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D.O.No. 2-68/2023(CPP-II)(C.135686)

9th December, 2024/18 अग्रहायण, 1946

Subject: Regarding organizing activities in all Institution related to the Celebration of Constitution Day

आदरणीय महोदया/महोदय,

This is in continuation of UGC letter Nos. 2-68/2023(CPP-II) dated 20.11.2024 and 25.11.2024 (copies enclosed) regarding celebration of Constitution Day. It is stated that a year-long celebration as part of this commemoration along with organizing activities in all Institutions related to the Celebration of Constitution Day have been planned in 3 phases as outlined below:

Phase 1 : Activities on and around 26th November, 2024

 Phase II: Two week Celebration of birth anniversary of Bharat Ratna Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar (14th - 30th April 2025)

Phase III : Year-long Celebrations

The details of the activities mentioned above is enclosed in Ministry of Culture's letter dated 24 November, 2024.

The Ministry of Culture has launched the dedicated website **constitution75.com** as part of 75th years of the adoption of Constitution of India. Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) are requested to disseminate the information among students/faculty members encouraging them for broad participation with effective use of **constitution75.com**.

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D.O.No. 2-68/2023(CPP-II)(C.135686)

19th November, 2024/28 कार्तिक, 1946

Subject: Regarding celebration of Constitution Day on 26th November, 2024-reg.

आदरणीय महोदया/महोदय,

As you are aware, Constitution Day, also known as the Samvidhan Divas, is celebrated in India on the 26th of November every year to commemorate the adoption of the Constitution of India. Celebrating Constitution Day reinforces the importance of democracy, liberty, equality, and justice—core values enshrined in the Constitution. It's a reminder of the democratic principles that govern the nation. It provides an opportunity to reflect on the journey of the nation since the adoption of the Constitution and to reaffirm its commitment to uphold its values and work towards a better society.

Every year, a number of activities aimed at highlighting and reiterating the values and principles enshrined in the Constitution are organized as part of the celebration. In this year's celebration Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) are encouraged to undertake a range of activities that are designed to promote awareness and appreciation of these foundational ideals which may include the following:

- Organize a reading of the Preamble to imbibe the values.
- b Organize talks/seminar/webinar emphasizing the importance of Constitution Day
- c. Conduct a Quiz completion on the Constitution
- d. Conduct an essay writing competition
- e. Organize a Painting/Poster making competition.
- f. Depute ten speakers to local Colleges to sensitize the Colleges about the celebration of the Constitution Day.

In addition, HEIs are requested to create an event on My Bharat Portal (IMps //mybharat gov m/) and upload the details of the celebrations.

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D.O.No. 2-68/2023(CPP-II)(C.135686)

25th November, 2024/ 4 अग्रहायण, 1946

Subject: Regarding yearlong Celebrations of Constitution Day to mark the completion of 75 Years of India's Constitution.

आदरणीय महोदया/महोदय,

As you are aware, every year we celebrate Constitution Day on November 26th. This year marks the 75th anniversary of India's Constitution. In this regard, the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, which has been designated as the Nodal Department for the celebration of Constitution Day (Samvidhaan Diwas), encourages active participation in the proposed activities.

To promote the values enshrined in the Constitution, the Ministry has drafted an appeal to Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) to organize various events and activities. A copy of the same is attached for your reference.

In this regard, all HEIs are requested to take note of this and actively engage in the activities planned, ensuring the success of this important event.

This participation will help spread awareness and strengthen the commitment to the ideals of the Constitution.

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D.O. No.37/JS(SCD & Admn.) 2024

Respected Madam/Sir,

Greetings and felicitations from the Union Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment.

As you are aware, on 26 November 1949, the Constituent Assembly adopted the Constitution of India, which came into effect on 26th January 1950, thereby making the beginning of a new era in the history of India. This day holds immense significance as it marks the establishment of the world's longest written Constitution and represents the triumph of democracy.

- 2. Union Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment has been declared as the Nodal Department for the celebration of Samvidhan Diwas (Constitution Day). To mark the significance of completion of 75 years of adoption of Constitution, it has been decided to plan for a yearlong celebration in campaign mode. The commemoration shall begin on 26th November 2024 which marks the Constitution Day (Samvidhan Diwas). The yearlong celebration will be implemented under the campaign tagline "Hamara Samvidhaan, Hamara Swabhimaan".
- 3. Since its inception, the Constitution has been successfully guiding the path and development of India. Through the yearlong celebration, we aim to pay grateful tributes to "we the people"- the soul of India and the conscience of the Constitution and to the founding fathers of our Constitution. The commemoration shall aim to reiterate the principal values expressed in the Constitution of India and encourage the citizens to play their rightful role in strengthening Indian Democracy. Further, it shall aim to create awareness of the efforts made towards the making of our Constitution and its important provisions. The timeless messages and aspirations enshrined in our Constitution shall be brought to each household as part of this celebration.
- 4. The commemoration celebrations will be yearlong and the activities would be centred on the following four pillars:
 - (a) Preamble of the Constitution
 - (b) Know Your Constitution
 - (c) Making of the Constitution
 - (d) Celebrating the Glory of the Constitution.

- 5. The purpose of writing this D.O. letter is to draw your personal attention to the theme of 75 Years of India's Constitution "Hamara Samvidhan, Hamara Swabhimaan" and to request your esteemed educational institution to organize activities promoting Constitutional values among students. Students may be encouraged to take leadership roles ensuring their active participation in spreading the enduring message of our Constitution among the younger generation and their families in line with our earlier celebrations of "Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav", "Har Ghar Firanga", and "Swabhay Swachhata Sanskaar Swachhata". Furthermore, students in higher education may be encouraged and facilitated to write about their life journeys, aspirations and agendas for the future, with a focus on how the Constitution has been shaping their lives and living. These writings can be written in their mother tongites. State language or in English, providing a platform for personal reflection and expression.
- 6. I request you to take personal interest and use your experiential knowledge to nurture higher human aspirations among our young students. Hope your esteemed Institution shall help empower a generation of thoughtful and committed leaders who will take society forward during this yearlong celebration, aiming for a Vikshit Bhaarat @ 2047.
- 7. Finally, I request your esteemed institution to document all events, activities and celebrations in a contextually appropriate manner. The best initiatives- such as essays, papers, and articles- may be recognized and showcased through your Institution's publications. Relevant documents may kindly be shared through the Ministry's E-mail id jssed-insje it mic.in.

With Regards

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To

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2. Directors of all Higher I ducation Institutions

3. Deans of all Higher Education Institutions