

GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM  
OFFICE OF THE HIGHER EDUCATION, ASSAM  
KAHILIPARA.....GUWAHATI-19  
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No. DHE/CE/Misc/25/2021/8

Dated Kahilipara the 11<sup>th</sup> March,2021.

From:

Smti. Gitimoni Phukan, ACS  
Director of Higher Education, Assam  
Kahilipara, Guwahati-19

To,

The Nodal Principal

Barama College, Baksa/ M.C College, Barpeta/Chaiduar College, Biswanath/ Bongaigaon College, Bongaigaon/ G.C College, Cachar/ Sonari College, Charaideo/ Basugaon College, Chirang/ Mangaldoi College, Darrang/Moridhal College, Dhemaji/ B.N College, Dhubri/ D.H.S.K College, Dibrugarh/ Haflong Govt. College, Dima Hasao/ Dudhnoi College, Goalpara/ D.R College, Golaghat/ S. S college, Hailakandi/ Lanka Mahavidyalaya, Hojai/ J.B college, Jorhat/B.Borooah College, Kamrup (M)/ Suren Das College, Kamrup (R)/Diphu Govt. College, Karbi Anglong & West karbi Anglong/ N.C College, Karimganj/ Science College, Kokrajhar/ O.P.D College, Lakhimpur/ Majuli College, Majuli/ Jagiroad College, Morigaon/ Nowgong College, Nagaon/Nalbari College, Nalbari/ Sibsagar Commerce College, Sivasagar/ Darrang College, Sonitpur/ B.N College, South Salmara/ Margherita College, Tinsukia/ Udalguri College, Udalguri.

Sub: Regarding Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav-Celebration of 75<sup>th</sup> Independence Day.

Sir,

In inviting a reference to the subject cited above, I would like to forward herewith Govt. letter No. AHE.61/2020/13 dated 8<sup>th</sup> March 2021 along with enclosures in connection with a guideline for celebration of Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav by Education Department, Govt. of Assam in commemoration of 75 years of India's Independence.


For this purpose you are directed to act as a member of the Jury for organising one hour Conference/Seminar/Symposium on India's freedom struggle on 12<sup>th</sup> March/2021 and essay competition in Colleges at the state level and report compliance.

The Jury will be responsible for selection of three students from each category for participation in the state level competition.

Further following Principals who are the members of the state level Jury will liaison for smooth conducting of the aforesaid programme.

1. Dr. Manoj Mahanta, Principal, Pragiyotish College, Guwahati.
2. Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal K.C Das Commerce College, Guwahati.

Yours faithfully,

  
Director of Higher Education, Assam  
Kahilipara, Guwahati-19.

Memo No. DHE/CE/Misc/25/2021/8-A

Dated Kahilipara the 11<sup>th</sup> March,2021.

Copy to:-

1. The Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Higher Education Department, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for kind information.
2. The Inspector of Schools of all districts of Assam for information and necessary action.

Director of Higher Education, Assam  
Kahilipara, Guwahati-19.

Most Urgent

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GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM  
HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT  
DISPUR : GUWAHATI-6.

No.AHF. 61/2020/13

Dated Dispur, the 8<sup>th</sup> March, 2021

From: Smt. Tarali Das, ACS  
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of Assam  
Higher Education Department

To: The Director of Higher Education, Assam  
Kahilipara, Guwahati-19.

Sub: Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav-celebration of 75<sup>th</sup> Independence Day.

*Chyameyee*  
*Pse discuss*  
*9/3/21*

Madam,

With reference to the subject cited above, I am directed to forward to you a copy of letter no- 11018/6/2021-EBSB, 05/03/2021 received from Secretary to the Govt. of India, Ministry of Education and request you to issue necessary instructions to Universities & Colleges of the state to organise 1 hour Conference/ Seminar/ Symposium on India's freedom struggle on 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2021 and essay competition in Universities & Colleges at state level. Further you are requested to furnish a concrete proposal by 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2021 on the above subject and also apply for permission on time in e-vigil website.

Matter may be treated as extremely urgent.

Tarali Das, ACS, Deputy Secretary, Higher Education Department will coordinate with you for the above purpose.

