Annexure II

CC CSCSPV/MHRD/20/01 Dated 20/07/2020 To, Ms. Anita Karwal, I.A.S Secretary Department of School Education & Literacy Ministry of HRD, Government of India New Delhi Subject: Collaboration between DSEL & CSCs

Dear Madam,

Kindly refer to D.O. letter No. 1-53/2020-KT dated 17th July 2020 regarding the subject mentioned above. CSCs would be very happy to support the students of various schools across the country in attending to online classes

2. As you are aware, CSC e-Governance Services India Limited (CSC SPV) is a Special Purpose Vehicle established to monitor the implementation of the Common Services Centres (CSC) Scheme. The CSCs under the scheme are run by Village Level Entrepreneurs (VLEs) who are dependent on payment received in lieu of services provided to the citizens either by the citizen or from Governmet or service provider. The capital cost and operating cost is borne by the VLE for the CSC Centre. All these CSC have the basic computing infrastructure and internet to facilitate the students attend to online classes. CSCs as learning centres for children who have no or limited access to digital devices, can be used across the country. Some incentive from the Ministry to every CSC supporting the students will make the CSC learning centres sustainable.

3. Similarly with respect to telecast of Swayam Prabha programme at the CSC centre for the benefit of interested learners from the community, most of the CSC will be keen to support the children. In case the CSC centre does not have a television set or Free Dish for viewing DTH channels, Ministry may consider to support in procuring the same as contribution for continuous learning.

4. CSCs may allow the learners to access the internet & email free of cost. However, CSCs may levy charges (as applicable) for use of Printing and photocopyof assignments, worksheets, workbooks etc. by the learners.

5. We would like to submit that CSCs follow all norms of social distancing, health and hygiene. We have circulated SOPs for Covid-19 to all CSCs. We look forward to your kind support and guidance for successful implementation of the aforesaid convergence.

With warm regards

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely

for CSC e-Governance Services India Ltd

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