Annexure I

Guidelines for Awards under for the Year 2015-16 under National Young Leaders Programme (NYLP)

The Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, Govt. of India has instituted **Special Awards for NSS Units** under **National Young Leaders Programme (NYLP)** wherein the NSS Volunteers are encouraged to do additional 100 hrs excluding 120 hrs of Regular Activities in Shramdhan activities (Voluntary Manual Labour).

The objective of NYLP is to channelize the Youth energy towards Nation building activities. These voluntary activities will indeed help NSS Volunteers to develop their personality and leadership qualities and promote the spirit of dignity of labour.

The Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports has enlisted the following activities in order to devote additional 100 hrs of Voluntary Manual Labour by the NSS Unit. The NSS Unit under the ShramdhanProgramme, can take up any of the following activities which is useful to the Local Area/Adopted Village/Slum or Community.

LIST OF SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES UNDER NYLP PROGRAMME

- a) Digging, maintenance, disinfection, de-silting, de-weeding and repair of Water bodies cleaning and de -weeding of Rivers, Lakes, Tals, Boulis, Tanks, Wells etc.
- b) Removal of Parthenium (GaajarGhas), Lantana and water Hyacinth (these plants are a threat to the environment and water bodies; Parthenium (GaajarGhas) is also a health hazard).
- c) Constructions of water tanks/Ponds ground water recharging purpose.
- d) Plantation of saplings to stop soil erosion, development of Village pasturelands, re-cooping of bunjar/unfertile lands.
- e) Cleaning and repair of Village drainage system disposal of garbage in order to generate environment friendly manure.
- f) Cleaning of Village Streets and open spaces, collection and disposal of polythene bags and plastic waste for disposal.
- g) Constructions/repair of Village roads. Small connecting bridges and small water harvesting bodies.

- h) Cleaning, white-washing/painting, repair/maintenance of School buildings gram panchayats, Primary Health Center, Anganwadi's places of worship and other public buildings.
- i) Development and maintenance of Play Ground, Cleaning of Schools, College Campus etc.
- j) Assisting in constructions of soak-pits, for the needy people maintenance of School/Community toilets etc.
- k) Preservation/Cleaning/maintenance of heritage sites.

Each NSS Unit in their adopted Village would undertake minimum of additional 100 hrs of Shramdhan in a year. These additional 100 hrs can be spent either 2-3 hrs on a Non - working day i.e. Saturday/ Sunday or during lean working days or holidays. A Shramdhan at any day should not be less than 2 hrs a day. Each programme, a minimum of 50 – 100 NSS Volunteers would participate in the above mentioned voluntary Labour activities.

AWARDS:

Each interested NSS Unit who have contributed additional 100 hrsShramdhan in addition to 120 hrs of NSS Regular Activities can apply for the Awards at the University Level and the NSS Units of School/Polytechnic Colleges who have successfully completed additional 100 hrsShramdhan can apply for Awards at the Directorate level. The Awards consists of Cash Prize and a Certificate for the best NSS Units.

THE PRIZES:

The University/Directorates will be given Awards as per the table given below. The University/Directorate would Utilise the Award Money in Community Development Projects and for developing infrastructure at the University and Directorates.

SI. No.	No. of NSS Units at University/ Directorate Level	No. of Awards
1.	10 – 19	One Award (1 st Prize) Rs.25,000/- Cash Prize & Certificate
2.	20 – 49	Two Awards Rs.30,000/- (1st Prize) Cash Prize & Certificate

		Rs.25,000/- (2 nd Prize) Cash Prize & Certificate
3.	50 -99	Three Awards
		Rs.35,000/- (1 st Prize) Cash Prize & Certificate Rs.30,000/- (2 nd Prize) Cash Prize & Certificate Rs.25,000/- (3 rd Prize) Cash Prize & Certificate
4.	100 -199	Four Awards
		Rs.40,000/- (1 st Prize) Cash Prize & Certificate Rs.35,000/- (2 nd Prize)Cash Prize & Certificate
		Rs.30,000/- (3 rd Prize) Cash Prize & Certificate Rs.25,000/- (4 th Prize) Cash Prize & Certificate
5.	200 g above	Five Awards
5.	200 & above	Rs.50,000/- (1 st Prize) Cash Prize & Certificate Rs.40,000/- (2 nd Prize)Cash Prize & Certificate Rs.35,000/- (3 rd Prize) Cash Prize & Certificate Rs.30,000/- (4 th Prize) Cash Prize & Certificate Rs.25,000/- (5 th Prize) Cash Prize & Certificate

NYLP AWARD COMMITTEE:

1). University Level:

Registrar - Chairman
Regional Director of NSS - Member
State NSS Officer - Member
Dean of Student Welfare - Member
Eminent Social Worker - Member

Programme Coordinator, NSS - Member Secretary

2). Directorate Level:

Director/his Nominee - Chairman
Regional Director of NSS - Member
State NSS Officer - Member
Eminent Social Worker - Member

Programme Coordinator, NSS - Member Secretary