

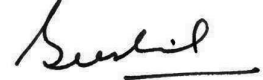
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Government of India
Ministry of Women and Child Development**

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated: 17th May, 2023

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Monthly Summary for the month of April, 2023 in respect of Ministry of Women and Child Development.

The undersigned is directed to circulate herewith a copy of the unclassified portion of the monthly summary (both in English and Hindi) pertaining to the Ministry of Women and Child Development for the month of April, 2023 for information and necessary action.



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All the Members of the Council of Ministers

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Monthly Summary Report for the month of April, 2023 in respect of Ministry of Women & Child Development

The following important activities were undertaken by our Ministry during the month of April, 2023:

1. 2nd meeting of G20 EMPOWER at Thiruvananthapuram during 5th - 6th April, 2023:

The Ministry of Women & Child Development in its role as the Nodal Ministry for G20 EMPOWER initiative organized the 2nd meeting of G20 EMPOWER during 5-6 April, 2023 at Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala in close coordination with G20 Secretariat, Ministry of External Affairs and the G20 EMPOWER Secretariat (FICCI). The meeting saw participation from delegates of 15 (Fifteen) G20/ Guest Countries and 6 (six) International Organizations.

2. 2nd meeting of Women 20 at Jaipur during 13th - 14th April, 2023:

The Ministry, in its role as the Nodal Ministry for the Women 20 Engagement Group, participated in the 2nd meeting of Women 20 organized by Women 20 Secretariat with support from this Ministry. The meeting saw participation from delegates of 18 (eighteen) G20/ Guest Countries and 5 (five) International Organizations.

3. Meeting with the States/UTs to discuss pending issues:

Hon'ble Minister chaired review meetings with States/UTs on 20th April and 24th April, 2023 (through video conferencing) on pending issues and to accelerate implementation of the three Missions viz. Mission Saksham Anganwadi and Poshan 2.0, Mission Vatsalya and Mission Shakti. State Ministers of WCD/Social Welfare/ Administrators of UTs participated in the meetings along with their Principal Secretaries/Secretaries.

4. Gazette Notification of Mission Saksham Anganwadi and Poshan 2.0 and Mission Vatsalya under Aadhar Act

Mission Saksham Anganwadi and Poshan 2.0 and Mission Vatsalya of the Ministry were notified in the Gazette on 10th April and 11th April 2023 respectively under Section 7 of the Aadhar Act.

5. Approval of Cabinet for rationalization and closure of three autonomous bodies of the Ministry

The Cabinet in its meeting held on 06.04.2023 has approved the proposal of the Ministry for Rationalization and closure of Food and Nutrition Board (FNB), Rashtriya Mahila Kosh (RMK) and Central Social Welfare Board (CSWB).

6. Celebration of Children Sports Festival under AKAM

Ministry organized 'Children Sports Festival' in convergence with other Ministries for children living in Child Care Institutions as well as for children/students of schools of all Boards (CBSE/ICSE/State School Boards etc.) across the country during the period 17 to 28, April, 2023 in all States/UTs as a part of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahostav. In addition to various sports events organized for children, indigenous sports and Yoga was also organized. State /District Level Sports Personalities were invited to inspire the children to showcase their talent.
