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Government of India  
Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment  
Department of Social Justice and Empowerment  
(Drug Prevention Division)

Room No. 622-A, Shastri Bhawan,  
New Delhi, Dated 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2025

### OFFICE MEMORANDUM

**Subject: Notice inviting application in respect of Garima Greh project under SMILE Scheme-reg.**

In continuation of O.M. dated 30.04.2025, the undersigned is directed to refer to the subject mentioned above and to say that e-Anudaan portal may be remained open for submitting applications for setting up of Garima Greh in Gap States/UTs under SMILE Scheme by 30 June, 2025.

3. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

Digitally signed by  
Ankit Srivastava

Date: 06/06/2025  
(Ankit Srivastava)

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To

The Head of the Department  
NIC, DoSJE, New Delhi.

Copy to:

- i. PPS to Secretary, DoSJE
- ii. PS to JS(SD)
- iii. PS to JS&FA
- iv. Sh. Manjit Kumar, Deputy Director (NIC), DoSJE with request to upload on notice board of e-Anudaan portal.

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**NOTICE INVITING APPLICATIONS**

Applications are invited from the eligible CBOs/NGOs/Trusts/Charitable institutions etc. on this Ministry's e-Anudaan portal (<https://grants-msje.gov.in/>) for Garima Greh projects under SMILE Scheme as shelter home for 25 Transgender Beneficiaries in the Gap States/UTs across the country. Tentative list of such Gap States/UTs are at Annexure.

2. The detailed eligibility criteria, quantum and conditions of assistance etc. have been described in Garima Greh guidelines under SMILE Scheme which has already been uploaded on the website of the Ministry.

3. Applicant organizations are requested to kindly go through different provisions of the scheme guideline thoroughly before applying. The Organization / Implementing agency should have been registered for at least two years, and have had at least two years' experience in the social sector at the time of applying for grant under the scheme.

4. Eligible organizations are required to apply through e-Anudaan portal ONLY (<https://grants-msje.gov.in/ngo-login>). Applications received through any other mode will not be considered. Department of Social Justice and Empowerment (DoSJE) reserves the right to cancel this notice, and/or invite fresh proposals with or without amendments to this document without liability and without assigning any reason. DoSJE reserves the right to take final decision regarding selection of implementing agency or project.

5. The applications from the organizations for the gap States/UTs shall be accepted from 1 May 2025 to 31st May, 2025.

6. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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Date: 30-04-2025  
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Copy to: - NIC division with a request to open the portal from 1st May 2025 for new projects of Garima Greh for FY 2025-26.

### **Tentative list of Gap States/UTs for Garima Greh projects under SMILE Scheme**

Sl. No.	Name of State/UT
1.	Arunachal Pradesh
2.	Chandigarh
3.	Daman & Diu and Dadra & Nagar Haveli
4.	Haryana
5.	Goa
6.	Himachal Pradesh
7.	Jammu and Kashmir
8.	Kerala
9.	Ladakh
10.	Lakshyadweep
11.	Meghalaya
12.	Mizoram
13.	Nagaland
14.	Puducherry
15.	Sikkim
16.	Telangana
17.	Tripura
18.	Uttarakhand