No. EDN(SE)-H(10)F(4)11/2026-Awards
Directorate of School Education
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1

Dated the Shimla-1 October, 2026

To

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

Subject: - **Regarding inviting nominations for State Level Awards i.e. Civil Service Award/Prerna Strot Samman/Himachal Gaurav Purskar – 2027.**

Sir

Please find enclosed herewith a photocopy of letter No. GAD-B(F)4-1/2026, dated 09th October, 2026 received from the Secretary (GAD) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh on the subject cited above.

In this context, it is intimated that three State Level Awards, namely State Civil Services Award, Prerna Srot Samman and Himachal Gaurav Purskar are conferred on the occasion of Himachal Day i.e. 15th April every year. The recommendations are required to be send to this office in prescribed proforma alongwith a brief write-up (citation) in Hindi (Maximum two pages), in precise form clearly bringing out the distinguished and exceptional achievements/services justifying the recommendation for consideration of the State Level Committee to scrutinize the nominations for State Level Awards – 2027.

You are, therefore, directed to forward the nominations/recommendations of eligible persons/organizations for these awards to this office, as per the prevailing practice, after due scrutiny at your own level, so as to reach this office positively by **30th November, 2026**. This will enable this office to forward the nominations/recommendations to the Government by **31st December, 2026**, thereby facilitating their broad-based consideration. ***It must be ensured that only the relevant documents required under the prescribed proforma are enclosed with the nominations/recommendations submitted to this office.***

The schemes, alongwith the prescribed proforma for submission of nominations are available on the departmental website at ***himachal.nic.in/gad***.

Encls: As above.

Director
School Education, H.P.

Endst. No. even the dated Shimla-1 August, 2026
Copy forwarded to:

1. The Secretary (GAD) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh w.r.t. above referred letter, dated 09th October, 2026 for information, please.
2. The Nodal Officer (IT Cell) with direction to upload the same on the departmental website and also emailed to all concerned.
3. Guard File.

Directorate of School Education
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Director
School Education, H.P.

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No. GAD-B(F)4-1/2026
Government of Himachal Pradesh
General Administration Department

From

Secretary (GAD) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

To

1. All Administrative Secretaries
   to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.
2. All Heads of Departments in Himachal Pradesh.
3. All Deputy Commissioners in Himachal Pradesh.

Dated: Shimla-2, the 09th October, 2026

Subject: **Regarding inviting nominations for State Level Awards i.e. Civil Service Award/Prerna Strot Samman/Himachal Gaurav Purskar-2027.**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the subject cited above and to say that three State Level Awards namely State Civil Services Award, Prerna Srot Samaan and Himachal Gaurav Purskar are conferred on the occasion of Himachal Day i.e. 15th April every year. These awards are based on various recommendations received in this office through your Department and other channels.

It is therefore requested to send nominations/recommendations for these awards to this office as per prevailing practice so as to reach this office by the 31st December, 2026 positively to enable broad base consideration. The recommendations are required to be sent to this office in Prescribed Proforma alongwith a brief write-up **(citation) in Hindi (Maximum two pages)**, in precise form clearly bringing out the distinguished and exceptional achievements/services justifying the recommendation for consideration of the State Level Committee to scrutinize the nominations for State Level Awards-2027.

You are also requested to ensure that **while making recommendations only relevant papers required under the prescribed forms may be sent to this office. The last date for receipt of nominations/recommendations in GAD is 31st December, 2026.**

The cut off date may strictly be adhered to. It would not be possible to consider recommendations received after cut off date.

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Dr Rohit
15/X/26
Subdt (General)

The schemes alongwith prescribed proforma for sending nomination are available on the departmental website at himachal.nic.in/gad.

Kindly send recommendation(s)/ nomination(s) of eligible person(s)/organization(s) in prescribed proforma after due scrutiny at your level well **before 31st December, 2026.**

Yours faithfully,

(Promila Sharma)
Under Secretary (GAD) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh
Contact No. 0177-2880848

Endst. No. GAD-B(F)4-1/2026 Dated: Shimla-2, the 09th October, 2026

Copy forwarded to:-

1. The Director, Public Relations, HP, Shimla-2 with the request that wide publicity be made through electronic and print media.
2. The Sr. Tech. Director & SIO, NIC, HP Sectt., Shimla-2 with the request to upload the above information on the Govt. website.

(Promila Sharma)
Under Secretary (GAD) to the
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