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National Headquarters

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To
All the State Secretaries,
State Association of
The Bharat Scouts and Guides
INDIAN UNION

Circular No.: 166 /2024 Date :04/09/2024

SUB: APR DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION FORUM

Dear Sir/Madam,

Greetings from the Bharat Scouts and Guides National Headquarters!

We are pleased to inform you that one of the key performance indicators (KPIs) in the APR Triennial Plan (2022-2025) is to achieve objective No. 3.1 under the Diversity & Inclusion Strategic Priority. The purpose of this event is to promote Diversity and Inclusion as well as Membership growth through the active participation of both adults and youth in the forum.

In this connection the General Association of the Scouts of China will be hosting the Asia-Pacific Regional Diversity and Inclusion Forum in Kaohsiung, Taiwan.

Details are as under:

Name of the event	:	APR Diversity and Inclusion Forum
Date	:	24 to 27 November, 2024
Date of Arrival	:	23 rd November, 2024
Date of Departure	:	28 th November, 2024
Venue	:	Kaohsiung Urban Hotel 33, No.33, Minzu 2 nd Road, Sinsing District, Lingya, Kaohsiung 80052 Taiwan
	:	USD 250.00 per participant.
Forum Fee		Which covers inland transport (only from KHH Airport bus or Taiwan High Speed Rail Zuoying Station) food from dinner on 23 November to breakfast on 28 November 2024, accommodation during the event (check in on 23 November and check out on 28 November in twin sharing rooms and workshop materials
Eligibility	=	 Key Commissioners Full time executives In-charge of Youth Programme Young People aged between 18 to 26 years who are actively been involved with community projects and work related to the sustainable development goals in the area of Diversity and Inclusion and Inter-Cultural Dialogue.

Aim of Forum	:	Participants will have the opportunity to share best practices, review the APR Diversity and Inclusion Guidelines and celebrate the rich diversity of the region.
Caution money	:	₹. 5000/- Non-refundable (if selected) is to be remitted through the following link https://www.onlinesbi.sbi/sbicollect/icollecthome.htm?corpID=2784356 under International events
Travel and Visa Arrangements	:	Participants are responsible for their own travel arrangements. Granting VISA lies in the discretion of the Taiwan Embassy. BSG NHQ, is not responsible if VISA is rejected due to any reason/reasons thereof. Hence, no claim is admissible. Further, regarding airfare & VISA it will be communicated once selection letter is issued form NHQ.
Last Date of Application	=	Preference will be given on "First Come First Serve basis" to the deserving candidate only. Application of the interested candidate should reach National Headquarters, New Delhi on or before 30/09/2024 along with a photocopy of valid passport and caution money and registration fee remittance slip to authenticate the payment and application duly recommended by the State Association.

State Association is requested to forward the names of interested and deserving candidate as per the eligibility criteria so as to reach NHQ, New Delhi **by 30th September, 2024** for further processing.

Late application will not be entertained.

Thanking you,

Yours Sincerely,

(Amar B. Chettri) Executive Director

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Encl: Application Form

Copy to:-

- 1. All the NHQ Office Bearers of the Bharat Scouts and Guides, National Headquarters.
- 2. Chairman/Secretary, Railway Scout and Guide Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 3. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18 Institutional Area, Shahid Jeet Singh Marg, New Delhi 110016.
- 4. The Commissioner, Navadaya Vidyalaya Samiti, Institutional Area, B-15, Sector 62, Noida, Uttar Pradesh 201309.
- 5. The Director, DAV.
- 6. All the District Secretaries, District Association of Dammam, Riyadh, Muscat, Jamiat Youth Club and CWSN.
- 7. Assistant Directors. BSG to promote the event.
- 8. Assistant Director (RD & SA) for further follow-up