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SUBJECT : Dissemination of the Publication entitled: Putting Creativity to Work: Careers
in the Arts for People with Disabilities

CONTENT : The purpose of this Information Memorandum (IM) is to transmit the enclosed
publication to vocational rehabilitation (VR) professionals, advocates and other
interested persons. The publication was developed by VSA arts. VSA arts is
an international nonprofit organization dedicated to promoting artistic excellence
and providing educational opportunities through the arts for people with
disabilities. Technical support and assistance was provided from the
President's Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities, the
Rehabilitation Services Administration and the Health Care Finance
Administration on the development of the publication.

INQUIRIES : If you have any questions regarding this IM, you may contact Ms.
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Enclosure

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