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LETTER TO DEVELOPMENT COMMISSIONER

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND EXTENSION Faculty of Home Science M.S. University of Baroda Baroda 390 002

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Date: January 29, 1981.

To: The Development Commissioner, Development Department,

Dear Sir,

As you are aware that population explosion is increasing a great concern to all those who are involved in the process of development of the nation, and extension functionaries are one of them, rather most important resource personnel and consultant for rural people, and our problem lies with rural people to a great extent. The extension functionaries can carry out the responsibility of educating rural masses along with their promotion of Agricultural production etc. but for this they should have maximum knowledge of population education and positive attitudes.

For my Ph.D. research, I have therefore taken up the problem of testing the knowledge and attitudes of extension functionaries regarding population education and developing/modifying a curriculum for pre-service and in-service training of extension functionaries. The purpose of this letter is to seek your kind advise and guidance for contacting these agencies and, also, Sir if you could kindly issue a directive to all D.D.O's, B.D.Os. and V.E.Os. of your state to be co-operative and fill up the questionnaires, or if this is not possible, can you please suggest some positive approach.

Looking forward for a favourable action.

With Regards.

DR.(MRS.) A. CHANDRA Head, Department of Ed.Ext., Faculty of Home Science. Yours sincerely,

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