Yours faithfully

*[Signature]*  
8/3/2021  
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of Assam  
Higher Education Department

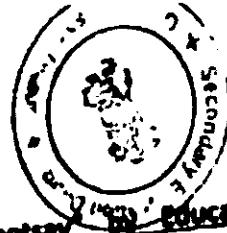
Memo No : AHE. 61/2020/13-A

Dated Dispur, the 8<sup>th</sup> March, 2021

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  2. PS to Secretary to the Govt of Assam, Higher Education Department, for kind information

By order etc

*[Signature]*  
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of Assam  
Higher Education Department



Guidelines for launch of "Azadi Ka Amrut Mohotsav" by Education Department, Govt. of Assam in commemoration of 75 years of India's Independence

The celebration of "Azadi Ka Amrut Mohotsav" would commence 75 weeks prior to the Independence Day 2022 and will extend upto Independence Day 2023. The launch of the celebration will be a 25 days event starting on 12/3/2021 (Anniversary of the launch of Dandi March) and will conclude on 5<sup>th</sup> April 2021 (Conclusion of Dandi March).

Hon'ble Prime Minister of India will launch the opening ceremony on the 12<sup>th</sup> of March from Gujarat. For the inauguration, several events have been planned with the following specific events to be conducted by Education Department:

1. One hour Conference/Seminar/Symposium by schools/ colleges on India's freedom struggle on 12<sup>th</sup> March 2021

A. School/College wise Conference/Seminar/Symposium will be conducted in the School/College premises (Govt. as well as Non-Governmental Institutions ranging from class VI to Degree level) from 2.00 PM to 3.00 PM on 12<sup>th</sup> March' 2021.

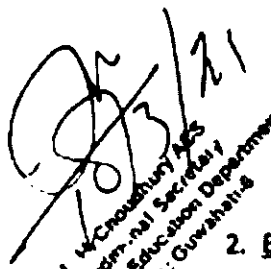
The students will be grouped into three categories:-

Group A- Class VI to VIII

Group B- Class IX to XII

Group C- Degree level.

- For Group A, Symposium may be organized, wherein the Head of the Institutions/Teachers may deliver lectures to the students on aspects of 'Freedom movement in India' and take steps to infuse the feeling of Patriotism amongst the young students.
- For Group B, Interactive Seminars may be organized amongst the students wherein students should be encouraged to have discussions on different topics on Freedom movement. The Head of the Institutions will select the topics in consultation with Teachers.
- For Group C, the Principal of the College will choose any topic pertaining to India's Freedom struggle for the Conference/Seminar/Symposium.

  
I. M. Choudhury  
Acad. In-charge  
Secondary Education Department  
Dispur, Guwahati-781005

2. Essay Competition at Schools / Colleges

- Essay Competitions will be held in the Schools/Colleges on 19<sup>th</sup> March' 2021 from 11.00 AM to 12.00 Noon.

The students will be grouped into three groups.

Group A- Class VI to VIII

Group B- Class IX to XII

Group C- Degree level.

For Group A, any of the two topics may be selected for essay writing, namely-

1. Define Freedom in the context of Assam's role in the Freedom Movement of India
2. Mahatma Gandhi, non-violence and evolution of Freedom in India.

For Group B, any of the two topics may be selected for essay writing, namely-

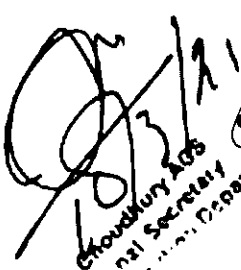
1. Significance of Dandi March in the Freedom movement of India and how Freedom got defined.
2. Quit India movement in the background of Second World War and how and why India progressed towards total freedom.

For Group C, any of the two topics may be selected for essay writing, namely -

1. Mahatma Gandhi's role in Civil Disobedience Movement and the framework of Democracy and Freedom.
2. Framing of Indian Constitution-the beginning of a new era and importance of Freedom in the Constitution.

- For students of Elementary section (Class I-V), the School authority may organize events like open symposium highlighting the significance of Freedom movement and also encourage the students to collect photographs of Freedom Fighters of India and Assam which may be uploaded by the Head of the Institution under the Initiative of District Elementary Education Officer/Block Elementary Education Officer and the Whatsapp group will be developed and shared by Director of Elementary Education, Assam with all DEEOs and BEOs pertaining to the event. The knowledge of the important terms of the Preamble of the Constitution should be infused in the minds of the children.
- District level competition will be conducted on 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2021 in respect of the three groups, namely Group A, Group B and Group C separately and three candidates will be finalized from each Group for participation in the State level competition.

