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To
The Heads of Schools
(Affiliated to CBSE)

Subject: Discontinuation of Academic and Vocational Subjects at the Senior Secondary Level from session 2017-18

Considering very low enrolment, the subjects (as in the list below) are withdrawn with effect from the session 2017-18. Accordingly, schools are advised not to offer these subjects at the Senior Secondary level from the forthcoming session of 2017-18. However, the students pursuing these subjects currently in class XI shall continue with them in Class XII in the session 2017-18 and shall appear in the same subject in class XII examinations as per the Senior Secondary Curriculum for the session 2017-18.

Academic Electives at the Senior Secondary level

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Vocational subjects at the Senior Secondary level

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<td>Poultry Disease and their Control</td>
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<td>Management of Dairy Animals</td>
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<td>759/761</td>
<td>Milk Marketing and Entrepreneurship</td>
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<td>Dairy Product Technology</td>
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The above may be carefully noted by the Heads of all CBSE affiliated schools.

(Manoj K. Srivastava)
Jt. Secretary & Incharge (ART&I)

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25. Deputy Secretary (Affiliation), CBSE
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27. Assistant Librarian, CBSE
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