

Government of West Bengal

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From: Director of Public Instruction (In Charge) **Department of Higher Education Government of West Bengal** Bikash Bhawan, Kolkata - 700091

To: All the Principals/ Officer-in-Charge/ Teachers-in-Charge/ Presidents of the Governing Body/ Administrators of all Government/ Governmentaided/ Sponsored colleges in the State.

Sir/Madam,

I would like to draw your attention to the attached D.O. Letter No. 148-Pr.Secy-HED/2016 of the Principal Secretary, Higher Education Department on the State Level Teachers' Convention to be held on 07.01.2017 for perusal and necessary action.

This may be treated as urgent

Yours faithfully,

Director of Public Instruction (In Charge)

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VIVEK KUMAR, IAS Principal Secretary



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D.O.No.148-Pr.Secy-HED/2016

Dated 7th December, 2016

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This is in connection with the State-level Teachers' Convention being organised by the Higher Education Department on Saturday, the 7th January 2017 at 2 p.m in the Netaji Indoor Stadium, Kolkata.

You may recall Dr. Partha Chatterjee, Hon'ble Minister's announcement in this regard to the Vice Chancellors and Principals of the State in the Review Meeting held on 17 November 2016, informing that the Hon'ble Chief Minister had graciously consented to address the said Convention, and his appeal to the heads of the State's higher education institutions to participate enthusiastically in the first-ever State-level Teachers' Convention.

The Convention will provide a platform for deliberation on the major challenges and opportunities before the State's education system and the possible strategies to actualise our common goal of establishing West Bengal as a Higher Education Hub.

Since we want to disseminate the State Government's vision among all the stakeholders, and elicit their cooperation in the common enterprise of actualising that vision, we seek the maximum participation of College teachers (regular, part-time and contractual whole time teachers included) and the Directorate's officials and staff.

Transport/ other logistics arrangements may be made from the end of the colleges, and T.A., where applicable under the rules, may be paid from the respective college's establishments out of the available funds. Participation in the State-level Convention will be treated as "on duty".

Since time is short, I will be grateful for your immediate action in intimating the Principal, OICs/TICs of all Government / Government-aided colleges under your administrative control, to make the event a success.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Vivek Kumar)

Shri Arup Sengupta DPI in charge