

## **Guidelines on the Identification and selection process of the Participants for Youth Pravasi Bhartiya Diwas at Indore (MP)**

### **Background:**

The Pravasi Bhartiya Divas (PBD) Convention is a flagship event of the Government of India and provides an important platform to engage and connect with the overseas Indian Diaspora. As part of the celebration 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav', it has been decided to organize the 17<sup>th</sup> Pravasi Bhartiya Divas Convention from 08-10 January 2023 at Indore, Madhya Pradesh, in a physical format after a gap of four years. NYKS will select **245 Young Participants** from across the country (**200** from Madhya Pradesh and **45** from rest of the country) to interact with the young Indian diaspora during the Youth Pravasi Bhartiya Diwas.

### **Selection Process:**

The youth will be selected through the process of three-layer screening namely District, State and National Level. In case of large number of applications, the Selection Committee will filter the applicants based on the biodata cum statement of purpose as to why the participant wants to be part of Youth Pravasi Bhartiya Diwas and what he/she hopes to learn from such opportunities and engagements.

#### **(A) Essential Eligibility –**

The basic minimum criteria for the eager youth are as following:

1. In the age group of 15-29 years as on 01<sup>st</sup> January 2023.
2. Graduate in any stream.
3. Having effective communication Skills.
4. Having better writing ability and effective speaking English skills.
5. Permanent resident of a District from where selected.
6. Neither have criminal antecedents nor any criminal case pending in any court of law.

#### **(B) Evaluation Parameters for Selection of the Participants –**

<b>S.No.</b>	<b>Broad Area</b>	<b>Sub-areas</b>	<b>Max Score</b>
<b>1</b>	Biodata/Statement of Purpose	1. Clarity of Thoughts -10 Marks 2. Involvement in Community Development Initiative – 5 Marks 3. Thoughts on Vision India@2047 – 5 Marks	20

2	Interpersonal Skills	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Effective Communication Skills– 10 Marks</li> <li>2. English Speaking Skills – 5 Marks</li> <li>3. Level of confidence and demeanor– 5 Marks</li> </ol>	20
3.	Knowledge about History/Arts/Culture/Development Activities of represented State/District and India	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. History -5 Marks</li> <li>2. Art/Culture -5 Marks</li> <li>3. Technical Advancement and Innovation -5 Marks</li> <li>4. Flora and fauna – 5 Marks</li> </ol>	20
4	Profile of the participant	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Artist – 10 Marks</li> <li>2. Entrepreneur (Social and Technical), Sports person – 10 Marks</li> </ol>	20
5	Awards/Recognition	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. National NSS Awardee/National Youth Awardee/Member of Outstanding Youth Club Awardee at National Level – 20 Marks</li> <li>2. State NSS Awardee/State Youth Awardee/Member of Outstanding Youth Club Awardee at State Level -10 Marks</li> </ol>	20

**(C) Selection Committee at District and State Level –**

1. A three-member Selection Committee (comprised of District Youth Officer, One Prominent Journalist/Educationist/Professor/Lecturer of college and one leading social worker/entrepreneur) will assess the received applications at District Level.  
Similarly, three members' State Level Committee (of State Director, One Prominent Journalist/Educationist/Lecturer of college and one leading social worker/entrepreneur) will assess the received applications at State Level.
2. For each activity mentioned in the application should be supported by proper documentary evidence and certification. The decision of the Selection committee will be final and binding. A performa for seeking detailed biodata (Annexure-1) and Assessment Sheet (Annexure-2) are enclosed along with this guideline.
3. Selection Committee will shortlist participants based on the biodata cum statement of purpose and may select the candidates through screening.

4. The Selection Committee may give preference to the Technology/Social Entrepreneurs, Social Change Leaders, Youth Awardees/ NSS Awardees and Youth Club Awardees.

