

**DEPT. FOR EMPOWERMENT OF PwDs INVITES APPLICATIONS FOR  
STATE AWARDS**

**Panaji : November 14, 2025**

The Department for Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities invites applications in the Prescribed Application Form from Employers, NGO's, Entrepreneur and Employee for the State Awards for categories One award for Best Employer, One award for Best NGO, One award for Best Persons with Disabilities. Entrepreneur and Four awards for Best Employee with Disabilities (open to all categories having any of the 21 specified disabilities under RPwD Act, 2016).

Each Award consists of Cash Amount of Rs. 50,000/- and certificate of Appreciation. Prescribed Applications Forms are available at the counter of the Department for Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities free of cost. Application in prescribed format duly filled in all respect with self attested documents should submit to the Department for Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities on or before November 21, 2025.

For a soft copy of the applications form, applicants can send an email request to [dir-depwd@goa.gov.in](mailto:dir-depwd@goa.gov.in). State Awards will be presented on December 19, 2025 on the occasion of Celebration of Goa Liberation Day at the hands of the Chief Minister.

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