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To

Prof. R.Sayanna, Kakatiya University, Vidyaranyapuri, Hanamkonda, Warangal-506 009, Andhra Pradesh

Dear Sir/Madam,

Beginning in the year 2005, Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation (MoSPI) is annually organising an all India essay writing competition on the subject relevant to Statistics/Official Statistics for the post graduate students of statistics studying in the recognised universities/colleges/institutions to commemorate the birth anniversary of eminent statistician Prof. P. C. Mahalanobis. It is an open competition and the students are required to write an essay on one of the given topics. The winners are felicitated on Statistics Day (29th June) every year. As per the scheme, following prizes are given:

First Prize	(1 number)	₹ 15,000/-
Second Prize	(2 numbers)	@ ₹ 12,000/-
Third Prize	(3 numbers)	@ ₹ 10,000/-
Consolation prizes	(5 numbers)	@ ₹ 5,000/-

- 2. Advertisement inviting applications for the "On the Spot Essay Writing Competition 2019" along with proforma for submission of applications is available on the website of the Ministry at the link http://mospi.gov.in/sites/default/files/announcements/Advertisement writing competition 24dec18.pdf.
- 3. I shall be grateful if you could arrange to provide wide publicity for the above competition in your University/Institution and forward applications of eligible students for participating in the competition by 31stJanuary 2019.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

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