There will be a District level Jury comprising of the Inspector of Schools, District Elementary Education Officer, Principal of a College and Headmaster of a School. The Director, Higher Education will nominate a Principal of a College from each District to be a member of the Jury. The

  
I. M. Choudhury, AOS  
Regional Secretary

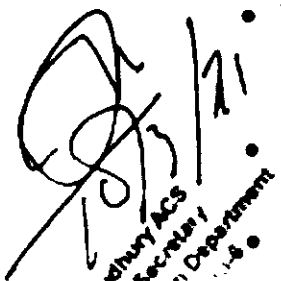
Secondary Education Department

Inspector of Schools will select the Headmaster of a School as a member of the Jury. The Jury will be responsible for selection of three students from each category for participation in the State level competition.

- The District level Jury will be responsible for sharing the soft copies of the three selected essays from each of the three categories for the State level competition in the email address ssaassam@rediffmail.com on 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2021. ↑
- The State level Jury will consist of the following Officials

- i. Dr. Bijoya Choudhury, ACS  
The Director of Elementary Education - Chairperson
- ii. Smti. Gitimoni Phukan, ACS  
The Director of Higher Education - Member
- iii. Smti. Nirada Devi  
The Director of SCERT - Member
- iv. Smti. Mamata Hojai,  
The Director of Secondary Education (I/c) - Member
- v. Smti. Anuja Bhuyan, ACS  
Deputy Secretary,  
Elementary Education Department - Member Secretary
- vi. Dr. Manoj Mahanta, Principal,  
Praghyotish College. - Member
- vii. Dr. Hrishikesh Baruah, Principal  
K.C. Das Commerce College - Member
- viii. Smti. Purabi Kalita Das, Head Teacher,  
Notun Fatasil Town High School - Member
- ix. Sri. Amarendra Sharma, Head Teacher,  
Udayachil High School - Member

- The State level Jury Committee will finalize the best three awardees from each group and will communicate the same to the Managing Director, Samagra Shiksha, for further necessary action.
- The results of the State level competition will be declared on 09<sup>th</sup> April, 2021 and certificate and awards will be given by Samagra Shiksha, Assam. Based on the above Guidelines, the Universities will take steps for organizing one hour conference on India's Freedom struggle on 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2021 and launch of essay competition among the students of Universities on 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2021.

  
I. M. Choudhury ACS  
Additional Secretary  
Secondary Education Department

- Apart from these events, the School/ College authorities should take initiative to infuse in the minds of the students the feeling of patriotism by means of different activities.
- Documentation of the events should be done by the Head of the Institutions/Principal of Colleges and should be shared with the Inspector of Schools/District Elementary Education Officer and Director of Higher Education, as the case maybe.

Sd/-

(B. Kalyan Chakravarthy, IAS)  
Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Assam  
Education Department

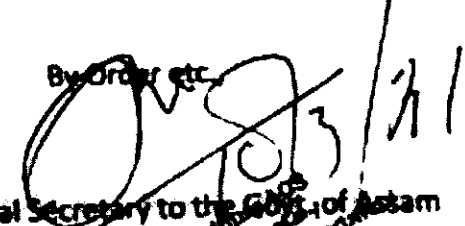
Memo No. ASE. 557/2019/47-A

Dated, Dispur the 10<sup>th</sup> March, 2021

Copy to:

1. The Mission Director, Samagra Siksha, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19.
2. The Director of Higher Education, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19.
3. The Director of Elementary Education, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19.
4. The Director of SCERT, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19.
5. The Director of Secondary Education (i/c), Kahilipara, Guwahati-19
6. Smti. Anuja Bhuyan, ACS, Deputy Secretary, Elementary Education Department, Dispur, Guwahati-06.
7. Dr. Manoj Mahanta, Principal, Pragjyotish College.
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10. Sri. Amarendra Sharma, Head Teacher, Udayachil High School.
11. P.S. to Secretary, Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, 127(C Wing), Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001. Email- secy.dhe@nic.in.
12. P.S. to Principal Secretary, Education Department, Dispur, Guwahati-06.
13. P.S. to Commissioner & Secretary, Education Department, Dispur, Guwahati-06.

By Order etc.

  
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Government of Assam  
Secondary Education Department  
Dispur, Guwahati-06

No ASE. 557/2019/51

Dated Dispur the 10<sup>th</sup> March, 2021

**ORDER**

In continuation of the Guidelines issued vide this Office's earlier memo No. ASE. 557/2019/47-A dated 10.03.2021, with regard to the launch of 'Azadi kaa Amrit Mohotsav' by Education Department, Government of Assam, the following additional Guidelines are added with regard to the conduct of essay competitions in the Districts scheduled on 19.03.2021

