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**TIME BOUND**

No.5-1/2010-CD III  
Government of India  
Ministry of Women and Child Development

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
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To

1. The Secretaries incharge of ICDS in the States/UTs.
2. The Directors incharge of ICDS in the States/UTs.

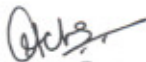
Sub: Celebration of National Girl Child Day on **24<sup>th</sup> January, 2010** - reg.

Sir/Madam,

24<sup>th</sup> January is celebrated every year as National Girl Child Day.

As a part of celebration of National Girl Child Day, platform of Anganwadi Centres and services of Anganwadi Workers may be utilized to draw mass attention on Female Foeticide, the Diminishing Sex Ratio, the Protection of Girl from Child Marriage etc. Campaigns against these issues may be organized in association with the NGOs, Schools, Media, Artists etc.

Feedback regarding the celebration may be provide to the Ministry.

  
(Archana S Awasthi)  
Director

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