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BUREAU OF INDIAN STANDARDS
(Administration Department)

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विषय/Subject: Observance of “Communal Harmony Campaign Week” from 19th to 25th November 2021 and the Flag Day on 25th November, 2021 (Thursday) of the National Foundation for Communal Harmony (NFCH) - reg.

The 'Communal Harmony Campaign Week' will be observed from 19th to 25th November 2021 and also the Flag Day on 25th November, 2021 (Thursday) of the National Foundation for Communal Harmony (NFCH). Flag Day spreads the message of communal harmony and National integration. It is requested all to donate generously for this worthy cause.

2. A copy of DoCA letter No N-20/3/2015-P&C dated 8th November 2021 along with the copy of letter No. 5/1/2021- NFCH dated 01 October 2021 of the Secretary, National Foundation for Communal Harmony (An autonomous organization under the Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India) on the above subject, are enclosed for compliance.

3. In view of above, all officials of ROs/BOs/Labs/NITS are requested to peruse the said letter dated 01.10.2021 of NFCH along with Annexure-Y for voluntary contribution and appeal for contributing generously.

4. At BIS HQs, some representatives of Administration Department will reach to the officials of all Secretariat/Departments/Sections for their voluntary contribution during Communal Harmony Campaign Week. All are requested to contribute generously.

5. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

Encl: as above

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(संदीप मीना)
निदेशक (प्रशासन)

संदर्भ: प्रशासन/02/17/2021

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No. N-20/3/2015-P&C
Government of India
Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution
Department of Consumer Affairs

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated the 8th November, 2021

To

1. Director General, Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), Manak Bhawan, New Delhi.
2. The Registrar, NCDRC, New Delhi.
3. The Director General, NTH, Kolkata.
4. MD, NCCF, New Delhi.
5. The Director, IILM, Ranchi.
6. All RRSLs.

Subject:- Observance of the Communal Harmony Campaign Week from 19th to 25th November, 2021 and Flag Day on 25th November, 2021 (Thursday) – materials regarding.

I am directed to forward herewith a Copy of the letter No. 5/1/2021-NFCH dated 1st October, 2021 received from the Secretary, National Foundation for Communal Harmony (NFCH) on the subject mentioned above for information and strict compliance. Sticker and other material may be obtained from National Foundaton for Communal Harmony (NFCH).

2. It is requested that the amount collected may please be sent to Secretary, National Foundation for Communal Harmony, "C" Wing, 9th Floor, Lok Nayak Bhawan, Khan Market, New Delhi – 110003 directly through demand draft under intimation to this Department.

Encl. As Above.

Yours faithfully,



(Jasbir Tiwari)
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India
Tele No. 23381233



Manoj Pant
Secretary

राष्ट्रीय साम्प्रदायिक सदभाव प्रतिष्ठान
NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR COMMUNAL HARMONY
(गृह मंत्रालय के अधीन भारत सरकार का एक स्वायत्त निकाय)
(An autonomous organization with Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India)

No.5/1/2021-NFCH
New Delhi, the 1st October, 2021

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The Joint Secretary
Deptt. Of Consumer Affairs,
Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & PD
Krishi Bhavan,
New Delhi

2/11/2021
DS/P&C

Subject: Observance of the Communal Harmony Campaign Week from 19th to 25th November 2021 and Flag Day on 25th November 2021 (Thursday)- materials regarding-

Dear Sir/Madam,

National Foundation for Communal Harmony (NFCH) observes **Communal Harmony Campaign Week** every year from 19th to 25th November. The last working day of the week is observed as **Flag Day** of the Foundation. This year also the Foundation will observe Communal Harmony Campaign Week from 19th to 25th November 2021 and the Flag Day will be observed on **25th November 2021 (Thursday)**. While the Flag Day spreads message of communal harmony and National integration, it is also utilized for fund raising to enhance resources of the Foundation to carry out its activities on various schemes and projects as defined in its mandate.

2. The main activity of the Foundation is to provide financial assistance to children rendered orphan or destitute in communal, caste, ethnic or terrorist violence for their education and rehabilitation under Project 'Assist'. The Foundation also takes up several social, cultural and educational activities in collaboration with various partners for promotion of unity and harmony in the country.

3. The Foundation does not receive regular financial support from the Government for its activities. The Memorandum of Association (MoA) of the Foundation provides for collection of donations to the Foundation from different sources for supporting the destitute children and for carrying out activities. Every year, the Foundation utilizes the opportunity for generating resources by raising funds through voluntary contributions during Communal Harmony Campaign Week.

