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Ministry of Women & Child Development

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Sansad Marg, New Delhi  
Dated: 12<sup>th</sup> April, 2024

To,

The Administrative Secretaries  
Department of Women & Child Development/ Social Welfare  
All States/ UTs

**Subject: Operating 2 SNA accounts for Palna - reg.**

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to refer the above subject and to state that it has been observed during the last financial year that a single SNA is being maintained by the States/ UTs for AWCCs and Standalone Crèches.

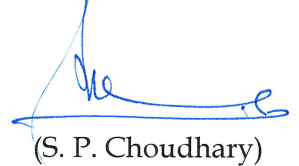
2. A number of issues are faced while releasing funds for pending liabilities as well as operationalizing of AWCCs in the same SNA. These issues may further increase, as this year in addition to the pending liabilities and funds for operationalization of new AWCCs, the recurring funds for already existing AWCCs will need to be released.

3. It is accordingly informed to all the States/ UTs, where pending liabilities still exist, that it is mandatory to **maintain 2 separate SNA accounts, one each for Standalone Crèches and AWCCs**. The prospective date for opening of the separate SNA may be communicated to this Ministry.

4. This issues with the approval of competent authority.

With regards,

Yours sincerely



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