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Dear Sir / Madam,

As you may be aware that the Ministry of Women and Child Development is implementing a Centrally Sponsored Integrated Child Protection Scheme (ICPS) from 2009-10 for the welfare and rehabilitation of children in difficult circumstances. All States/UTs have signed the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the Ministry for implementation of the Scheme. The revision of financial norms under ICPS was under consideration of the Ministry.

2. I would like to inform you that the revised financial norms for implementation of ICPS have been approved by the Competent Authority. I would like to share the revised ICPS Scheme document indicating the revised financial norms for different components of the Scheme. The revised financial norms would be applicable from 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2014.

3. I would, therefore, request you to prepare your financial proposal for the year 2014-15 under ICPS on the basis of the revised financial norms (copy of the revised ICPS Scheme document indicating the revised financial norms is enclosed). Detailed revised Scheme document is also available on the Ministry's website i.e. [www.wcd.nic.in](http://www.wcd.nic.in).

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

  
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To  
All States/UT Administrations