

Prime Ministers' Awards for Excellence in Public Administration 2011-12

The Prime Ministers' Awards for Excellence in Public Administration were conferred on the following initiatives on the occasion of the Civil Services Day held on 21st April, 2013:

Individual category

- (i) Saving Open Spaces and Urban Lakes (SOUL) and Cultural Rejuvenation in the Twin City of Hubli-Dharwad, Karnataka;
- (ii) Educational Initiatives in Dantewada, Chattisgarh; and
- (iii) Daliya Jalao: Liberating Manual Scavengers and Moving Towards Total Sanitation, Uttar Pradesh.

Group category

- (i) Sugarcane Information System, Uttar Pradesh; and
- (ii) Transformation of Commercial Tax Regime in Karnataka.

Organisation category

- (i) Excellence in Rural Management and Development in the Challenging Physical Environment of the Sikkim Himalaya, Sikkim; and
- (ii) *Kaushalya Vardhan Kendra* (Skill Development) Project, Directorate of Employment & Training, Gujarat.

*** Write-ups on the above initiatives are available under the Best Practices section of the web portal.**
