Nomination for Members for constitution of National Institute of Disaster Management

1. In terms of Section 42(1) of the Disaster Management Act, 2005, Ministry of Home Affairs has constituted an Institution called National Institute for Disaster Management (NIDM). NIDM is responsible for planning and promoting training and research in the area of disaster management, documentation and development of national level information base relating to disaster management policies, prevention mechanisms and mitigation measures.

2. In terms of Section 42(2) of the Disaster Management Act, 2005 read with Rule 3 of the Disaster Management (National Institute of Disaster Management) Rules 2006, the National Institute of Disaster Management has been constituted with 42 members on 23.2.2007. This constitution is to be done every 2 year.

3. As per rule 2 of the Disaster Management (National Institute of Disaster Management) Rules, 2006, the Central Government shall nominate the members of the Institute, other than the *ex-officio* members in such manners as it may consider appropriate.

4. MHA is in the process of finalizing on the nominations for the Institute for other than *ex-officio* Member positions.

5. Under Rule 3(1)(xxix), two eminent persons in the field of Disaster Management, Public Administration, Information Technology, Medicine, etc. are to be nominated and under Rule 3(1)(xxxii) two Presidents or heads, by whatever name called, from non-governmental organizations which in the opinion of the Central Government are active and effective in the disaster management activities, or are capable of representing such activities, are to be nominated.

6. It is requested that nominations with (i) CV and (ii) contact details of two referees may be sent for the above mentioned four positions from the respective fields of consideration zone to the following address either by post or email, latest by 12.01.2013:

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