

संघ राज्य प्रशासन, लद्दाख
सामान्य प्रशासन विभाग



THE ADMINISTRATION OF
UNION TERRITORY OF LADAKH

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION
DEPARTMENT

F.No: - A/201/2021-GAD SEC

ई-मेल/email:pstocomsecutl@gmail.com
gad.utladakh@ladakh.gov.in

यूटी सचिवालय/UT Secretariat
लेह/Leh, Dated: -27.10.2022

Subject:- Observance of Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day) on 31st October 2022.

Ref:- D.O.No.I-19034/01/2022-NI-II, dated:-17th and 20th October, 2022 from Home Secretary, Govt. of India.

**Circular No: - 07-LA(GAD) of 2022
Dated: - 27.10.2022**

The National Unity Day is observed every year on 31st October, that serves to reinforce our dedication to preserve and strengthen the security, unity and integrity of our country. It commemorates the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, the architect of national integration of independent India.

2. To spread the message of national unity and the spirit of Rashtriya Ekta and Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav throughout the country, all district authorities concerned have been directed by the Ministry to arrange unity runs and organize appropriate programmes on the said occasion across the Union territory.

3. As advised by the Union Home Minister a Pledge taking ceremony be organized to mark the occasion.

4. Therefore, all the Administrative Secretaries, Heads of the Department and Deputy Commissioners are impressed upon to ensure that the "Pledge" taking ceremony is organized in every office with enthusiasm and fervor and share good quality photographs at mail id- gad.utladakh@ladakh.gov.in.

5. The pledge in Hindi and English are enclosed with this circular.

By order of the competent authority.

Sd/-
(Ajeet Kumar Sahu) IAS
Commissioner/ Secretary
General Administration Department

Copy to the:

1. All Administrative Secretaries UT Administration of Ladakh.
2. Additional Director General of Police, Ladakh.
3. Deputy Commissioner/CEO, LAHDCs, Leh & Kargil.

Ajeet Kumar Sahu
27-10-2022

I/7070/2022

4. All Directors/HoDs/Chief Engineers, Registrar, UOL, Ladakh.
5. District Informatics Officer, NIC, Ladakh for uploading ibid Circular on the UT website.
6. OSD to Hon'ble Lt. Governor, for information of Hon'ble Lt. Governor, Ladakh.
7. Private Secretary to Hon'ble Chairman/HCECs LAHDCs Leh & Kargil for information of HCECs.
8. Private Secretary to Advisor of Hon'ble Lt. Governor for information of Advisor to Hon'ble Lt. Governor, Ladakh.
9. Circular/e-office file.


27.10.2022
(Sonam Chhosdon /सोनम छोसोडोन)
Deputy Secretary/ उप सचिव
General Administration Department

अजय भल्ला, भा.प्र.से.
AJAY BHALLA, IAS



75
आज़ादी का
अमृत महोत्सव

गृह सचिव
Home Secretary
भारत सरकार
Government of India
नॉर्थ ब्लॉक/North Block
नई दिल्ली/New Delhi

D.O. No. I-19034/01/2022-NI-II

17th October, 2022

Dear Chief Secretary,

As you are aware that October 31st is being celebrated across the country as Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day) to commemorate the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, the architect of national integration of independent India. It is a special occasion to foster and reinforce our dedication to preserve and strengthen the unity, integrity and security of our nation.

2. The Union Home Minister has already written to the Chief Ministers of all States and Administrators of UTs to celebrate Rashtriya Ekta Diwas-2022 with zeal and fervour (copy enclosed).

3. To mark the occasion, the Rashtriya Ekta Diwas Parade is being organized on 31st October, 2022 at the Statue of Unity, Kevadia, Gujarat, with participation of Police Forces from all regions of the country and Central Armed Police Forces (CAPFs).

4. This year, it has been decided to organize 75,000 unity runs in 750 districts of the country involving people from all walks of the society. With a view to spread the message of national unity and spirit of Rashtriya Ekta and Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav throughout the country, it is requested that the district authorities concerned may be directed to arrange 100 unity runs per district so that the target of 75,000 unity runs can be achieved. As a special initiative, various programmes focusing on national unity and integrity of our nation may also be organized at jails all over the country.