1. The Inspector of Schools will be the Nodal Officer in respect of organizing the event on 12.03.2021 and 19.03.2021 and he/she will coordinate with all the Head of the Educational Institutions/Colleges and ensure that the programme is successful.
2. The District Jury will function from the Office of the Inspector of Schools of the respective Districts.
3. The essay competition may be conducted in Assamese, Bodo, Bengali, Hindi and English languages, as the case may be and it should be within the ambit of 300 words for Group-A/ 500 words for Group-B and 700 words for Group-C.
4. The Head of the Institutions of the Schools/Colleges will hand over the hard copies of the essays of their respective Institutions to the Inspector of Schools in sealed covers on 20.03.2021 and the sealed covers should be specifically labeled as Group-A, B and C as the case may be.
5. The District Jury will examine the essays group wise and select three essays from each group (totaling nine) and forward the same to the Executive Director, Samagra Shiksha, Assam, vide email (email id-ssaassam@rediffmail.com) on 24.03.2021 for examination by the State level Jury.

  
Additional Secretary to the Govt. of Assam  
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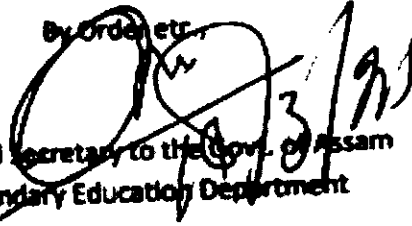
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4. The Director of SCERT, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19.
5. The Director of Secondary Education (I/c), Kahilipara, Guwahati-19
6. The Deputy Commissioners (All), Assam.

7. Smti. Anuja Bhuyan, ACS, Deputy Secretary, Elementary Education Department, Dispur, Guwahati-06.
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12. The Inspector of Schools (All)
13. P.S. to Secretary, Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, 127(C Wing), Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.  
Email-secy.dhe@nic.in.
14. P.S. to Principal Secretary, Education Department, Dispur, Guwahati-06.
15. P.S. to Commissioner & Secretary, Education Department, Dispur, Guwahati-06.

By Order etc.,  
  
Additional Secretary to the Govt. of Assam  
Secondary Education Department



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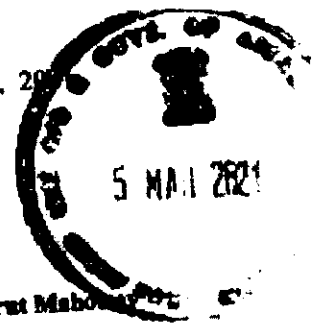
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Ministry of Education  
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Department of Higher Education  
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127 'C' Wing, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110 001

NO 11018/6/2021-EB58

Dated: 05<sup>th</sup> March, 2021



To,  
Chief Secretaries of all States/UTs

603923

Subject: Celebration of India's 75 years of Independence - Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav

Dear Madam/Sir,

As you are aware the Celebration of 75 years of India's Independence - "Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav" would commence 75 weeks prior to Independence Day 2022 and would extend upto Independence Day 2023. In this connection, Hon'ble Prime Minister will launch the opening ceremony on 12<sup>th</sup> March 2021 from Gujarat. The Ministry of Information & Broadcasting vide its Office Memorandum dated March 3, 2021 (copy enclosed) has communicated to all stakeholders to organize various activities/events.

2. In the light of above, I would request you to kindly instruct the educational institutions under your control to organize the following events:

- (a) 1 hour Conference/Seminar/Symposium by Schools, Universities and Colleges on India's freedom struggle on 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2021; and
- (b) An Essay Competition in Schools, Universities & Colleges at Tehsil/District/State/National levels.

3. I would appreciate if the glimpses of events so organized are shared on the social media.

Regards,

Yours sincerely,  
*Amit Khare*  
S.B.21  
(Amit Khare)

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*8/3/21*

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*V. Gupta*  
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No.P-11017/29/2020-PPC  
Government of India  
Ministry of Information and Broadcasting

A Wing, Shastri Bhawan  
Rajendra Prasad Road,  
New Delhi - 110 001.

March 3, 2021

**Subject: Celebration of India's 75 years of Independence - India@75**

This is to inform that the celebration of 75 years of India's Independence - "Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav" would commence 75 weeks prior to the Independence Day 2022 and will extend upto Independence Day 2023. The launch of the celebration will be a 25 day event starting on 12.3.2021 (anniversary of the launch of Dandi March) and conclude on 5<sup>th</sup> April 2021 (conclusion of Dandi March).

