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Government of India
Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship

PTI Building
Sansad Marg, New Delhi-110 001
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Constitution of Committee on Credit Framework

The undersigned is directed to say that the Government of India has approved constitution of a High-Level Committee to develop a Unified Credit Accumulation & Transfer Framework for both Vocational and General Education. The Credit Framework System would enable integration of academic and vocational domain /component of learning and ensure flexibility and mobility between the two.

Composition: -

2. The composition of the Committee shall be as follows:

i	Dr. Nirmaljeet Singh Kalsi, Chairperson, NCVET	Chairman
ii	Shri Atul Kumar Tiwari, Addl Secretary, MSDE	Member
iii	Smt Neelam Shammi Rao, AS & DG, DGT, MSDE	Member
iv	Shri Maneesh Garg, Joint Secretary, D/o School Education & Literacy, M/o Education	Member
v	Shri Manoj Ahuja, Chairman CBSE	Member
vi	Dr Sridhar Srivastava Director, NCERT	Member
vii	Ms. Saroj Sharma, Chairperson, NIOS	Member
viii	Prof. MP Poonia, Vice- Chairman, AICTE	Member
ix	Prof. Rajesh Jain, Secretary, UGC	Member
x	Dr. Biswajit Saha, Director (Training & Skill Education), CBSE	Member-Secretary

Terms of Reference

3. The Terms of Reference for the Committee shall be as under:-
 - i. Assign credit value to academic and skill courses taught at various levels (School education, Higher Education, skilling ecosystem, distance/blended learning, etc.).
 - ii. Identify ways of Credit Accumulation (for Vocational education, School education and Higher education).
 - iii. Propose Credit Transfer Model for:
 - Vocational and School Education and vice-versa
 - Vocational and Higher Education and vice-versa
 - iv. Establish academic equivalence between Vocational and General Education at all levels.
 - v. Develop the unified credit framework for integration of vocational education into school and higher education in line with the National Education Policy 2020 to enable vertical and horizontal mobility between education and skilling.
 - vi. Identify the mechanism for accumulation and storage of credits through a Credit Bank.
 - vii. Any other matter relating to the development and functioning of the unified credit framework.
4. The Committee may invite experts or any additional members to provide inputs as per the requirements of the Terms of Reference.
5. The Committee will submit its report within two months.
6. These issues with the approval of the competent authority.



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Copy to:-

- (i) Chairman and Members of the Committee as above.
- (ii) Secretary, DoSEL / Secretary, DHE, M/o Education
- (iii) Chairperson, AICTE/CBSE/NCERT/NCVET/NIOS/UGC
- (iv) PS to Hon'ble Minister of SDE / PS to MOS (SDE)
- (v) Web-Manager, NIC, MSDE