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Director General Higher Education, Haryana, Shiksha Sadan, Sector-5, Panchkula.

The Vice Chancellors of all State and Private Universities in the State (Lists attached).

Memo No. 1 /48-2017 Co (1) Dated, Panchkula, the 24.11. 2017

Subject :

Summary Record of the National Conference of Chief Secretaries of States /UTs on "States as Drivers for Transforming India" held on 10<sup>th</sup> July, 2017.

Kindly refer to the subject cited above.

I have been directed to inform you that MHRD, GOI and UGC have started inviting proposals under UGC (Declaration of Government Educational Institutions as Institutions of Eminence) Guidelines 2017 for public institutions and request you to send proposals to UGC under this scheme as, if selected, these institutions will not only get financial assistance but also will be declared as Institutions of Eminence. And gradually these institutions may be ranked among top 50 of the world.

And further inform you that NITI Aayog has also published detailed handbook on Atal Innovation Mission and request you to go through the guidelines and submit proposals to NITI Aayog for availing benefits under this mission (AIM).

> Deputy Director Coordination for Director General Higher Education, Haryana, Panchkula.