2) Observance of Communal Harmony Week:

The Communal Harmony Week will be observed during 19-25 November, 2015. During the period, one suitable programme shall be organized in each District, Jiribam and Kangpokpi Sub-Divisions. A sum of **Rs.10,000/-**(Rupees ten thousand)only is allocated to each District, Jiribam and Kangpokpi Sub-Divisions for this one day programme.

3) Observance of National Youth Day:

The National Youth Day will be observed in all the Districts including Jiribam & Kangpokpi Sub-Divisions on **12th January, 2016 only**. Wide publicity of the programme shall be given by the DYASO concerned in both the print & electronic media.

A sum of Rs.10,000/-**(Rupees ten thousand)only is allocated to each District, Jiribam & Kangpokpi Sub-Divisions for organization of this one day programme. The District Youth Affairs & Sports Officer concerned should prepare suitable programmes.

4. Youth Festival:

The Festival will be organized at District and State Level. Detail Guidelines for the Festival will be intimated in time for submission of proposal and obtaining sanction. A sum of Rs. **30,000/-** (Rupees thirty thousand) only is earmarked for organization of District Level Youth Festival for each District. A sum of Rs. **20,000/-** (Rupees twenty thousand) only is earmarked for Jiribam and Kangpokpi Sub-Division respectively.

District Level Youth Festival are to be organized during August, 2015 and the State Level Youth Festival will be organized during October, 2015.

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5. **Youth Award:**

The young people in the country constitute a vast potential human resource which, if properly harnessed can greatly accelerate the process of National Development. Realizing the importance of optimum utilization of youth-energy in Nation Building Activities, the government of Manipur instituted the Youth Award Scheme in the State in 1986 in order to recognize/honour outstanding Youth persons and Voluntary Organizations engaged in the field of Youth work.

The Department offers the following Youth Award under the Scheme:

i) State Youth Award for Individual - Rs. 5,000/-
ii) State Youth Award for Organization - Rs.10,000/-
iii) District Youth Award for Individual - Rs. 1,000/-
iv) District Youth Award for organization - Rs. 3,000/-

6. **Inter District Youth Exchange Programme:**

In order to promote mutual understanding, friendship amongst the youths of different districts in the state and to arouse consciousness of National strength through Unity and to know more of the State, 11 (eleven) Inter-District Youth Exchange Programmes will be organized during 2015-16 between the districts indicated.

- Imphal West - Vs - Senapati
- Imphal East - Vs - Chandel
- Thoubal - Vs - Ukhrul
- Bishnupur - Vs - Tamenglong
- Jiribam Sub-Divn. - Vs - Churachandpur
- Kangpokpi Sub-Divn. - to - Bishnupur

On arrival, the visiting youth attached to different families to be identified in advance by the host DYASO concerned where they may live with the members of the family. The District Youth Affairs & Sports Officer with the CO-operation of the Youth Clubs, Youth Centre and other agencies will organize programmes which would enable the visiting youths and local youths to interact between themselves, Collect maximum information about the place visited enable the of love and friendship on their return.

(There is a provision of Rs.20,000/-only for each programme. The number of participants, Bus fare etc. may be vary from district to district according to the existing bus fare and related matters).

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7. **Inter State Youth Exchange Programme:**

This year, Inter-state youth exchange programme will be organized to the states of karnataka, Maharashtra, Gujarat, Andaman & Nicobar Island and Jammu & Kashmir with financial assistance from the Government of India. Youths from all the districts in the state will be given the opportunity to participate in these youth exchange programmes.

8. **Adventure Activities:**

The Department will conduct district level adventure awareness camps for all the districts which will include activities such as trekking, adventure water sports, rock climbing, para-saling etc. during the current year. The number of participants to be sent by each District and the date of commencement of these camps will be intimated in advance.

In addition to the above, adventure activities at basic level which will include adventure water sports such as kayaking for the youths of all the districts in the state will also be organized by the department.

9. **Youth Awareness Camp:**

The Department proposes to organize Youth Awareness Camp in related subjects/topics in all the Districts during the current year which will be participated by Youths of the Distinct for creating Awareness on the related subjects. The programmes will be organized with active cooperation of the Village Youth Centre.

10. **Youth Leadership Training:**

Under this programme, Training of Youth Leaders drawn from the Village Youth Centres shall be organized for a period of 10(ten) days for each training programme. Theses training aims at giving the organizational skills and functional tools to the Youth Leaders through whom the Youth Service Programmes of the Department can be extended to all sections of Youth. One training for each District and also for the Kangpokpi and Jiribam Sub-Divisions are allotted with a provision of the Rs.20,000/- (Rupees twenty thousand) only per course for 15(fifteen) Youths for 10(ten) Days.

11. **Second Chance Camp:**

The Department shall organize 2nd Chance Camps during the current year with central grant in order to provide a second chance to adolescents such as those who had dropped out of school system, those show had completed primary education but have relapsed illiteracy for want of follow-up, those altogether excluded from systematic education etc. All the DYASO's will be informed well in advance regarding the participants to be scheduled, duration and venue of the camp and the activities to be taken up during the camp.
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ACTION CALENDAR
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FOR THE YEAR 2015-2016

April – 2015  -  Preparation of programmes and finalization of Fund.

May – 2015  -  Adventure programme.
-  Basic Water Sports Training.

June – 2015  -  Selection and Recommendation of Youth Workers/Voluntary organizations for Youth Award by the District Youth Affairs & Sports Officers.
-  Basic Water Sports Training.

July – 2015  -  Selection of Youth Award at the State Level.
-  Youth Leadership Training.
-  Second Chance Camp.

August – 2015  -  District Level Youth Festival.
-  Youth Leadership Training.
-  Continued Second Chance Camp.

September - 2015  -  Youth Awareness Camp.

October – 2015  -  State Level Youth Festival.
-  Second Chance Camp.

November – 2015  -  Observance of Communal Harmony Week in all Districts.
-  Youth Awareness Camp.
-  Continued Chance Camp.

December – 2015  -  Adventure Programme.
-  Preparation of Manipur contingents for participation in the National Youth Festival.
-  Inter State Youth Exchange Programme.

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February – 2016  -  Adventure Programme.
-  Youth Awareness Camp.

March - 2016  -  Continued Awareness Programme.