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**HARYANA GOVERNMENT**  
**INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE DEPARTMENT**

**Notification**

The 8th June, 2021

**No. 25/05/2020-4IB-I.**— In pursuance to the provision under Chapter 14 of the Haryana Enterprises & Employment Policy-2020 notified in Gazette *vide* No.25/05/2020-4IB-I dated 29.12.2020, the Governor of Haryana is pleased to notify the “Handicraft Awards Scheme” for grants of awards to the artisans/craft persons/ weavers of the State for promotion of handicraft activities. The scheme will consist of the following provisions:

**1. Objective:-**

The State of Haryana has rich heritage of handicrafts contributing to employment generation, economic growth and also foreign exchange. The State is known for its special handicrafts like Brassware, Jari Jutti, Wood craft, Cloth Paintings, Hand fans, Paper Mackie, Lakh Bangles & Jewellery, Modha making, Terracotta, Stuffed Toys, Carpets, Peedha & Charpai making, Durries, Embroidery, Bead work, Camel Backs, Metal Work, Pottery, Dolls, Fur & Leather Items, Cane & Bamboo items, Crocia and Metal items etc. There are more than 12,000 artisans in the State, who are registered with Development Commissioner, Handicrafts. State Awards will be conferred to the crafts persons and weavers in recognition of their outstanding contribution, craftsmanship and development of art. This recognition will encourage them to continue with the craft in a more enthusiastic and productive manner and will ultimately encourage others to emulate them.

**2. Category of Awards:-**

State Handicraft awards will be conferred on 14 Artisans standing First in each of the following 12 groups including one award for the outstanding woman Artisan and one award for Outstanding Artisan in SC Category :-

- (a) Painting.
- (b) Terracotta.
- (c) Clay objects.
- (d) Stone & Marble.
- (e) Embroidery & Textile.
- (f) Wood & Bamboo.
- (g) Metal.
- (h) Leather.
- (i) Handloom.
- (j) Jute.

- (k) Wax & lakh.  
(l) Miscellaneous.

These handicraft awards will be conferred on the Artisans as per below denomination: -

| Sr. No. | Award                           | Amount (in Rs.) |
|---------|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1       | State Handicraft Award          | 5,00,000/-      |
| 2       | Outstanding Woman Artisan Award | 5,00,000/-      |
| 3       | Outstanding SC Artisan Award    | 5,00,000/-      |
| 4       | Consolation Prizes              | 51,000/-        |

Fourteen consolation prizes would also be given to the Artisans merit wise. Maximum one consolation prize would be given in each of the above groups.

### 3. Eligibility Conditions:-

- (i) The Handicraft Awards will be granted to the Artisans/ Craft persons/ weavers of the State (having resident proof i.e. Voter Card/ Ration Card/ Adhaar Card/ Haryana Resident Certificate) engaged in manufacturing in the above sectors/segments.  
(ii) The artisan should be registered with Development Commissioner (Handicrafts), Government of India.

### 4. Criteria of Selection:-

- (i) While preparing the merit, the following criteria for assigning the marks will be adopted:

| Sr. No. | Parameter   | Marks      |
|---------|---|------------|
| a.      | Degree of skill in the craft  | 25         |
| b.      | Creativity in Art/Design  | 25         |
| c.      | Traditional technique involved in the craft   | 15         |
| d.      | Resources used in making the artifact   | 15         |
| e.      | Theme & Fineness of work  | 10         |
| f.      | Appearance of the product   | 05         |
| g.      | Contribution of Craftsperson for development of the crafts in terms of providing training to other craft persons. | 05         |
|         | <b>Total Marks</b>  | <b>100</b> |

- (ii) The artisans who will attain maximum marks in respect of the criteria of variety and creativity in Art will be given priority in case two artisans get equal marks.  
(iii) The awardees will also be given merit certificate signed by the Principal Secretary to Government, Haryana, Industries & Commerce Department.  
(iv) Artisan once selected for award shall not again be considered during period 5 Years, which includes the year of selection.

