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Subject: Holding of Legal Awareness Programme

Dear Shri Yogesh Mehta,

Kindly refer to your communication No F.No-16(191)2008-NCW(LAP) dated 24 November 2008 on the subject cited above. The date in your communication has been erroneously recorded as 24 th December, and my name as Narvesh instead of the correct name Sarvesh. Kindly make suitable corrections in your record.

On the asking of the Member Secretary of NCW, I had personally motivated the Deputy Commissioners in the State to send proposals to organize Legal Awareness Camps. Accordingly proposals were sent for many districts. However, approval has been received only for 2 Legal Awareness Camps. Now that the field officers are quite motivated to do the job, I would reiterate the need to approve all the proposals from Punjab since only a meager amount of Rs. 30,000/- grant per camp is involved.

I would also suggest that being a meager grant, full amount of grant should be released to the Deputy Commissioner of the District, and a utilization certificate from the Deputy Commissioner should be considered enough for the record of the Commission. Rendering the grant release process cumbersome and introducing a chartered accountant for audit / providing UC, I am afraid, may prove a de-motivating factor.

I shall be grateful for a re-consideration of the matter on the above lines. Further action in the matter will be taken on receipt of a reply to my submission.

With regards

Yours sincerely,

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A copy of the above is sent to Ms. Yasmin Abrar, Member, National Commission for Women, for kind information.

Sd/-
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