4. The Foundation solicits your organization to be its partner in observing Communal Harmony Campaign Week and Flag Day 2021 from 19th to 25th November 2021. For the purpose sufficient number of flag stickers and other publicity materials

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are being sent to your organization. The mission to promote unity, harmony and national integration merits wholehearted support from all sections of the society. I, on behalf of the Foundation, would like to appeal to you for wholehearted participation of your organization in this noble cause.

5. It will be appropriate to involve all segments of the society particularly, officers and staff in observing Communal Harmony Campaign Week and Flag Day for spreading the message of peace and harmony. You are requested to organize intensive campaign for sensitizing officers, staff and public in your area about the need for fostering communal harmony, National integration and unity through seminars, essay/painting competitions, cultural activities, organizing marathon, runs/rallies etc. A brief report with photographs on Communal Harmony Campaign Week and Flag Day 2021 would be highly appreciated.

6. Following publicity material is sent herewith to facilitate observance of **Communal Harmony Campaign Week and Flag Day 2021**. Additional material, if required, may be obtained from the Foundation:

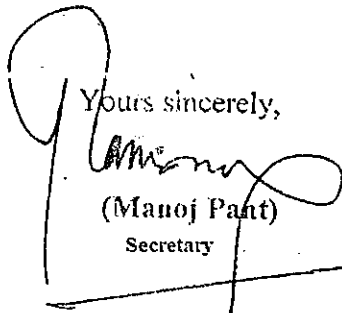
Flag stickers	1000/300
Posters	2
Wrappers for collection box	2
Pamphlet –Sankalp	1

7. Due to the unprecedented situation arising out of pandemic COVID-19, we are not certain upto what extent the academic and social activities will be permitted during the Communal Harmony Campaign Week 2021 (19th to 25th November, 2021). However, we would appreciate if the communal harmony activities and fund raising activities are extended beyond 25th November, 2021 if the situation so demands.

8. The Foundation shall be grateful if you kindly issue necessary instructions for observing Communal Harmony Campaign Week and Flag Day 2021 in your institution, for collection of maximum contribution on voluntary basis. You may take steps as outlined in the enclosed *Annexure-Y*. **All donations to the NFCH are eligible for 100% exemption from Income Tax under Section 80G (2) [iii (e)] of the Income Tax Act, 1961. Permanent Account Number (PAN) of the Foundation is AAATN0562A.**

9. Your personal intervention and co-operation is solicited to spread the message of peace, communal harmony and National integration and to make the fund raising effort a grand success.

Yours sincerely,


(Manoj Pant)
Secretary

Encl: as above.

Steps for observance of 'Communal Harmony Campaign Week and Flag Day 2021'

The following steps are required to be taken for observance of the Communal Harmony Campaign Week & Flag Day 2021:

- (i) **Celebration of Communal Harmony Campaign Week & Flag Day 2021 may be observed under the prescribed guidelines of the Government of India pertaining to COVID-19 pandemic issued from time to time.**
- (ii) To do campaigning and provide wide publicity for sensitizing officers and staff and public as a whole about the need for fostering communal harmony, National Integration and fraternity. Keeping in view the COVID-19 pandemic, effective use may be made of social media, web based seminars and activities etc.
- (iii) To make arrangements for circulation of fund collection boxes – wooden, plastic or metallic boxes may be improvised with suitable openings to insert the donation.
- (iv) To select volunteers from amongst staff to station themselves at the entrance and other vantage points and go around the office buildings on the Flag Day for distribution of flag stickers and collection of voluntary donation.
- (v) To make suitable arrangements for proper security of collection boxes, opening them, counting the amount so collected and sending to NFCH.
- (vi) Remittance of funds so collected should be made through Demand Drafts/cheque in favour of '**Secretary, National Foundation for Communal Harmony**' and sent it to **Secretary, National Foundation for Communal Harmony, 9th floor, 'C' Wing, Lok Nayak Bhawan, Khan Market, New Delhi-110003** through Registered/Speed Post and **not** by courier.
- (vii) Direct Bank Transfer (DBT) can be made by utilizing following bank details/ or be made by scanning of following QR Code from anywhere in the country:

Name of the Bank	Central Bank of India
Address of the Bank	Khan Market, New Delhi-110003.
Name of A/c holder	National Foundation for Communal Harmony
Account Number	1065439058
IFSC for NEFT/RTGS	CBIN0280310

Or

Name of the Bank	State Bank of India
Address of the Bank	Nirman Bhavan, Maulana Azad Road, New Delhi-110011
Name of A/c holder	National Foundation for Communal Harmony
Account Number	10569548047
IFSC for NEFT/RTGS	SBIN0000583

Or

Name of the Bank	Bank of India
Address of the Bank	Khan Market, New Delhi-110003
Name of A/C holder	National Foundation for Communal Harmony
Account Number	600710110006040
IFSC for NEFT/RTGS	BKID0006007

