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Ministry of Home Affairs  
Department of Official Language

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

**Subject: Amendment to Indira Gandhi Official Language Award Scheme.**

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The amount of prizes for writing original books in Hindi under Indira Gandhi Official Language Award Scheme has now been increased 50% viz:

1. Ist Prize	Rs. 60,000/-
2. IInd Prize	Rs. 45,000/-
3. IIIrd Prize	Rs. 30,000/-
4. Incentive Prize	Rs. 15,000/-

2. This Award Scheme is not restricted to the officers/employees of Central Government only, but will also apply to the persons working in Banks, Public Sector Undertakings, Financial Institutions, Universities and Educational and Training Institutes. This increased prize-amount will be deemed to be effective from the year 2014-15. Except for the above said amendments, all other conditions contained in the Office Memorandum No. II/12013/2/85-OL(A-2), dated 30.7.1986 will remain unchanged.

3 All the Ministries/Departments of Government of India are requested to give wide publicity to this revised scheme to ensure maximum participation in the scheme. This Department may be apprised of the action taken in this regard.

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To

1. Joint Secretary (Admn) of all Ministry/Department, Government of India.
2. Director, Central Translation Bureau, Paryavaran Bhavan, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
3. Director, Central Hindi Training Institute, Paryavaran Bhavan, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
4. All Officers/Section of Official Language Department.
5. NIC, Department of Official Language- with a request to upload this on the Official Language web-site.