### 5. Other Provisions:

- (i). The artisans, who shall apply alongwith their items for the State Handicraft Awards, will be reimbursed both side transportation charges (by road or rail) for carrying the items to the Director/ Director General, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises, Haryana at Chandigarh and back to their workshop. There would be a cap of Rs.10,000/-, which would be extendable on the approval of Director/ Director General, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises in such cases where model/item is large. The artisans shall also be provided travelling allowance of AC bus/AC second class trainfair.  
(ii). The State Awardees (not consolation prize winners) shall get assured entry and suitable space for the participation of SurajKund Crafts Mela, District Faridabad without any charges, and shall be recommended by the Director/ Director General, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises, Haryana, to the Tourism Corporation Haryana, based on availability ofspace.  
(iii). The Awardees (not consolation prize winners) shall be provided suitable space without any charges in the Haryana Pavilion, Pargati Maidan, New Delhi during India International Trade Fair on the recommendation of Director/ Director General, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises, Haryana to Trade Fair Authority Haryana.

**6. Methodology:****A. Handicraft Awards:**

- (1) Applications for Handicraft Awards will be invited through an advertisement released in two Newspapers, in addition to public notices on the notice board of District MSME, and the web-site of the MSMEs Department;
- (2) The artisans will apply on-line in the application form as per **Annexure- 'A'** to the Director/ Director General, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises on the portal of the department alongwith declaration (**Annexure- 'B'**) stating:
  - (a) that the items being submitted are prepared by the applicant himself.
  - (b) that the applicant is submitting the entry at his own risk and in case of loss or damage during transportation of the entry due to unforeseen circumstances, the Government will not be liable to pay any compensation.
- (3) The self attested photo copy of registration as artisan must be closed.
- (4) The artisans shall send only one entry for consideration of the Awards. If more than one item is sent, then it will not be considered by the Committee.
- (5) The Joint Director/ Deputy Director, District MSME Centre will identify and sponsor excellent & innovative entries. He will recommend the applications after verifying the details (as per Annexure-A).
- (6) Additional Director will place these applications before the "State Level Selection Committee" for selection of artisans for the Handicraft Awards.
- (7) The awards will be distributed to the selected artisans in a function organized any-where in the State.
- (8) The entries received but not selected by the State Level Selection Committee will be returned to the concerned persons immediately and not beyond 15 days after the selection process is over.

**7. Composition of the State Level Selection Committee: -**

|       |  |          |
|-------|--|----------|
| i)    | Director/ Director General, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises  | Chairman |
| ii)   | Director, Government Museum and Art Gallery, Chandigarh.   | Member   |
| iii)  | Regional Director O/o Development Commissioner, Handicrafts.   | Member   |
| iv)   | Nominee of Director, North Indian Institute of Fashion Technology, Mohali.   | Member   |
| v)    | Nominee of Director, National Institute of Design (NID), Kurukshetra   | Member   |
| vi)   | One Special Invitee-Any National/State Awardee   | Member   |
| vii)  | Representative (not below the designation of Regional Head/ Chairman/ MD) from identified trade association/ Industrial association/ business chamber such as FICCI, CII, ASSOCHAM, PHDCCI or identified by State Government | Member   |
| viii) | One Woman Entrepreneur (as identified by State Govt.)  | Member   |
| ix)   | Additional Director, MSMEs   | Convener |

The non-official member of the Committee to be nominated by State Government, will be changed every year and new member with good background in the field of Handicrafts/Handlooms will be co-opted. The decision of the committee for selection of awardees will be final.

The Headquarter of the Committee will be at Chandigarh and it may hold its meeting at any other place in Haryana or Delhi as and when necessary.

**8. Penal Action**

In case, it is found at any stage that the applicant has claimed marketing assistance on the basis of wrong facts, the applicant shall besides refunding assistance with compound rate of interest @12% per annum and facing legal action, will be debarred from grant of any incentive/assistance from the State Government and shall be recoverable as arrears of land revenue. The applicant shall be debarred from public procurement as a result of mismatch in facts and figures.

VIJAYENDRA KUMAR,  
Principal Secretary to Government Haryana,  
Industries & Commerce Department.

