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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Education**  
**Department of Higher Education**  
**(PN.II Section)**

Shastri Bhawan New Delhi,  
Dated 4<sup>th</sup> September, 2025

**CIRCULAR**

**Subject:** - Reminder : Appeal for filing up of Questionnaires on Official Website of the National Task Force constituted pursuant to Supreme Court Judgment in Criminal Appeal No. 1425/2025 @ SLP (Crl) No. 13324/2024 title Amit Kumar & Ors. Vs. Union of India & Ors. -reg.

This has reference to this department's Circular of even no. dated 25.08.2025 regarding filling up of Questionnaires on Official Website of the National Task Force constituted pursuant to Supreme Court Judgment in Criminal Appeal No. 1425/2025 @ SLP (Crl) No. 13324/2024 title Amit Kumar & Ors. Vs. Union of India & Ors.

The National Task Force on Student Mental Health and Suicide Prevention in Institutes of Higher Education, has launched a series of surveys on its official website <https://ntf.education.gov.in/> to gather crucial inputs from stakeholders i.e. students, parents, faculty members and institutions.

As the Task Force is preparing to submit its interim report by September 2025, it is imperative that all relevant data from higher education institutions be collected in a timely manner.

This is to again request you to urgently notify all higher education institutions under your jurisdiction to treat this matter with utmost priority and ensure that the National Task Force (NTF) Institute Surveys are submitted **by 12<sup>th</sup> September 2025 positively**. Institutions are also strongly encouraged to widely disseminate information about the surveys to all the stakeholders.

Thank you for your cooperation.

**Encl: As above.**

**(Rina Sonowal Kouli)**

**Joint Secretary to the Government of India**

**To**

1. Secretary, UGC
2. Member Secretary, AICTE
3. Secretary, National Medical Commission
4. Registrar-cum-Secretary, Pharmacy Council of India
5. Secretary, Dental Council of India
6. Secretary, Indian Nursing Council
7. Secretary, Bar Council of India
8. Member Secretary, National Council for Teacher Education
9. Secretary (DARE) & DG (ICAR)
10. Member Secretary, Rehabilitation Council of India
11. Registrar, Council of Architecture
12. Secretary, Central Council of Indian Medicine (CCIM)

Copy to:

- (i) All Higher Education Institutions through respective Ministries/Departments.
- (ii) All nominated Nodal Officers from States/UTs -with request to follow-up with respective Institutions under their Administrative Control.