



## **ABSTRACT**

Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department – 24<sup>th</sup> National Youth Festival, 2021 – Constitution of the State Level Committee – Orders – Issued

### **YOUTH WELFARE AND SPORTS DEVELOPMENT (YW1) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O. (D) No.38**

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திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு 2051

**Read :**

From the Joint Secretary & CVO., Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India, New Delhi, D.O. No. 1-11011/3/2020-NPYAD, dated 11<sup>th</sup> December 2020.

### **ORDER:-**

In the letter 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the Joint Secretary, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports has stated that the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports is planning to organize the 24<sup>th</sup> National Youth festival, 2021, from 20<sup>th</sup> December, 2020 to 16<sup>th</sup> January 2021 in virtual / Hybrid mode with the support and participation of all States / UTs.

2. He has further stated that for the effective participation, all State Governments are advised to conduct mini festivals at their level by organizing various Competitive / Non-competitive events. The festival will be organized at State / UT level in 2 phases as under:

- i) **Phase I (State Level) 20<sup>th</sup> Dec to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2020;** All States / UTs may conduct competitions by involving youth of the respective State / UTs on any 3-4 days in between 20<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2020. The finalists will then participate in Phase – II.
- ii) **Phase – II (National Level) 12<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> January 2021:** All States / UTs may conduct Online and Offline Programmes and Department of Youth Affairs, Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports will conduct a series of Online / Virtual Programmes at National Level. A contingent of around 75 to 100 youth including cultural troupes will be selected to participate in the National Youth Festival to be organized at State / UTs' Capital.

3. The Joint Secretary, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India has requested all the States/UTs' to constitute a State Level Committee to conduct the events for the Festival with the following suggestive composition.

1. Principal Secretary, YAS of the State / UT Government
2. Any member(s) nominated by Principal Secretary, YAS of the State / UT Government
3. Regional Director, NSS
4. State Director, NYKS
5. State Representative of the Selected Event Management Agency
6. Representative of NIC of the State

4. He has also stated that the role of the State Level Committees may be the overall arrangement of boarding and lodging of the participants, ensuring presence of the youth in various Competitive and Non-competitive events, ensuring availability of the infrastructure for conduct of the festival in the State, publicity of the festival for maximum participation of youth through virtual mode, ensuring adherence of guidelines of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare to avoid the spread of Covid-19, live online streaming of the festival etc.,

5. The Government, after careful examination, accept the proposal of Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India and constitute the State Level Committee with the following members to undertake the conceptualization and implementation of the activities related to the 24<sup>th</sup> National Youth Festival 2021.

Additional Chief Secretary, Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department	Chairman
The Principal Secretary / Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu	Member & Convener
The State Director, Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan	Member
The Regional Director, National Service Scheme (NSS)	Member
The State NSS Officer, National Service Scheme (NSS)	Member
Management Agency in Chennai (Mr. Nitesh)	Member
Senior Technical Director, National Informatics Centre (NIC) (Tmt. V.Rajeswari)	Member

**(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)**

**APURVA VARMA**  
**ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

**To**

The Principal Secretary / Member Secretary, SDAT, Chennai – 84.  
The State Director, NYKS, Palavakkam, Chennai  
The Regional Director NSS, Chennai  
The State Co-ordinator for NSS, Chennai  
The State NSS Officer, Chennai  
The Individual concerned, the Management Agency in Chennai  
The Senior Technical Director, the National Informatics Centre

**Copy to:**

The Finance (Edn-I) Department, Chennai-9.

The Spl. PA to the Hon'ble Minister, School Education, Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department  
The Private Secretary to Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department, Chennai-9  
The Resident Audit Officer, Secretariat, Chennai -9.  
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**//Forwarded / By order//**

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