2. The Hon'ble Prime Minister will launch the opening ceremony on the 12<sup>th</sup> of March from Gujarat. For the inauguration, several events have been planned, including the following:-

- (i) 75 places of historical significance (2 or 3 per State/UT) to be decided by the States for celebration of the event (*Chief Secretaries of all States/UTs*)
- (ii) In these 75 places of historical significance, participation by Youth Clubs, NYK, NSS/NSO/NCC volunteers (*Department of Youth Affairs*)
- (iii) Organization of Cycle Rallies at different places (*Department of Youth Affairs*)
- (iv) 1 hour Conference/Seminar/Symposium by Schools, Colleges and Universities on India's freedom struggle on 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2021 (*Department of School Education & Literacy and UGC*).
- (v) Launch of Essay Competition at School/Tehsil/District/State/ National levels (*Department of School Education & Literacy*)
- (vi) Launch of Essay Competition for Universities & Colleges (*UGC/AICTE*)
- (vii) Exhibitions to be organised by the State Governments in coordination with BOC-
  - (a) Exhibitions on Mahatma Gandhi, Sardar Patel & Netaji to be organised by BOC at various locations (*Ministry of I&B*) and

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**Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav- celebration of 75th Independence Day-regarding.**

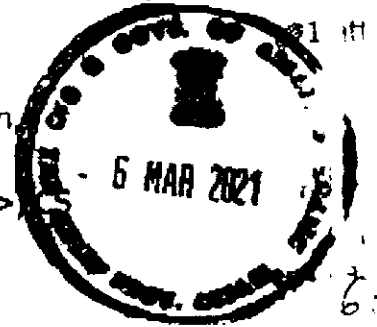
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Sat, Mar 06, 2021, 11:01 AM

Subject : Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav- celebration of 75th Independence Day-regarding.

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Cc : Chief Secretary Andamans <cs-andaman@nic.in>, AP <cs@ap.gov.in>, Jishnu Barua IAS <cs-assam@nic.in>, Chief Secretary CS, Puducherry <cs.pon@nic.in>, cs pondicherry <cs.pondicherry@nic.in>, cs-ori@nic.in, cs-manipur <cs-manipur@nic.in>, cs-mizoram <cs-mizo.am@nic.in>



This is in reference to D.O. Letter No.11017/28/2020-PPC dated 03.03.2021 from Secretary, M/o Information & Broadcasting on the subject mentioned above where directions have been issued for planning of several events all over the country at State/Union Territory level.

2. In this regard, several telephonic attempts were made by the M/o Culture (Govt of India) to the O/o Chief Secretaries for getting updates on the matter after which it has come to the notice that either no such communication was received or the matter is being dealt by some other department of state.

3. Accordingly, the concerned O/o Chief Secretaries are requested to kindly provide an action plan (details of events) and updates for the aforesaid event. Also, the contact details of Department actually dealing the matter may be provided for further coordination.

Thanking you!

Ministry of Culture  
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

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V. Gupta  
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(b) Exhibitions on freedom fighters and unsung heroes to be organised by the State Governments (Chief Secretaries of all States/UTs)

3 For effective dissemination and communication of all the events and for coordination with the State Governments, the following Action Plan has been decided upon involving various Media Units.

(i) Press Information Bureau

- a) PIB would coordinate with State DIPR for publicity/events
- b) Press releases including in local languages of the 12<sup>th</sup> March event and of subsequent dates
- c) Tweeting and retweeting the various events which are organised at the national level and the regional levels including Social Media posts/tweets of Hon'ble PM, Union Ministers, Hon'ble Governors, Chief Ministers, other Ministers and dignitaries
- d) Facilitating the publication of Articles in local language by State dignitaries or eminent historians/academics/defence personnel

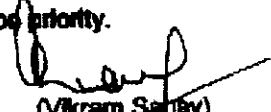
(ii) Doordarshan and AIR

- a) Live coverage of the events by DD and AIR including bites/clips in news bulletins, special programmes and primetime discussion on India@75, including a national capsule of all India events in the evening of 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2021.
- b) DD/AIR to also cover the various events organised by the State Governments on the occasion.

(iii) Social Media

- a) Social Media campaign by the New Media Wing, PIB, DD News and AIR NSD including live streaming of the events, short clips/bites of the guests at the launch, dedicated Hashtags and Infographics and Tweets by influencers

4. It is requested that necessary action on the above is taken as priority.

  
 (Vikram Sarin)  
 Joint Secretary (P&A)  
 T.No.011-23073775

To

- 1. All Chief Secretaries/Secretary (HE), MHRD/Secretary (Youth Affairs)/ Secretary (School Education & Literacy, MHRD)/Chairman, UGC/Chairman, AICTE
- 2. PDG (PIB);PDG (AIR NSD);PDG (BOC);DG (DD News);ADG (NMW)