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No.C6/Padma Award/35-1/2021

Date : 07.07.2021

CIRCULAR

I am, by direction, to inform that, the Deputy Secretary to Government, Higher Education (A2) Department, Secretariat, Chennai has requested to send the suitable nominations in the prescribed format for **Padma Award-2022** to be announced on the occasion of Republic Day, 2022. The above said award seeks to recognize 'work of distinction' and is given for distinguished and exceptional achievements/service in all fields/disciplines such as Art, Literature and Education, Sports, Medicine, Social Work, Science and Engineering, Public Affairs, Civil Service, Trade and Industry etc.,

Hence, all the Heads of the Departments/Officers are hereby requested to circulate it among the faculty members, staff and students of their respective Departments/offices concerned, so as to enable to apply for the above said award and also to nominate and recommend the eligible person whose excellence achievement really deserved to be recognized may be furnished in the prescribed Proforma **on or before 20.07.2021** positively. The Proforma and the guidelines can be downloaded from the University website.

The other details of the Padma Award-2022 is available in the website www.padmaawards.gov.in

R. Rangaraj
REGISTRAR i/c.

To

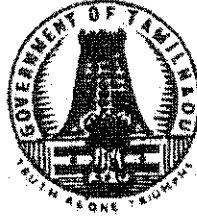
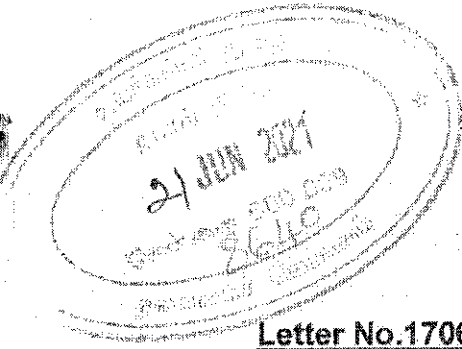
All the Heads of the Departments/Officers,
Bharathiar University.

Copy to : 1. Secretary to Vice-Chancellor, B.U.

2. The P.A. to Registrar, B.U.

3. Office of the Data Centre i/c - with a request to upload the enclosed Circular along with enclosure in the University Website.



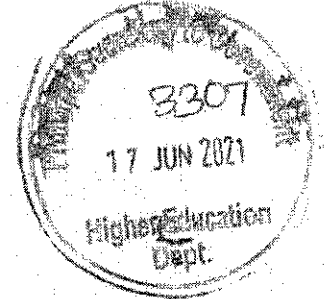


Public (General.I) Department,
Secretariat, Chennai-600009.

Letter No.17064/Genl.1/2021-1, Dated:15.06.2021

From
Dr. D. Jagannathan, I.A.S.,
Secretary to Government.

To
All Additional Chief Secretaries / Principal Secretaries /
Secretaries to Government, Chennai-9 (w.e).
All District Collectors. (w.e)



Sir/Madam,

Sub: Awards – Padma Awards to be announced by the Government of India on the occasion of Republic Day, 2022 – Nominations called for – Regarding.

Ref: From the Joint Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, New Delhi, D.O.No.1/11/2021-Public, Dated: 27.05.2021.

I am directed to invite your attention to the reference cited (copy enclosed) wherein the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India has called for nominations for the Padma Series of awards to be announced on the occasion of Republic Day, 2022. The award seeks to recognize 'work of distinction' and is given for distinguished and exceptional achievements / service in all fields / disciplines such as Art, Literature and Education, Sports, Medicine, Social Work, Science and Engineering, Public Affairs, Civil Service, Trade and Industry etc.

2. The Ministry of Home Affairs has stated that while nominations are received in respect of a large number of persons, there could, however, be several talented persons who are left out of consideration despite exceptional contribution in their field. Often many of these persons may get overlooked primarily for the reason that they may not seek publicity or attention in the public domain. He has therefore requested to take concerted efforts in identifying such persons whose excellence and achievements really deserve to be recognized, and make suitable nominations in their favour.

3. I am to state that the Ministry of Home Affairs has requested to adhere to the following guidelines while finalizing the nominations for the Padma Awards, 2022:

- i) Persons recommended are pre-eminently worthy of the awards, looking at their life-time achievement. The criteria for selection should invariably be 'excellence plus' and the highest standards should be applied while recommending persons for these awards. The existence of an element of public service in the achievements of the person recommended for the award would be a desirable factor.

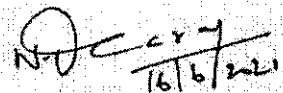
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- ii) As the Padma Award is the second highest civilian Award of the country, it should be considered whether the recommended person has earlier been given any national Award or a State Award in his respective field.
- iii) Efforts may be made to identify talented persons from amongst women, weaker sections of society, SCs & STs, differently-abled persons, etc., who deserve to be considered for the award.
- iv) The decoration is normally not conferred posthumously. However, in highly deserving cases, Government could consider giving an award posthumously, if the demise of the person proposed to be honoured has been recent, say within a period of one year preceding the Republic Day on which it is proposed to announce the award.
- v) A higher category of Padma award can be considered in respect of a person who has earlier been conferred an award, provided a period of at least five years has elapsed. However, in exceptionally deserving cases, a relaxation can be considered.
- vi) Government servants including those working with PSUs, except Doctors and Scientists, are not eligible for Padma Awards.

