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To
The Principals / Programme Officers of all the institutions having NSS units.

Sub:-Information regarding innovative NSS activities for the year 2016-17.

Madam / Sir,

It is my pleasure to inform you that this year the NSS Bureau, CHSE,Odisha, Bhubaneswar, has taken necessary steps to strengthen NSS in the field of community service and to orient NSS volunteers to eradicate the unemployment problem which breaks the spirit of youth towards Nation Building.

1) Now a days not only in the State of Odisha, but the rest of India is fighting against Water Crises due to severe Heat Wave. It is high time to create awareness among the citizens of Odisha through NSS volunteers for Massive Plantation, Water Conservation and Rain Water Harvesting to over come the acute crises. Therefore, the following Govt. Departments/ agencies may be contacted for technical and logistic support.

a) **For Massive Plantation:**

From this year the NSS Bureau in collaboration with the Samaja, Cuttack & PRENANA, NGO has taken steps for massive plantation. Please contact the village head, Revenue Inspector, Tahasildar in your area and find out the Govt / Private land for Massive Plantation and contact the local Forester, Ranger, DFO, ACCF / PCCF, Aryan Bhawan, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar-751023, telephone-0674-200853, Fax-0674-2300049, e-mail-pccfodisha@gmail.com for technical and logistic support.

The PCCF, Odisha have been contacted by this Bureau earlier and he has given his kind consent to provide seeds, saplings and other logistic and technical support for plantation.

b) **For Water Conservation:** Please contact your local Integrated Watershed Management Project. Director / Engineer or Director, Odisha Watershed Development Mission, near OUAT, Hostel-9, Siripur, Bhubaneswar-751003, [e-mail-general@ Orissawatershed.org](mailto:e-mail-general@Orissawatershed.org) to provide technical and logistic support at their own cost to create integrated watershed project for water conservation. Please findout the areas with help of locat people where the project will be successful and inform to OWDM to check the running water.