5. As advised by the Union Home Minister in his above mentioned letter, a Pledge taking ceremony may also be organized to mark the occasion. In this regard, the text of the "Rashtriya Ekta Diwas Pledge" is enclosed. Appropriate programmes may also be organized across the State/UT to spread the message of Rashtriya Ekta and Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav.

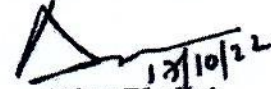
..contd..p/2..

6. I, therefore, request you to give appropriate directions and guidance for the celebration of Rashtriya Ekta Diwas 2022 in a befitting manner.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

Encl: as above


17/10/22
(Ajay Bhalla)

Chief Secretaries of all States.
(As per list attached)

अजय भल्ला, भा.प्र.से.
AJAY BHALLA, IAS



सत्यमेव जयते



आज़ादी का
अमृत महोत्सव

गृह सचिव
Home Secretary
भारत सरकार
Government of India
नॉर्थ ब्लॉक/North Block
नई दिल्ली/New Delhi

D.O. No. I-19034/01/2022-NI-II

20th October, 2022

Dear Chief Secretary/Administrator,

I am writing this letter in connection with organization of 75,000 unity runs across the country as part of celebration of Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day) on October 31st to commemorate the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. In this regard, my earlier D.O. letter of even number dated 17.10.2022 and D.O. letter dated 19.10.2022 written by Secretary, Ministry of Culture, may please be referred (copies enclosed).

2. As already informed, it has been decided to organize 75,000 unity runs in 750 districts of the country involving people from all walks of the society with a view to spread the message of national unity and spirit of Rashtriya Ekta and Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav throughout the country. The unity runs are to be organized on 31 October, 2022 between 7.00 and 8.00 AM and it may please be ensured that at least 100 unity runs per district are organized to achieve the target of 75,000 unity runs across the country. Traffic management and other requisite arrangements including provision of refreshments to the participants, may be planned well in advance. Special efforts may be made to ensure participation of school and college students. As a special outreach, attempts may be made to ensure participation of street children, children from marginalized areas, etc. in the runs. In organization of unity runs, the Education, Sports and Youth Affairs Departments need to play proactive role so that students and youths from educational institutions take part in large scale.

3. Ministry of Culture is developing a dedicated Microsite on Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav Portal for Festival of Unity. People participating in the unity runs may be encouraged to post their selfies on the Microsite. Details of the web-link and other requisite information will be provided by the Ministry of Culture. People can also upload selfies with #RunForUnity on social media.

..Contd..p/2..

C/S GMD
W

4. I, therefore, request you to give appropriate directions for organization of unity runs on 31.10.2022 so that unity runs across the country are organized at unprecedented level.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,


(Ajay Bhalla)

To
Chief Secretaries/Administrators of all States/UTs
(As per list attached)

राष्ट्रीय एकता दिवस शपथ

मैं सत्यनिष्ठा से शपथ लेता हूँ कि मैं राष्ट्र की एकता, अखंडता और सुरक्षा को बनाए रखने के लिए स्वयं को समर्पित करूँगा और अपने देशवासियों के बीच यह संदेश फैलाने का भी भरसक प्रयत्न करूँगा। मैं यह शपथ अपने देश की एकता की भावना से ले रहा हूँ जिसे सरदार वल्लभभाई पटेल की दूरदर्शिता एवं कार्यों द्वारा संभव बनाया जा सका। मैं अपने देश की आंतरिक सुरक्षा सुनिश्चित करने के लिए अपना योगदान करने का भी सत्यनिष्ठा से संकल्प करता हूँ।

RASHTRIYA EKTA DIWAS PLEDGE

I solemnly pledge that I dedicate myself to preserve the unity, integrity and security of the nation and also strive hard to spread this message among my fellow countrymen. I take this pledge in the spirit of unification of my country which was made possible by the vision and actions of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. I also solemnly resolve to make my own contribution to ensure internal security of my country.