**APPLICATION FORM FOR STATE THE FOR SENDING DETAILS OF ENTRIES FOR THE STATE HANDICRAFT AWARDS TO CRAFTPERSONS & WEAVERS FORTHE YEAR\_\_\_\_\_.**

**Annexure-‘A’**

Passport Size  
Photograph  
attested by  
Joint Director,  
DIC

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|----|---|--|
| 1  | Name & address of the Craftsperson/Weaver with telephone number and STD code.   |  |
| 2  | Name of Father/Husband.   |  |
| 3  | Age and Date of Birth.  |  |
| 4  | ID card no. and date issued by JD DIC/DC Handicrafts/DC Handlooms(attach copy)  |  |
| 5  | Aadhar Number   |  |
| 6  | Name of the Crafts Practiced.   |  |
| 7  | Guru or teacher from whom the Craftsperson/ Weaver got initiation and training.   |  |
| 8  | Experience (Number of Years)  |  |
| 9  | Material used in preparing the item   |  |
| 10 | Brief account of the craftsperson's/weaver's contribution towards development and improvement of the Crafts and its techniques.   |  |
| 11 | Details of outstanding works/item executed by the craftsperson/weaver. Have any of them been purchased by Museum, Temples, art critics, connoisseurs of repute. Any documents to substantiate the claim?            |  |
| 12 | Has the craftsperson/weaver imparted training in any training institute? How many craftsperson of younger generation trained?   |  |
| 13 | Is the applicant craftsperson/weaver an existing State Awardee or National Merit Certificate holder? If yes, please specify and attach copy   |  |
| 14 | Give details of other award winners in the family, if any, indicating your relationship with such awardee.  |  |
|    | State Award, indicating year. National Award, indicating year. National Merit Certificate, indicating year  |  |
| 15 | Details of major exhibition in which the craftsperson/weaver has participated either for demonstrating his skill or for displaying his creations.(If yes, attachcopy)   |  |
| 16 | Details of craft samples submitted alongwith photograph (without photograph entry will not beconsidered)  |  |
| 17 | Price of the craft sample submitted.  |  |
| 18 | Certificate (if any) from wellknown Institutions or persons knowledgeable in Handicrafts/Handlooms regarding the craftsperson's/weaver's ability in the craft and his contribution to the development of the craft. |  |

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| 19 | Brief note in respect of the entry/product made for State Handicraft Award.<br><br>(This must be given on separate sheet duly signed by the applicant) |  |
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**CERTIFICATE:**

The entry/entries submitted with this application is/are actually made/ produced by the applicant crafts person/weavers Sh./Smt. \_\_\_\_\_.  
The declaration and self attested requisite documents (address proof & artisan card) are enclosed herewith.

Signature of the Craftsperson/Weaver

**Recommendation:**

The particulars furnished in the application and in the enclosed documents have been checked and verified and I certify that in the entry has been made by him/her and he/she is a genuine craftsperson/weaver and recommend for consideration of State Handicraft Award.

Signature of the Joint Director/ Deputy Director,  
District MSME Centre.

**Annexure-‘B’**

Undertaking/Declaration (to be submitted on non-judicial stamp paper of Rs. 50/- (Min) duly sworn before a Notary Public (duly affixed with Notarial Stamp; and with Notary Seal & Notary Registration Number) or First Class Magistrate):

**DECLARATION**

I, Shri/Smt./Miss. \_\_\_\_\_ S/o, W/o, D/o Sh. \_\_\_\_\_  
resident of \_\_\_\_\_ solemnly hereby declare and affirm as under:-

1. That the Item \_\_\_\_\_ (name of the item) Craft \_\_\_\_\_ (Name of the craft) submitted by me for the State Handicraft Award for the year \_\_\_\_\_ has been prepared entirely by me and I have been practicing the crafts \_\_\_\_\_ (Name of the Craft) \_\_\_\_\_ for the last \_\_\_\_\_ years.
2. That if the above statement is found false, I shall be liable for the action as deemed fit by the competent authority.
3. That I am submitting the above entry for State Handicraft Award at my own risk and responsibility and further indemnify the State Government, Officer of the Director/Director General, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises, Haryana against any loss, damage or theft to the entry which may occur due to any unforeseen circumstances and to account of handling and transportation of the entry.

Dated:

Signature of the applicant

Place: