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ALL INDIA WOMEN'S EDUCATION FUND ASSOCIATION (AIWEFA)

"NGO in Special Consultative Status with the Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) of the United Nations"



Dated: 03.04.2018

Dear Friend and Colleague,

Subject: Inviting applications for XVI AIWEFA Nina Sibal Memorial Award for organisations working in disabilities.

The All India Women's Education Fund Association (AIWEFA), one of India's pioneering NGOs established in 1929, is celebrating 90 years of service and commitment to the community, especially women and youth. AIWEFA is also the founding Trust Body of the prestigious Lady Irwin College, University of Delhi. (Details on www.aiwefa.org).

AIWEFA is in Special Consultative Status with the Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) with the United Nations, has Observer Status with the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) and in 2003 accepted the role of Regional Coordinator of the UN's Informal Regional Network of NGOs (UN NGO IRENE).

Towards building an inclusive community, in 2003, the annual AIWEFA Nina Sibal Memorial Award was instituted to honour an organisation working for children with special needs while employing innovative assistive technologies. The Award carries a citation and a grant of Rs. 7.00 lakhs for the benefit of the children. The travel and lodging expenses of the Awardee are borne by AIWEFA.

The Selection Committees comprises Dr. Karan Singh (Chairperson), Mr. Kapil Sibal, UNESCO's Ms. Huma Masood and AIWEFA President and Office Bearers. The annual Award Ceremony will take place on Thursday 02 August, 2018 at the Gulmohar Hall, India Habitat Centre, New Delhi-110003.

AIWEFA has identified your organisation among Institutions working for the welfare and special needs of children with disabilities. In this context we request you to send in an Expression of Interest (EOI) with details of your organisation and the work accomplished in your chosen field in the attached format by Friday 15 June 2018. (Application also available on www.aiwefa.org). This will enable us to scrutinise and propose eligible nominations to the Selection Committee.

Your early response will be appreciated

Thanking you,

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