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Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Economic Affairs
(IES Division)**

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Japan-IMF Scholarship Program for Asia (JISPA) 2017-18 with GRIPS.

The IES Cadre Division, Department of Economic Affairs, being the Cadre Controlling Authority of the Indian Economic Service (IES), invites applications from eligible and willing Officers belonging to the 2011 Batch of IES and earlier for the Japan-IMF Scholarship Program for Asia (JISPA) 2016-17. The IES Cadre would nominate 3 (Three) IES Officers for the following program:

National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies (GRIPS) - Macroeconomic Policy Program (Master of Public Policy - I year program)

2. The details are available in the JISPA Brochure which may be accessed on the following link:

<http://www.imf.org/external/oap/schol.htm>

3. The expression of interest from eligible IES Officers **duly forwarded through proper channel only** shall be considered for nomination for the JISPA 2017-18 program. The applications must reach the IES Cadre positively by 15th December, 2016 (Expression of interest by an officer should not be construed as automatic nomination for the program). The final selection would be done by JISPA/IMF authorities.

4. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

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To,

All Officers of IES of 2011 Batch and earlier batches.