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Directorate of School Education
Himachal Pradesh

Dated: Shimla-171001 the February, 2026

To

All the Deputy Directors of School Education (Elementary/Secondary)
Himachal Pradesh


Subject:- Regarding National Disaster Response (NDRF).

Sir;

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of D.O. NO.17018/Trg/hqndrf/2025/356 17018/Trg/HQNDRF/2025/356 dated 27th January, 2026 received from the National Disaster Response Force, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi through the Secretary (Education) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh Shimla vide letter No. EDN-B-GA (17) -2/2025 dated 4th February, 2026, on the subject cited above.

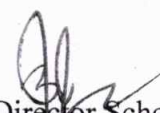
In this context, it is intimated that NDRF has developed and uploaded 25 disaster related videos in English, Hindi and 11 regional languages on its official website. These videos provide essential guidance on disaster awareness and response. Web link to access these videos is <https://www.ndrf.gov.in/en/disaster-awareness-e-content>.

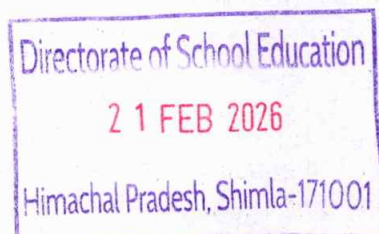
You are therefore directed to issue necessary instructions to all the heads of Educational Institutions under your control and also ensure that teachers and staff encourage and promote active participation of students in this awareness initiative.


Addl. Director School Education
Himachal Pradesh
February, 2026

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Copy for information and necessary action to:-

1. The National Disaster Response Force, Ministry of Home Affairs, 6th Floor NDCC-II Building Jai Singh Road, New Delhi -110001.
2. The Secretary (Education) to the, Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-2.
3. The Secretary, Himachal Pradesh Board of School Education, Dharamshala, Kangra-176213, for similar action please.
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5. Guard file.


Addl. Director School Education
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No.EDN-B-GA(17)-2/2025
Government of Himachal Pradesh
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From The Secretary (Education) to the,
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To The Director School Education,
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171001

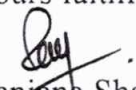
Dated: Shimla - 171002. 04-02-2026

Subject: - Rgeading National Disaster Response Force (NDRF).

Sir,
I am directed to enclose herewith a photocopy of D.O. letter No. 17018/Trg/HQNDRF/2025/356 dated 27.01.2026, received from the Director General, National Disaster Response Force, Ministry of Home Affairs, 6th Floor NDCC-II Building Jain Singh Road, New Delhi, on the subject cited above and to request you to take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

Ms Rishi
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Yours faithfully,



(Ranjana Sharma)

Under Secretary (Education) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh

Encl. As above.

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Dated: 27 Jan, 2026

Dear Sir / Madam,

The National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) is a specialized Force in India, tasked with responding to both natural and man-made disasters. One of its key initiatives is the School Safety Programme (SSP), a Nation-wide effort to make schools disaster-resilient. The programme focuses on awareness, training, mock drills, and preparedness for students, teachers, and staff.

2. Given that many schools in India are in disaster-prone areas and often lack adequate preparedness, and considering the limitations of the NDRF in covering every school, there is a pressing need to reach out to every school in India with a view to promoting a culture of safety among students and teachers against disasters. The SSP helps to build capacity of school children to respond to disasters, reducing casualties and damages during emergencies.

3. NDRF has also worked extensively to educate people about various disasters and how to deal with them. NDRF has developed and uploaded 25 disaster related videos in English, Hindi and 11 regional languages on its official website. These videos provide essential guidance on disaster awareness and response. Web link to access these videos is <https://www.ndrf.gov.in/en/disaster-awareness-e-content>.

4. It is requested that the education department in your state may direct all the schools to upload these videos on their website (if they have a website) and the website of the State Education Board's and directions may be issued to the schools under jurisdiction of these Boards to circulate and use these videos so that all the students have a good exposure to the different disaster scenarios. Teachers and staff may be requested to encourage and promote active participation of students in this exercise.

5. This initiative will significantly contribute to improving awareness about disasters and improve the response to disaster scenarios by children and community.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

Piyush Anand

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Chief Secretaries of All States/UTs