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Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment has in collaboration with Ministry of skill Development and Entrepreneurship launched a "National Action Plan" (NAP) for Vocational Training of Persons with Disabilities at Vigyan Bhavan New Delhi. The vocational Training plan has an ambitious target for providing skill training to 2.5 million PWD's in next 7years and proposes to use Information Technology for content generation, training delivery and monitory of training.

"National Action Plan" - A two stage process:-

In the First stage, Department is seeking Expression of interest from training providers, having experience and expertise in providing training to PWD'S for getting empanelled with DEPwD as training partners.

In the Second stage, the empanelled training partners would submit specific proposals for skill training of PWD's to seek financial assistance from the Department. The detailed guidelines for financial assistance are available on the Department webside, www.disabilityaffairs.gov.in

The Interested organizations / institutions Registered under section 52 of PWD Act 1995 / may contact the following with detailed proposal, as per the Guidelines available on the Department's websites:

Joint Secretary

National Action Plan for Skill Development

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