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MINISTRY OF WOMEN & CHILD DEVELOPMEN GOVERNMENT OF INDIA NEW DELHI-110001

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मेनका संजयहगांधी Maneka Sanjay Bandhi

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Dear Minister

I would like to draw your attention on the problem of molestation and sexual abuse in school going children. This abuse is done often by the friends in relation of the parents or teachers and staff in the schools. Therefore, there is a need to sensitize the children on what constitutes an "inappropriate touch" or what is molestation and this needs to be done at an early age of 7-8 years.

The Ministry of Women and Child Development had commissioned a short animated film on this subject through Childline which is funded by the Ministry. This film has also won the national film award this year in the category of "best educational film". I request you to see the film which is enclosed. It will be very helpful if you can have it circulated to all schools under the State Government where it should be shown at assembly time.

I shall be happy to work with you in this initiative in any manner you feel appropriate.

With regards,

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Yours sincerely.

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