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Ministry of Education,
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All Head of Agencies in the Health Sector

All Head of Agencies in the Education Sector

CIRCULAR FOR THE ADOPTION OF WORK PLAN GUIDELINES FOR BASIC EDUCATION AND PRIMARY HEALTHCARE IN NIGER STATE

In our continuous effort to enhance the quality and effectiveness of basic education and primary health care services, we are pleased to announce the adoption of comprehensive budget guidelines designed to provide a coherent framework for planning and resource allocation in these critical sectors.

Rationale for the Guidelines

The primary objective of these budget guidelines is to ensure that both the education and health sectors align their financial planning with State development priorities, ultimately leading to improved outcomes. By adopting a unified approach, we aim to facilitate:

- a. **Enhanced Resource Allocation:** Strategic distribution of funds to ensure that the most pressing needs in basic education and primary health care are prioritized.
- b. **Improved Accountability:** Establishing clear benchmarks and performance indicators to monitor the effective use of resources.
- c. **Coordinated Planning:** Encouraging collaboration between the ministries to address overlapping challenges and maximize the impact of interventions.

Implementation Steps

We request both ministries to:

1. Review and integrate these budget guidelines into your planning processes.
2. Conduct training sessions for relevant personnel to ensure understanding and compliance with the new framework.
3. Establish a joint committee to oversee the implementation and provide iterative feedback for continual improvement.

In view of the above, all stakeholders involved in Basic Education and Primary Healthcare are mandated to adhere to these guidelines as non-compliance may result in necessary sanctions as deemed appropriate by the relevant authorities.

For any inquiries or further clarification regarding the guidelines, please do not hesitate to rcontact the HOPE-GOV Desk officers in your respective Agencies and the State planning Commission.

Thank you for your commitment to improving basic education and primary health care in our communities. Together, we can pave the way for a brighter and healthier future for all.

Yours sincerely,

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