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GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
POLICE DEPARATMENT

Dated. 07th March, 2018

CIRCULAR

Sub: Police- National-Level competition for all State Government/ Union Territories Administrations on their best practices on Human Rights centric issues during 2017. Submission of entries for competition –Reg.

Ref: DO. Letter No. 7(8)/2017-Coord dated 08.02.2018 of NHRC, New Delhi.

A copy of the reference cited above may be downloaded from departmental official Police website.

2. It is requested that Officers/Personnel interested by showcasing with best practices if any on human rights centric issues on the following topics/sub heads for the National-Level competition for all state government/ Union territories Administrations during 2017 in view of celebrating “ **Silver Jubilee Year** “ during 2018. The awardees of the competition will be fascinated and awarded on 12th October 2018 on the occasion of the 25th Silver Jubilee Foundation Day Function

- a. Police and Judicial custody/ reforms
- b. SC/ST, Minorities, other disadvantaged section of society
- c. Women and child
- d. Disabled and aged population
- e. Mental Health, health issues, etc
- f. Environment issues impacting human rights
- g. Business and human rights
- h. Bonded labour issue
- i. Human Rights Defenders/NGOs/Civil Society organizations

Each of the above topics is having several sub-categories/Sub heads which can be viewed in the official website and the write up should contain facts/information on those fields.

3. Hence it is requested to submit the entries, showcasing with best practices if any on human rights centric issues latest by 20th March, 2018 in order to send the same with the approval of DGP to NHRC, New Delhi.


SUPDT. OF POLICE (HQ)

To :-

All the Superintendent of Police, Puducherry/Karaikal/Mahe/Yanam

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1. Secretary to the D G P, Puducherry.
2. Reader to DIG/ SSP (L & O)/(C&I)/(KKL)(HQ), Puducherry.
3. Web officer, Puducherry (**with a request to upload this circular & annuxure in the Official Police website**)

OFFICE OF THE DGP
PUDUCHERRY
No. 814/CR
Date 16/2/18



By speed post

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As you are aware, the National Human Rights Commission of India was constituted on 12th October, 1993 under the Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993 and has the statutory responsibility, inter-alia, to redress complaints of violations of human rights and to study domestic laws and international human rights treaties for bringing congruity between them. The Commission has also been involved in efforts to address the issues of extra judicial killings, prison conditions, bonded labour / child labour and the protection of vulnerable groups, including women and children, persons with disabilities, elderly persons among others. The Commission has also been making efforts to spread human rights literacy among various section of society and promote awareness of the safeguards available for the protection of these rights through publications, the media, seminars and other available means.

The Commission will be celebrating its 'Silver Jubilee Year' during 2018, for which a number of activities are being planned, including documentary films on NHRC, India and various human rights issues, an anthem for NHRC, organising awareness campaigns, and a host of competitions including, art/painting, theater/street plays, short film competitions, as well as national and international conferences on topical human rights concerns.

In the same vein, the Commission has decided to hold a **National-Level Competition for all State Governments/Union Territories Administrations on their best practices on human rights centric issues during 2017**. In the Commission's interactions with various State Governments/Union Territories, the Commission has been pleased to note the important measures/initiatives undertaken by concerned governments, including new programmes, schemes, projects etc for improving service delivery systems, which have had an over-all positive impact on the situation of human rights. It is therefore, considered necessary to recognize such good practices so as to enable their widespread dissemination so that these best practices may be emulated by other States to benefit their populations, and contribute to the overall strengthening of the human rights situation in the country.

4. Thus, the Commission is calling for entries for the national-level competition for all State Governments and UT administrations on their 'best practices, if any, on human rights centric concerns/issues. **The modalities of the competition for evaluating the best practices introduced by State Governments/ Union Territories Administration** are as under:

- (i) All States and UTs are eligible to send entries for the competition by submitting brief write-ups in the prescribed proforma.
- (ii) The best practices could be either in awareness generation or an innovative impact due to policies or practices/ implementation in any human rights centric issues.

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