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Subject: Request for the Establishment of National Service Scheme (NSS) Units in Universities-reg.

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As you are aware, the National Service Scheme (NSS), launched in 1969 under the aegis of the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, has remained a cornerstone initiative aimed at fostering youth engagement in community service, leadership, and social responsibility. Through participation in NSS activities, students acquire invaluable life skills and develop a strong sense of civic duty and commitment to nation-building.

At present, NSS has an active volunteer base of approximately 39 lakh students across the country. In line with the Ministry's vision to enhance the reach and impact of the Scheme, a target has been set to enroll an additional 25 lakh volunteers during the year 2025-26. Currently, NSS Units are operational in 594 universities across India, providing a structured platform for student engagement in social development initiatives.

In view of this, the support of universities is solicited for facilitating the establishment of NSS Units in institutions where such units are not yet in place. This would enable students in these universities to benefit from the opportunities offered by NSS and actively contribute to community development and nation-building efforts.

All universities are kindly requested to extend their cooperation and continued support in strengthening the outreach and effectiveness of the National Service Scheme.

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