4. I am therefore to request you to select suitable nominations in consultation with Heads of Departments under your control, for the Padma Award series, by taking into account, the distinguished services rendered by them in their respective fields and send the same to this department in the prescribed proforma (copy enclosed) along with citation in English on or before 31.07.2021. It may be taken note that proposals may be sent to this Department about the achievers, even if the individual nominations are not received.

5. I am to request you to strictly adhere to the cut-off date mentioned above and acknowledge the receipt of this letter to the Government immediately.

Yours faithfully,


16/6/2021

for Secretary to Government.


16/6/2021

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युक्त सचिव
R.K. SINGH
JOINT SECRETARY



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D.O. No. 1/11/2021-Public

Joint Secretary to Government
PUBLIC (PROTOCOL) DEPARTMENT

May 27th, 2021

Respected Sir/Madam,

8 JUN 2021

The Padma Awards, namely, Padma Vibhushan, Padma Bhushan and Padma Shri, are amongst the highest civilian awards of the country. Instituted in 1954, these Awards are announced on the occasion of the Republic Day every year. The award seeks to recognize 'work of distinction' and is given for distinguished and exceptional achievements/service in all fields/disciplines, such as, Art, Literature and Education, Sports, Medicine, Social Work, Science and Engineering, Public Affairs, Civil Service, Trade and Industry etc. All persons without distinction of race, occupation, position or sex are eligible for these Awards. A copy of the statutes and rules governing these Awards is available on the website: <https://padmaawards.gov.in>.

2. It is the convention to invite nominations for these Awards from all States/ UT Governments as also from several other sources to enable broad-based consideration.
3. The nominations/recommendations for the Padma Awards will be received only on the online portal <https://padmaawards.gov.in> designed for this purpose. The nominations / recommendations should contain all relevant details specified in the format available on the above portal, including a citation in narrative form (maximum 800 words), clearly bringing out the distinguished and exceptional achievements/service of the person recommended in his/her respective field/discipline. While recommending a person online, it should be ensured that all the necessary details are properly filled. The steps to be taken for making online recommendations are available on above said website <https://padmaawards.gov.in>.
4. It has been observed in the past that while nominations are received in respect of a large number of persons; there could, however, be several talented persons who are left out of consideration despite exceptional contribution in their field. Often many such persons may get overlooked primarily for the reason that they may not seek publicity or attention in the public domain. It is, therefore, requested to make concerted efforts in identifying such persons whose excellence and achievements deserve to be recognized and make suitable nominations in their favour. It goes without saying that recognition of such deserving persons will only add to the prestige of these Awards.
5. In the above background, I request you to kindly send suitable nominations for the Padma Awards to be announced on the occasion of Republic Day, 2022. In this regard, it is suggested that you may constitute a Special Search Committee for identifying.

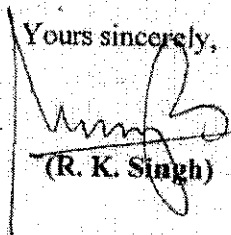
considering and finalizing your recommendations/nominations. While finalizing recommendations, the following points may be kept in view:-

- (i) Persons recommended are pre-eminently worthy of the Awards, looking at their life-time achievements. The criteria for selection should invariably be 'excellence plus' and the highest standards should be applied while recommending persons for these awards. The existence of an element of public service in the achievements of the person recommended for the award would be a desirable factor.
- (ii) As the Padma Award is the second highest civilian award of the country, it should also be considered whether the recommended person has earlier been given any National award or a State award in his/her respective field.
- (iii) Efforts may be made to identify talented persons from amongst women, weaker sections of the society, SCs & STs, divyang persons, etc., who deserve to be considered for the award.
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6. The online nominations / recommendations for the Padma Awards will begin from June 1st, 2021 and the last date for nominations is September 15th, 2021. The cut-off date may please be strictly adhered to as nominations / recommendations received only during 1st June, 2021 to 15th September, 2021 will be considered. It may also be noted that the nominations/recommendations received through online mode only will be considered.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,



(R. K. Singh)

To,
Chief Secretaries/Administrators of all States/UTs Governments

PADMA AWARDS, 2022
DETAILS ABOUT THE APPLICANT

Name	:	
Father's / Husband's Name	:	
Date of Birth	:	
Gender	:	
Country	:	
Postal Address	:	
E-mail ID	:	
Mobile Number	:	
Aadhaar Number	:	
Religion	:	
Category	:	
Profession	:	
Nationality	:	
Whether Posthumous	:	Yes / No
NOMINATION DETAILS		
Fields of Activity	:	
Sub Field	:	
Earlier Padma Award received	:	Yes / No
Award Applied for	:	
CITATION		
(800 words)		
SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTION OF THE NOMINEE / APPLICANT		
Achievement	:	
AWARDS / RECOGNITION RECEIVED BY THE APPLICANT / NOMINEE		
State Awards	:	
National Awards	:	
International Awards	:	
IMPACT OF THE WORK DONE BY THE NOMINEE / APPLICANT		
Contribution to the field	:	
Contribution to the Society	:	