

F.No.J.11011/4/2013-NSS
Government of India
Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports
Department of Youth Affairs

New Delhi, the 27th December, 2013

To

1. The State Liaison Officer (SLO), NSS of all the States/ UTs.
2. The Heads of all the Regional Centres of NSS.

Subject: Participation of NSS Volunteers in the 4th Bharatiya Chhatra Sansad (Indian Student Parliament) being organised by Bharatiya Chhatra Sansad Foundation and MAER's MIT School of Government, Pune during 10-12 January, 2014

This is in continuation to our earlier letter of even number dated 13.11.2013 (copy enclosed) requesting you to encourage participation of NSS volunteers in forthcoming 4th Bharatiya Chhatra Sansad (Indian Student Parliament) being organised by the Bharatiya Chhatra Sansad Foundation and MAER's MIT School of Government at Pune during January 10-12, 2014. We hope that with your support and cooperation, a good number of NSS volunteers will be able to participate in the Event in January, 2014.

2. It is possible that many of the interested students may not be in a position to participate in the Event at Pune due to their individual constraints. For the benefit of such students, the Organisers have arranged to webcast the entire Event live for 3 days. The students can log on to the website www.bhartiyachhatrasansad.org to view the live-streaming on internet during 10-12 January, 2014.

3. In order to facilitate the process, it is requested that the matter may be taken up with the Universities having NSS through their Programme Coordinators to provide hyperlink from their website to www.bhartiyachhatrasansad.org so the student can see the live webcast of the Event. Similar action may be taken in respect of colleges and other educational institutions having NSS.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

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(L. K. Gupta)

Joint Secretary, Youth Affairs and
Programme Advisor, NSS

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*Copy to: - Shri S.K. Sawhney, Dy. Prog. Adv. (NSS), Prog. Adv. Cell,
with a request to upload the same on the NSS
website.*

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R. K. Singh
Under Secretary

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I am directed to state that the Bharatiya Chhatra Sansad Foundation and MAEER's MIT School of Government, Pune have taken initiative to bring together students from across the Country in an Annual Conclave called Bharatiya Chhatra Sansad (Indian Student Parliament). Three such annual events have already been organised with great success and the fourth Bharatiya Chhatra Sansad is being organised during January 10-12, 2014. The basic objective of organising this Conclave is to effectively involve the youth in the democratic process of the Country. The Event is supported by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India and also gets support/ participation from international agencies like UN, UNESCO, SAARC, Inter-Parliamentary Union, etc.

2. This is a non-partisan and apolitical Event, where deliberations are held on issues of contemporary significance. During the third Indian Student Parliament held in January, 2013, about 9,000 students participated and about 90 speakers expressed their views on various subject, including eminent personalities like Mark Tully, R. A. Marshelkar, Shabana Azmi, Muhammad Yunus, etc. in addition to eminent personalities like Aung San Suu Kyi, who addressed the Conclave through pre-recorded video message. A number of student leaders also spoke on the occasion.

3. During the fourth Indian Youth Parliament to be held during 10-12 January, 2014, deliberations will take place on a number of important subjects like (i) Preventing crime against women, (ii) Political Leadership – what young India wants? (iii) Is Consumerism consuming India? (iv) Money and Politics: Is Democracy for sale? (v) Innovative education – empowering youth, (vi) Resolving naxalism through development etc. A number of eminent speakers are expected to speak on the occasion. The details of the Programme can be seen on the website www.bharatiyachhatrasansad.org.

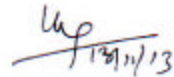
4. Indian Students Parliament is playing an important role in transforming the outlook of the youth and reaffirming their respect for the democracy and its institutions. The NSS also aims at developing the personality and character of the young students and to develop a national outlook among them. The participation in Indian Student Parliament can greatly help in furthering the objectives of NSS.

5. In view of this, it is requested that you may kindly take necessary steps to encourage the participation of NSS volunteers in the forthcoming Indian Student Parliament in January, 2014. The details of this event are on the web site www.bharatiyachhatrasansad.org. We may provide hyperlink from NSS website to www.bhartiyachhatrasansad.org so that the details can be seen by the concerned NSS volunteers. This letter may also be circulated to all the Universities and other educational institutions having NSS units to facilitate participation of students in the Event. These institutions may also be requested to provide link from their websites to www.bhartiyachhatrasansad.org.

6. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,



(L. K. Gupta)

Joint Secretary to Govt. of India

Copy to:

1. The Secretaries in-charge dealing with NSS (all States/ UTs) (through SLOs of the States/ UTs) - for kind information and further appropriate action.
2. The DG, NYKS, New Delhi – with request that similar action may kindly be taken, through field officials of NYKS, to encourage participation of Youth under the fold of NYKS.