## Feedback letter on the consultation about Public Private Partnerships in school education held in NCERT (New Delhi) – November 2009

To, Smt. Anshu Vaish Secretary,

Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India.

Sub: Note from consultation on MHRD PPP Note at NCERT, November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2009

Dear Smt Anshu Vaish,

We held a consultation on the MHRD note on the '**PPP in school education**' policy paper recently released by MHRD, on 5<sup>th</sup> November at NCERT.The consultation discussed the implications of the proposed PPP models and as discussed by Prof Anita Rampal with you, the details of the concerns and suggestions from the participants of the consultation are being provided in the enclosed document "1b. Detailed Feedback to MHRD on PPP in School Education note - from consultations at NCERT, Nov 5, 2009".

A 2 page summary of the consultations has also been prepared based on the discussions for MHRD by the organizing group. Owing to shortage of time (since last date for feedback to MHRD is today and we had only one working day post the consultation), we have not attempted to get the endorsement of all participants, on this summary. Along with these two documents with the detailed and summarized feedback from the consultation, we are also providing specific feedback from few other educationists and couple of relevant articles for your reading.

Thanking you,

Regards

Naimur Rahman, on behalf of the organising group - Anita Rampal (Delhi University), Geetha Nambissan (JNU), Gurumurthy (IT for Change), Naimur Rahman (One World South Asia) and Padma Sarangapani (TISS).