**(D) Screening Process:**

1. As mentioned earlier there will be a three-layer screening process consisting of District Level, State Level and National Level.
  - i. **District Level** – Each District will prepare a merit list based on the Evaluation Parameters and select the 1st winner who will participate in the State Level Screening.
  - ii. **State Level** – Each State will prepare a merit list based on the Evaluation Parameters and select double the participants allotted to the states. These participants will qualify for the national level screening. For example from the state of Jharkhand , 4 participants are to be selected for participation in Youth Pravasi Bhartiya Diwas , therefore at State Level , Jharkhand has to selected 8 participants.
  - iii. **National Level\*** – The state level screening qualifiers will make a video of 3 minutes duration of themselves on the theme of Vision India@2047, achievements of the participant which will be screened by a committee at NYKS HQ for the final selection for participation in the Youth Pravasi Bhartiya Diwas.  
**\*The National Level Screening will not be done for the Participants of Madhya Pradesh.**
2. If at any stage, it is found that any information furnished or documents submitted by the candidate is/are false/incorrect or if according to the DoYA/NYKS, the candidate does not satisfy the eligibility criteria for the participation, his/ her candidature will be cancelled without notice.

**(E) Tentative Timelines:**

- **Inviting the Applications** – 20<sup>st</sup> to 22<sup>th</sup> December 2022
- **Screening Process at District Level** - 23<sup>th</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> December 2022
- **Screening Process at State Level** – 25<sup>th</sup> December 2022
- **Submission of Videos of Participant to HQ**- 26<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> December 2022
- **Screening Process at National Level** – 28<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> December 2022

**Application Proforma to assess the Participant**

1.	Name and address of the Youth		..... .....
2.	Date of Birth(attach certificate)		.....
3.	Qualification (Graduate/PG/MPhil/Phd) {Certificate of highest qualification should be attached}		.....
4.	Area of Education (Humanities/Science/Commerce/Engineering/Technology/Management /Medical/ Professional Courses such as CA/ICWA/CFA/CPA etc.)		
5.	Gender (Male/Female)		
6.	A brief statement of purpose of the expectation of participant while interacting with the Young Diaspora during Youth Pravasi Bhartiya Diwas (not exceeding 500 words to be attached along with the application).		(Please enclose as self-signed Annexure)
7.	Details of Awards/ recognition received (Please specify and provide details)		
8.	Additional information, if any		

Certified that the above details and information are correct and true.

**Signature of the Participant**

Place :

Date :

It is certified that the details provided by the Youth in the proforma are found to be correct and the same have been verified.

Place : \_\_\_\_\_  
Date : \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of the District Youth Officer \_\_\_\_\_  
District NYK \_\_\_\_\_  
State \_\_\_\_\_

**Assessment Performa for The Selection of the Participants of Pravasi Bhartiya Diwas to be held at Indore on 08<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023**

Name of Participant \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Block \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

S.No.	Broad Areas	Sub-areas	Brief Comments/ Intent Justification	Score
1	Bio-data/Statement of Purpose	1. Clarity of Thoughts -10 Marks 2. Involvement in Community Development – 5 Marks 3. Thoughts on Vision India@2047 – 5 Marks		
2	Interpersonal Skills	1. Effective Communication Skills – 10 Marks 2. English Speaking Skills – 5 Marks 3. Level of confidence and demeanor– 5 Marks		
3.	Knowledge about History/Arts/Culture/ Development Activities of represented State/District and India	1. History -5 Marks 2. Art/Culture -5 Marks 3. Technical Advancement and Industrial Progress -5 Marks 4. Flora and fauna – 5 Marks		
4	Profile of the participant	1. Artist – 10 Marks 2. Entrepreneur (Social and Technical), Sports Person – 10 Marks		
5	Awards	1. National NSS Awardee/National Youth Awardee/Member of Outstanding Youth Club Awardee at National Level – 20 Marks 2. State NSS Awardee/State Youth Awardee/Member of Outstanding Youth Club Awardee at State Level -10 Marks		

Signature  
Name of Committee Member-  
Designation –  
District -

Signature  
Name of DYO-  
District -  
State-