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No.P(W)378/Cultural/AKAM/2023

प्रधान कार्यालय/ Headquarters Office  
कार्मिक शाखा/Personnel Branch  
चेन्नै/Chennai -600 003  
Dt :09.08.2023

**PBC No.158/2023**

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CWMs/LW/CW/PER, CWM/GOC, MD/RH/PER, DGM/OL

- Sub: i. Observance of 'Partition Horrors Remembrance Day' on 14<sup>th</sup> August 2023 &  
ii. 'Har Ghar Tiranga' campaign from 13<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> August, 2023 –reg.  
Ref: i. Railway Board's letters No. E(G)2021/CL-4/1 dt 08.08.2023  
ii. D.O. letter from Secretary, M/o Culture dt. 07.08.2023 & 08.08.2023

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Please find enclosed herewith a copy of Rly. Boards letters dt. 08.08.2023 along with D.O letters dt. 07.08.2023 & 08.08.2023, received from Secretary, Ministry of Culture,

- i. wherein like previous year, this year also a series of activities are planned to observe the "**Partition Horrors Remembrance Day**".

All the Divisions/Units are advised to make necessary arrangements accordingly so as to make the observance of '**Partition Horrors Remembrance Day**' on **14<sup>th</sup> August, 2023** a grand success.

- ii. Further, this year also "**Har Ghar Tiranga**" campaign will be organized encouraging the people to celebrate India's Independence Day with the same zeal and patriotism from 13<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> August 2023.

All employees under your jurisdiction may be encouraged to hoist the Indian National Flag in their premises during '**Har Ghar Tiranga**' campaign and put selfies with Tiranga on the website [www.harghartiranga.com](http://www.harghartiranga.com).

Encl: Copy of Bd's letters

(Meena Baskaran)

Deputy Chief Personnel Officer / R&W  
for Principal Chief Personnel Officer

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for kind information &  
necessary action please

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Director General (Human Resource)  
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(RAILWAY BOARD)  
RAIL BHAWAN, NEW DELHI- 110001

No. E(G) 2021/CL-4/1

New Delhi, dated 08.08.2023

The General Managers,  
All Zonal Railways.

**Sub: Observance of 'Partition Horrors Remembrance Day' on 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2023-  
reg.**

As Railways are aware, 14<sup>th</sup> August, last year was observed as 'Partition Horrors Remembrance Day'. Like previous year, this year too a series of activities are planned to observe the Partition Horrors Remembrance Day. In this connection, a copy of D.O. letter dated 7.08.2023 from Secretary, M/o Culture to Chairman & CEO is enclosed.

As brought out in the enclosed D.O., to showcase the sufferings of the partition affected people, an exhibition has been curated jointly by the Indian Council of Historical Research (ICHR) and Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts (IGNCA). This exhibition, in English and Hindi, is available in digital format on the website address <https://amritmahotsav.nic.in/partition-horror-remembrance-day.htm>. The exhibition has to be put up at prominent places, where a large number of people can see it. Realizing the sensitivity of the issue, it has to be ensured that the exhibition is showcased with sobriety and solemnity that it deserves. It should also be specifically ensured that the sentiments of any section of society are not hurt.

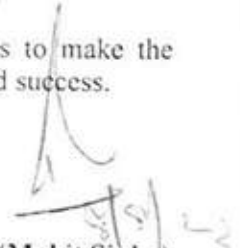
Indian Railways will be associated in the event in the following manner:-

- i) Showcase exhibition prepared by M/o Culture across the railway stations.
- ii) Showcase exhibition on 'Role of Railways in partition' across the railway stations.
- iii) Programmes at stations especially those connected with Partition history.

The display of exhibition may be accompanied with small programmes. A Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for organizing these programmes is also attached, which may be followed in all cases.

All Zonal Railways are advised to make arrangement accordingly so as to make the observance of 'Partition Horror Remembrance Day' on 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2023 a grand success.

DA: As above.

  
(Mohit Sinha)  
Director General (HR)

गोविंद मोहन  
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Secretary



भारत सरकार  
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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CULTURE  
NEW DELHI-110 001

D.O. No. MiSc/Secy(C)/2023

August 07, 2023

Dear Shri Lahoti:

As you know, Hon'ble Prime Minister, in his speech on 15<sup>th</sup> August 2021 at Red Fort, declared 14<sup>th</sup> August to be observed as "Partition Horrors Remembrance Day". Accordingly, Ministry of Culture organized series of events on or around 14<sup>th</sup> August 2022. Like previous year this year too a series of activities are planned to observe the Partition Horrors Remembrance Day.

