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**Universal ID for Disabled: Shri Sudarshan Bhagat**

**National Annual Spandan Awards presented**

Shri Sudarshan Bhagat, Minister of State for Social Justice & Empowerment here today announced that Universal ID to be issued for Persons with Disabilities very soon. Minister further said that after issuing Universal ID for Disabled, all the problems related to transportation, Identification, facilities/schemes for Disabled will be solved. Minister congratulated the 15 awardees who have done great work, achievements of people and organisations in the field of intellectual and developmental disabilities and presented awards to them.

National Trust a statutory body under Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. Of India is working for the welfare of persons with Autism, Cerebral Palsy, Mental Retardation and Multiple Disabilities has organised its SPANDAN annual award function this year in partnership with NDMC. This year Awards has been given to the following:

| <b>S.No</b> | <b>Category of Award</b>                    | <b>Name of Awardee</b>   | <b>Details of Award</b>  |
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| <b>1</b>    | Best Individual<br>(Person with Disability) | <b>Mr. Baswaraj Nagnath Paike</b><br>C/o – Vrundavan Niwas, Laxmi Colony, Near<br>Maharashtra Gramin Bank, Old AUSA Road, L<br>atur-<br>413531 (Maharashtra) | [Rs. 25000/-<br>, Shield, Certificate]   |
| <b>2</b>    | Best Individual<br>(Person with Disability) | <b>Mr. Pralesh L Malviya</b><br>5, Buty<br>Layout, Rajnagar, Chhaoni, Nagpur-<br>440013 (Maharashtra)  | [Rs 25000/-<br>, Shield, Certificate]  |
| <b>3</b>    | Best Individual<br>(Person with Disability) | <b>Mr. Omkar Jayant Nirgudkar</b><br>H. No. -E/9, H.P. Nagar (W),<br>Mahul Road, Chembur, Mumbai-<br>400074 (Maharashtra)                                    | (Considered as high<br>achiever in the field of disability)<br>[Shield, Certificate] |
| <b>4</b>    | Best Individual<br>(Professional)           | <b>Dr. Alok Kumar Bhuvan</b><br>Manovikas, A-267, Surajmal Vihar, Delhi –<br>110092  | [Rs. 25000/-<br>, Shield, Certificate]   |
| <b>5.</b>   | Best Individual<br>(Parents)                | <b>Mr. M. Someswara Rao</b><br>DND 3-<br>57, Veeranki Lock, Pamidimukkal<br>a (M), Krishna District –<br>521250 (Andhra Pradesh)                             | [Rs. 25000/-<br>, Shield, Certificate]   |
| <b>6.</b>   | Best Individual<br>(Carer)                  | <b>Mr. Rakesh Sharma</b><br>Vill – Mehran, P.O.-Harlog,<br>The-Ghumarwin, District-Bilaspur, (H.P.)  | [ Shield and Certificate]  |

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| 7.  | Best Individual<br>(Carer)                               | <b>Mr. Mohan Singh Chauhan</b><br>D-<br>45, Ajay Enclave, Tilak Nagar, New Delhi-<br>110018  | [ Shield and Certificate]                  |
| 8.  | Best Individual<br>(Carer)                               | <b>Mr. Santosh Kumar</b><br>B-1203, Kanchan Basti Maya Puri,<br>Phase-II, New Delhi-110064   | [ Shield and Certificate]                  |
| 9.  | Best Individual<br>(Parents)                             | <b>Mrs. Deepa Suresh Patil</b><br>Sanvedna, Plot No. P-<br>55, Kalamb Road, M.I.D.C., Latur-<br>413531 (Maharashtra)   | [ Rs.<br>50,000/, Shield and Certificate]  |
| 10. | Best Organization<br>(Voluntary)                         | <b>ASHA KA JHARNA</b><br>Harlal Ka Kothi, Nawalgarh –<br>333042 (Rajasthan)  | [Rs.<br>50,000/, Shield and Certificate]   |
| 11. | Best Organization<br>(Parents Association)               | <b>Mysore District Parents Association</b><br>1231, 2nd Cross, K.M. Puram, Mysore-<br>570004<br>(Karnataka)  | - [Rs.<br>50,000/, Shield and Certificate] |
| 12. | Best Organization<br>(Voluntary)                         | <b>DHARITHREE TRUST</b><br><i>An institute for people with special needs</i><br>#46, 1st Main, Gayathridevi Park<br>Extn, Near TTD<br>Temple, Vyalikaval, Bangalore -<br>560003, (Karnataka) | [ Rs.<br>50,000/, Shield and Certificate]  |
| 13. | Best Annual Report (Voluntary Organization – South Zone) | <b>Uma Educational &amp; Technical Society</b><br>Uma Manovikas Nagar, Vakalapudi Panchayat, Behind<br>Rayudupalem, Kakinada –<br>533005 (Andhra Pradesh)                                    | [Shield and Certificate]                   |
| 14. | Special Jury Felicitations                               | <b>MENTAID</b><br><i>(The Association for the Development of the Mentally Handicapped)</i><br>98 N Block E, New Alipore, Kolkata –700053 (West Bengal)                                       | [Shield and Certificate]                   |
| 15. | Special Jury Felicitations                               | <b>Navjyothi Charitable Trust</b><br>Prasanthinagar, Pantheerankave PO, Kozhikode<br>District, Kerala 673019   | [Shield and Certificate]                   |

Minister has also released a bilingual monthly 'Enabling- Samarthya' during this occasion.

During the function a Knowledge Workshop is organised in which resource persons from various fields will share their knowledge and a vibrant cultural programme by children with disabilities from Madhya Pradesh has been presented.

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