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**Most Urgent**

No.EDN-HE(21)B(15)15/2020-V

Directorate of Higher Education,

Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1

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Dated Shimla-1 the March,2020

To

All the Principals/ Headmasters  
Govt./Pvt. Sen. Sec./ High Schools in,  
Himachal Pradesh

**Subject:- Celebration of Samrasta Diwas on 14th April,2020-reg.**

In pursuance to the GOI letter F.No. 16-8/2019-IS-5 dated 13-03-2020, received from the Under Secretary to the GOI, MHRD, Department of School Education & Literacy, New Delhi, wherein it has been intimated that birth day of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar on 14th April is celebrated as Samrasta Diwas. The following additional activities may also be undertaken on 14-04-2020 in the Schools:-

- i. Reading of Preamble.
- ii. Conduct Youth Parliament session with debate on Constitution and Fundamental Duties and related topics.
- iii. Quiz competition.
- iv. Organizing cultural programme and exhibitions on Indian Constitution or / and biography of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar.
- v. Any other activities befitting the occasion.

All the above mentioned additional activities may be organized in your respective Schools in addition to the calendar of activities circulated by this Directorate vide letter No.EDN-HE(21)B(15)15/2018-V-Vol-11 dated 18-11-2019 and dated 06-03-2020 for the celebration of Constitution Day and Nagrik Kartavya Palan Abhiyan, which include the celebration of Ambedkar Jayanti on 14-04-2020.

All the Principals/ Headmasters of Government Sen. Sec./High Schools in the State, are directed to send the action taken report in the matter alongwith photos / videos of the activities organized in the School on 14-04-2020 before 2.00 PM, to Deputy Director of Higher Education of your respective/concerned District.



(Dr. Pramod Chauhan),  
Joint Director of Higher Education(C),  
Himachal Pradesh

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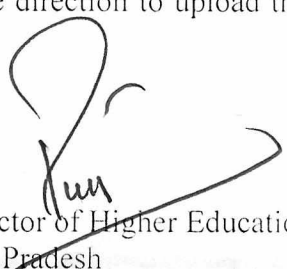
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Endst. No. Even dated Shimla-1 the March, 2020  
Copy for information and necessary action is forwarded to:-

1. The Principal Secretary (Education) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-2.
2. Sh. Rajesh Kumar Maurya, Under Secretary to the GOI, MHRD, Department of School Education & Literacy, New Delhi, w.r.t. F.No. 16-8/2019-IS-5 dated 13-03-2020.
3. The Deputy Directors of Higher Education of all the Districts in Himachal Pradesh are directed to send the action taken report in the matter to this Directorate on 14-04-2020 before 3.00PM, alongwith photos / videos of all Schools of your respective District in consolidate manner. Further, it is directed to designate an Officer/Official as District level Nodal Officer, who shall be responsible for the implementation of activities relating to citizens' duties (including fundamental duties) and also to send the action taken report in the matter of your respective District in time bound manner and contact number of the Nodal Officer may be sent to this Directorate, immediately.
4. The Technical Officer, IT Cell with the direction to upload the same on the Departmental website.
5. Guard file.

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Joint Director of Higher Education(C),  
Himachal Pradesh