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Respected Sir/ Madam

**Sub: Creating awareness among students and faculty on Free Open Source
Software (FOSS) training program conducted by "Spoken Tutorial
Project"- IIT, Bombay.**
Ref: (1) E-mail letter from Principal Secretary on 28.07.2013
(2) Proposal from Spoken Tutorial Project, IIT Bombay

    As desired by Principal Secretary, Department of Higher Education, I am here by directed to request all the Vice-Chancellors (VC's) to create awareness on Free Open Source Software (FOSS) training programme conducted by **"Spoken Tutorial Project" IIT Bombay** under **National Mission on Education through ICT, MHRD, Government of India** for students and faculty of all the Universities in the State of Karnataka**.**

    The project comes to you totally free of cost. You are requested to identify one Nodal officer who is well versed with Computer Skills and ready to work as a coordinator between the University and the Spoken Tutorial Project team of IIT Bombay, to create awareness among the faculty and students of the institutions coming under the purview of your University.

    Further, you are requested to contact/ write to Mrs. Rashmi Pillai , Project Manager, Spoken Tutorial Project, IIT Bombay (Details given below) to know more about the project and how to implement the same at the institutional/University level. Further, the project is already launched in the Department of Technical Education Government of Karnataka on 26.07.2013 and there is a good response from all the institutions about the project.

    Details about the Project Director, Spoken Tutorial Project, IIT Bombay;

Mrs. Rashmi Pillai ,
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Thanking you

Yours faithfully

(Prof.K.G.Lokesh)
Administrative officer

Enclosure: PROPOSAL AND NOTE ON SPOKEN TUTORIAL PROJECT

Copy to:
1) **All the Vice-Chancellors of the Universities in Karnataka.**
2) **PA to Principal Secretary to Government, Higher Education Department, 6ᵗʰ Floor, M.S.Building, Dr.Ambedkar Veedhi, Bangalore-01. For kind information.**
3) **Office Copy.**