GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA

Office of The
Commissioner of Technical Education
Telangana :: Hyderabad


Sub: Technical Education - AZADI 70 – YAAD KARO KURBANI - Mass Singing of the National Anthem at 11.00 AM on Tuesday, the 23rd August, 2016 - Certain instructions - Issued - Reg.

Ref: D.O.No. 18.1/2016- UT-2, Dated: 16.08.2016 of the Joint Secretary(SE-II), Government of India, MHRD, Department, New Delhi.

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With reference to the Letter cited, All the Principals of the Government / Aided / Private un-Aided /2nd shift Polytechnics in Engineering colleges in the State of Telangana, are hereby informed that, the Joint Secretary, Government of India, MHRD, New Delhi has stated that, India will be entering the 70th year of Independence on 15th August 2016. Therefore, it has been decided that, the period from 9th August to 23rd August, 2016 should be declared as “Azadi 70 - Yaad Karo Kurbani” (Freedom Fortnight) and the students, all over the country should be encouraged to celebrate this fortnight in a befitting manner.

In this regard, the Joint Secretary, MHRD, New Delhi has requested that, to carry out the activities at the institution level to celebrate “Azadi -70 from 9th to 23rd August 2016” the suggested activities are as follows:

Common to all institutions

1. To have a mass recitation of the National Anthem by all students in the institution at 11.00 AM on Tuesday, 23rd August, 2016, which is the terminal day of the fortnight long celebrations.

Choice (at least one activity from the following)

2. Student could paint greeting cards for jawans posted at border stations. These could be sent to the nearest or any APO for forwarding to the jawans.
3. Students may undertake a mass tree plantation drive, which could inculcate the idea of sustainable development among the students.
4. Institutions can invite persons who can talk to the students regarding the freedom movement of 1857, and the Independence struggle. This includes writers, academics persons from the defence forces (retired or serving) the focus can be on martyrs from that State/ UT or local area.
5. Painting competition
6. Elocution completion
7. Freedom run
8. Essay writing and poem writing competition
9. Play with freedom movements as the theme
10. Slogan writing competition
11. Patriotic songs - singing competition
12. Participative workshops
13. Seminars on the theme of our Independence struggle
14. Dramatic and musical performances
15. Visit to a local land mark commemorating freedom struggle

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In view of the above, all the Principals of the Government / Aided / Private un-Aided /2nd shift Polytechnics in Engineering colleges are here by instructed to make necessary arrangements at the institution for conducting AZADI 70 – YAAD KARO KURBANI – Mass singing of the National Anthem at 11.00 AM on Tuesday, the 23rd August, 2016 and to send the photographs & videos and submit the compliance report to the Nodal Officer Sri C.V.V.Prasad, Assistant Director (T) e-mail Id adkcteap@gmail.com, Whatsapp No. 9849023777. The Nodal officer intern will send the action taken report by email to the MHRD, GOI, in the prescribed format.

The receipt of the memo shall be acknowledged.

Encl: As above

Sd/- Dr.M.V.REDDY
DIRECTOR

To
All the Principals of the Government / Aided / Private un-Aided and 2nd shift Polytechnics in Engineering colleges in the state of Telangana.
The Principals concerned
Copy to the RJDTE, Hyderabad, for information & to monitor the activities and send the consolidated report of action taken.
Copy to the Secretary, SBTET, Telangana, Hyderabad for information
Copy to the Nodal Officer, Sri C.V.V.Prasad, Assistant Director, O/o the DTE, Telangana, Hyderabad

[Signature]
for DIRECTOR

[Date]
Kindly refer to my earlier OMO letters of even number dated 1st and 4th August, 2018 regarding the celebration of "Azadi 70 - Yaad Karo Kuchh" (Independence Day) during the period from 7th August, 2016 to 15th August, 2016. In this connection, you were requested to designate the names of the Nodal Officers indicating their contact details and also to regularly send inputs by email/Whatsapp about the various activities being undertaken in the schools under your charge. It is to be noted that MHRD and also through the video conference with the representatives of State Education Departments on 7th August, 2016, it was informed that all State Governments must send regular inputs in the specified format for facilitating updating of these inputs on the portal of Ministry of Human Resource Development.

2. While most of the States have already nominated their respective nodal officers in this regard, some are yet to do so. It has also been observed that in some cases, the nodal officers do not have a Whatsapp account or a functional Mobile Number and only their landline numbers have been provided. As a result, it was felt that it may be possible to engage them through the Whatsapp group created on the nodal officer.

1. I shall be grateful if you could kindly look into the matter and arrange to send the particulars of the Nodal Officers of your State along with a functional Mobile No. (Whatsapp No. and also advise them to send regular inputs on the activities being undertaken in the schools in your State as a part of the Azadi 70th celebrations on the theme of "Azadi 70: Kuchh" in the enclosed format. They may also be advised to send the figures with respect to the number of students taking part in the singing of National Anthem at 11:00 AM on 15th August, 2016, positively through email at 4:00 PM on the same day.

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]

Name and Designation

All Secretaries of Education of States / UTs (As per list)

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18/8/16
D.O.No.M.11011/02/2016-CDN(PL.2)

Dear Prof. Sandhu,

As you are aware, India will be entering the 70th year of her Independence on 15th August, 2016. It has been decided that the period from 9th August, 2016 to 23rd August, 2016 should be declared as Azadi 70 – Yaad Karo Kurbani (Freedom Fortnight) and students, all over the country should celebrate this fortnight in a befitting manner.

2. I am enclosing a draft list of activities that can be carried out at the educational institution level. You are requested to circulate it to all Central and State Universities and also private and deemed universities and ask them to carry out at least one activity in each of the universities and affiliated colleges. However, the mass singing of the National Anthem at 11:00 AM on 23rd August, 2016 should be done by all students in the institutions.

3. You may also like them to cover the events of Freedom Movement of 1857 and the Independence Struggle in their Celebrations.

4. A short report on the action taken in this regard may kindly be sent to the Ministry. Institutions can send report by email on cdn.edu@nic.in including photographs and videos.

Yours Sincerely,

Praveen Kumar

Copy to:
1. Chairman, AICTE, for issuing similar directions to all engineering colleges and polytechnics
2. AS(CE) for issuing similar directions to all IITs/ISM
3. JS(ICC) for issuing similar directions to all IITs 2016.01.01
4. JS(A) for issuing similar directions to all IIMs/ISER/IISc 2016.01.01
5. ISS(U) for follow up with Central Universities/Language Institutions
6. ISS(EU) for follow up with UGC 2016.01.02

PS to HM

PSO to Secy(HF)
Subject: Activities at the Educational Institution level to Celebrate “Azaadi 70”
5th to 23rd August, 2016

Suggested Activities:

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