2. The Partition Horrors Remembrance Day has been envisaged to bring to light the agony, sufferings and pain of millions of people who were the sufferers of partition. It is to remind the country about the largest displacement of human population in the last century, which also claimed the lives of a large number of people.

3. To showcase the sufferings of the partition affected people, an exhibition has been curated jointly by the Indian Council of Historical Research (ICHR) and Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts (IGNCA). This exhibition, in English and Hindi, is available in digital format on the website address <https://amritmahotsav.nic.in/partition-horror-remembrance-day.htm>. It is requested that the exhibition be put up at prominent places, where a large number of people can see it. Realizing the sensitivity of the issue, it should be ensured that the exhibition is showcased with sobriety and solemnity that it deserves. It should be specifically ensured that the sentiments of any section of society are not to be hurt.

4. Your Department has vast outreach through various Railway stations across the country. Therefore, following is solicited -

- Showcase of exhibition prepared by Ministry of Culture across the railway stations.
- Showcase of exhibition on 'Role of Railways in Partition' across the railway stations.
- Programmes at stations especially those connected with Partition history.

5. The display of exhibition may be accompanied with small programmes to be organized by the head of the relevant institution. A Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for these programmes is also attached, which may be followed in all cases.

Encl: As above

with regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Govind Mohan)

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Chairman,  
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PARTITION HORRORS REMEMBRANCE DAY  
14 AUGUST

Important Instructions for the Exhibition

1. This exhibition should be displayed at the important public places like banks, post offices, Govt buildings, educational institutions, community halls, petrol pumps, shopping malls etc. Enough efforts should be made so that that maximum people can see the exhibition
2. This exhibition can be printed on sun-board and be placed on easels  
The size can be 2.5' x 4'
3. This exhibition can also be shown through digital media
4. There can be a brief function at the beginning of the exhibition
5. Freedom Fighters, prominent senior citizens or public representatives be requested to inaugurate this exhibition
6. Patriotic songs be played during the inaugural ceremony
7. In the beginning there can be a brief introduction about the purpose of the exhibition
8. Media be invited to the exhibition
9. Persons who have suffered the tragedy of partition should be invited to the exhibition
10. The inaugural ceremony should end with the National Anthem
11. Exhibition should be displayed for a definite duration
12. Enough arrangements be made for security of the exhibition
13. Enough efforts be made so that more and more people can come and see the exhibition
14. The exhibition is organised to remember the tragedy and agony of the partition so the sensitivity of this exhibition be remembered. It should also be ensured that no section of the society gets hurts by any act during the exhibition.

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Core, Metro & RDSO.


Sub: 'Har Ghar Tiranga' campaign from 13<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup> August, 2023-reg.

As Railways are aware, under the aegis of AKAM, Har Ghar Tiranga campaign was launched last year from 13<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> August to encourage the citizens to hoist the National Flag of India in their homes. The idea behind the campaign was to instill the feeling of patriotism in the hearts of people and reminisce the journey of India and those who have contributed towards creating this great nation.

This year as well Har Ghar Tiranga campaign will be organized encouraging the people to celebrate India's Independence Day with the same zeal and patriotism from 13<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup> August, 2023. In this connection a copy of D.O letter dated 08.08.2023 from Secretary, Ministry of Culture to Chairman & CEO is enclosed.

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D.O. No. Misc./Secy(C)/2023

August 08, 2023

*Dear Sir :*

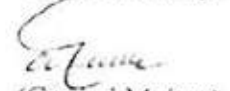
'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav (AKAM)' is a flagship initiative of the Government of India, which has been launched to commemorate 75 years of India's independence. AKAM is one of the largest celebratory initiatives anywhere in the world and has seen enthusiastic and a wide range of participation that has served as a unifying force to become a 'whole of society' initiative. Since its launch in March 2021, more than 1.9 Lakh events have been conducted jointly by Central Government, States/UTs, departments, and private organizations under AKAM. These events have been conducted at both urban and rural level with its reach within districts and even far away border villages of India. AKAM has become a people's movement wherein the nation has united to celebrate the wonder that is India. Outside India AKAM footprint has touched more than 150 countries.

2. Under the aegis of AKAM, 'Har Ghar Tiranga' campaign was launched from 13<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> August 2022 to encourage the citizens to hoist the National Flag of India in their homes. The idea behind the campaign was to instill the feeling of patriotism in the hearts of people and reminisce the journey of India and those who have contributed towards creating this great nation. This campaign witnessed immense success wherein 23 Crore households hoisted the Tiranga in their homes physically and 6 Crore people uploaded Selfies on Har Ghar Tiranga website.

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