

# होमी भाभा राष्ट्रीय संस्थान

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20th May, 2025

To

The Under Secretary (Scholarship), Ministry of Education, Dept. of Higher Education, Scholarship Division, Wing-6, West Block-1, R.K. Puram, New Delhi-110 066.

Sir,

Sub.: Submission of the Details of the Institution Nodal Officer (INO) for PM-Vidyalaxmi Portal – reg.

Please refer to the communication ref.No. F.No. 39-1/2025-CSIS, dated 08-05-2025 on the above-mentioned subject.

In this regard, the Competent Authority has nominated Prof. Madhumita Goswami, Associate Dean, HBNI as Institute Nodal Officer (INO), for PM-Vidyalaxmi Portal, for HBNI, Mumbai.

The details of Prof. Madhumita Goswami, are given below:

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Yours faithfully,

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Copy to: Prof. Madhumita Goswami, Associate Dean, HBNI Copy to: IT Cell, HBNI – for uploading in the HBNI website

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Wing-6, West Block-1, R.K. Puram, New Delhi-110066 Dated: 28th April, 2025

#### OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: - Record of discussion of the meeting held on 26.03.2025 at 11 AM regarding implementation of PM-Vidyalaxmi Scheme in 860 Quality Higher Education Institutions (QHEIs) -reg.

The undersigned is directed to forward herewith Record of discussion of the meeting held on 26.03.2025 via virtual mode at 11 AM under the Chairmanship of Chairman, UGC regarding implementation of PM-Vidyalaxmi Scheme in 860 Quality Higher Education Institutions (QHEIs), for information and necessary action.

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(Sangeet Kumar)

Under Secretary (Scholarship)

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To

1. Directors/Vice Chancellors of QHEIs (as per the list)

2. Shri Sanjay Srivastava, Senior Advisor, IBA with a request to circulate it to all the member banks participating in the scheme.

### Ministry of Education (Dept. of Higher Education: Scholarships)

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# University Grants Commission Minutes of the Meeting with the Quality HEIs

Theme: Implementation of Pradhan Mantri Vidyalaxmi Scheme

Date : 26.03.2025 Mode : Virtual

Time: 11.00 am onwards

A virtual meeting with the 860 Quality Higher Educational Institutions eligible for PM-Vidyalaxmi Scheme was held to orient them about the scheme and its implementation. The meeting was organized under the Chairmanship of the Hon'ble Chairman, UGC wherein Shri P.K. Banerjee, Joint Secretary (Mgt & MC & Scholarship), Department of Higher Education, MoE. The QHEIs were attended by respective Vice Chancellor, Registrars, and Deans along with Bank staff of their campuses. Dr. Avichal Kapur, JS, Smt. Beena Menon, US and Dr. Amit Kumar Verma, EO from UGC were also present in the meeting.

Secretary, UGC welcomed the participants and invited the Hon'ble Chairman, UGC to orient the participants about the PM-Vidyalaxmi Scheme. The Chairman, UGC emphasised the scheme which offers collateral and guarantor free loan would enable meritorious students to pursue Under Graduate/Post Graduate/Diploma courses without financial constraints.

Thereafter, Shri P.K. Banerjee shared the key insights of the scheme through a presentation and shared the details of the interest subvention benefits to the students. He shared examples, of the process of availing the Scheme and interest subvention benefits. He informed that a portal and an application is available for the same. Shri Banerjee, then, invited representative from Canara Bank, the Nodal bank for this scheme, to orient the participants. The representatives from bank shared the details and oriented the participants about the PM Vidyalaxmi portal. The bank officials gave a demo of the portal and shared that a dedicated

call centre and toll-free helpline has also been established to resolve concerns and queries of the students.

Thereafter, the participants shared their queries related to the benefits, eligibility criteria, responsibilities of the QHEI, etc. These queries were addressed by the Sh. Banerjee.

The following points were decided during the meeting:

- 1. The QHEIs would actively promote the scheme through their website/admission brochure. The QHEIs are also requested to include one paragraph in the admission offer letter issued from forthcoming academic session of 2025 about availability of PM-Vidyalaxmi collateral-free guarantor-free education loan for all students who are getting merit based admission in their institution.
- 2. Events may be organized in the QHEIs to orient and familiarise students with the Scheme.
- 3. The banks present in the campuses of QHEIs would also organize camps/kiosks during the admissions in the upcoming academic session to increase outreach and provide guidance to the students regarding the Scheme.
- 4. Canara Bank will include the facility of login for each QHEI on the PM Vidyalaxmi portal. The QHEI would designate a regular employee as Nodal officer for PM-Vidyalaxmi so that the nodal officer can help the students to avail the benefit and coordinate between the student and resident bank branch regarding necessary information, issuing necessary certificates to students, etc. The head of the QHEI shall send details of the nodal officer (name, designation, mobile no and email ID) to UGC and Scholarship Division of MoE for onward transmission to Canara Bank and creation of login lds and passwords for QHEI nodal officers. The regular

employee designated as nodal officer for the National Scholarships Portal may be given preference.

- 5. The queries received from the participants will be shared with the MoE, DHE in order to formulate FAQs regarding the scheme.
- 6. Both the presentations presented during the virtual meeting will be shared by UGC with all the participants.

The concluding remarks were given by Dr. Amit Kumar Verma, Education Officer, UGC and the meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.