To,

The Mission Directors (DAY-NULM)
All States/UTs

Subject: Regarding compliance of operational guidelines for payment to Skill Training Providers (STPs) under EST&P Component of DAY-NULM.

Madam/Sir,

It has been informed that a few states/UTs are not releasing payment to the Training Partners (TPs) as per the prescribed procedure in the operational guidelines of Employment through Skill Training & Placement (EST&P) component. The prescribed procedure requires 1st, 2nd and 3rd installments of 30%, 50% and 20% to be released on completion of specified milestones (please refer to Clause 3A of the EST&P guidelines). States may adopt different procedures for releasing payments to TPs for their own skill training programmes and not for those being funded under EST&P component.

2. It is, therefore, emphasised that in so far as the skill training under DAY-NULM is concerned, the States/UTs should strictly adhere to the prescribed fund flow mechanism under the EST&P guidelines. It is also requested to review the pending payments to the TPs to ensure disposal within next one month.

Yours faithfully,

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