Dear Father/Sister/Brother

Greetings from Bishop’s House, Kohima!

I am writing this letter to give you all a piece of information. The Catholic Church in Nagaland is educating our people through our schools and colleges. At present we are extending help from these many institutions.

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It is right and proper that the Teaching Services of our Priests, Nuns, Religious and the lay Teachers in our institutions is recognised by the Government of Nagaland. But looking at the State Level Teachers’ Day Award 2015, only one person from one of our institutions got the award. Upon enquiring as to why there were so few, the office people responded saying that there were no names suggested by the schools.

So, I am giving this information (guidelines, criteria) so that we can also give some names (Priests, Nuns or Teachers).

1. The names can be nominated by either of them: Head of the Institution, Chairman or Rector, Board Members, Colleagues or the VEC members.
2. There are two levels for awards at the State Teachers Award: Primary Teachers and Secondary/Higher Secondary Teachers.
3. The criteria for receiving the award can be seen from those who got it already. I am giving the names and the particulars about those who got the award this year 2015 on what grounds these teachers were awarded.

Thanking you for your cooperation.

Yours in Christ

Fr. George Rino
Secretary, CEDOK

STATE LEVEL TEACHERS’ AWARD
ROLL OF HONOUR - 2015

Mr. Ketousielie Dzüvichü (Primary Teacher, GMS L. Khel, Kohima)
He is hardworking, regular and a role model teacher. He encourages ‘Activity Based Learning’ for the children and takes detention classes for weaker students whenever required to help them perform better in their studies. He organizes Parent-Teacher meetings, sports week, literary and singing competitions. He received District Teachers’ Award in 2014.

Mr. Sebastian N.D (Graduate Teacher, GHSS Tseminyu, Kohima)
He is sincere, regular and dedicated in his duties. He has written several articles published in local dailies titled such as “Teacher, stand up as a role model”, “Role of Teachers as a Promoter of Social Values” and “Vocationalisation of Education”. He coaches the students to take part in science seminars and exhibitions. Recipient of District Teachers’ Award 2014.

Ms. Nepasalü (Graduate Teacher, GHS Chandmari, Kohima)
She is a well-qualified and efficient teacher, which is evident in the 100% pass percentage in her subject (Science). She also identifies family background of her students and provides some basic needs to the needy. She provides free coaching to HSLC candidates every year. She had received District Award in 2014.
Mr. Saktibrata Basu (Asst. HM, Mt. Sinai HSS, Kohima)
He is hardworking, co-operative and renders full dedication towards the up-liftment of the school. Under his guidance, the school participated in the Eastern India Science Fair 2003 where it bagged the first position with science model project titled “Low cost model for irrigation”. He received District Teachers’ Award in 2012.

Mr. T. Alemba Jamir (Primary Teacher, GMS Aoyimkum, Dim)
He has been serving the school and the community with sincerity and dedication for the last 27 years. Besides teaching in the classroom, he has taken the initiative to give free haircuts to the school children since the village does not have any hair cutting saloon. He received District Teachers’ Award in 2009.

Mr. P. Kavita Shohe (Post Graduate, GHSS Niuland, Dimapur)
He is humble, well disciplined and a man of high integrity. He follows effective teaching methodology thereby his students achieved excellence. He received District Teachers’ Award in 2009.

Mr. T. N. Pandey (Hindi Instructor, Govt. Hindi Institute, Dim)
To encourage and promote Hindi Language in the state, he has been rendering his selfless service with sincerity and dedication. He is a source of inspiration to his students to go ahead and get success.

Mr. Debi Prasad Tripathy (Principal, Lima Aier HSS, Lingrijan Dim)
Under his leadership, the school has produced a numerous toppers both in HSLC and HSSLC examinations for the last 5 years. He has 100% attendance record for the last 3 years. Received District Teachers’ Award in 2008.

Fr. P. G. Joshua (Principal, Don Bosco HSS, Dim)
He is a Gold medallist in History (NU 2006). Secured 1st position in Essay competition on “The Battle of Kohima, 1944” (Kohima Educational Trust, UK). As a teacher, he is fully committed to the welfare of the children. He takes care of problematic and troublesome students through some home visitations. He also plays active role for upliftment of quality education and development of the community.

Mr. Bishnu Bahadur Chetri (Principal, North Town HSS, Chumukedima)
The academic improvement achieved by the school yearly is credited and attributed largely to his professional excellence, commitment, dedication and high managerial skills. Received District Teachers’ Award in 2004.

Mr. Subash Prasad (Graduate Teacher, GMS Achikuchu, Zunheboto)
He has been imparting quality education with effective teaching methods. He is sincere, punctual in his duty. He received Sub-Divisional Award in 2011.

Mr. Sunil Kumar (P. G. Teacher (Physics), GHS, Zunheboto)
He is sincere, honest and efficient. He gives special free coaching class to the needy and weaker students. Besides his assigned classes, he has been willingly helping by teaching Mathematics for Cl-10 students for the last 10 years. He received District Teachers’ Award in 2012.