

No.M-75075/69/2020-Estt.IV  
Government of India  
Ministry of Jal Shakti  
Department of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation  
Central Water Commission

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03rd Floor (S), Sewa Bhawan,  
R. K. Puram, New Delhi-110066  
Dated the, 18th March, 2020

Subject: **Recommendations for Ashoka Chakra series of Gallantry awards to be announced on Independence Day, 2020.**

The undersigned is to forward herewith a copy of email dated 18.03.2020 and a copy of letter No. F-11011/8/2020-Coord dated 17.03.2020 received from Coordination Section, Department of Water resources, RD & GR, Ministry of Jal Shakti along with a copy of MHA's letter No. 18/1/2020-Public dated 06.03.2020 with enclosures on the subject cited above.

2. You are therefore, requested to send the recommendations, if any, for above award in prescribed proforma to this Section so that consolidated information may be sent to Coordination Section, DoWR, RD & GR, Ministry of Jal Shakti.

Enclosures: As above

Signature Not Verified  
Digitally signed by  
R.K.BALAMURUGAN  
Date: 2020.03.19 14:06:21 IST

**(R. K. Balamurugan)**  
Under Secretary (E-IV)  
Tel: 011 29583302  
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To

1. U.S./S.O.- E-I, II, III, V, VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XI, XII, XIII, XIV, O&M, APAR & CM & V Section, CWC
2. All the Chief Engineers of field offices of CWC through web portal circular of CWC
3. Director, RMCD, CWC
4. Director, WP & P/ D & R (C), CWC
5. Director, RD Directorate, CWC
6. Director, PCP Directorate, CWC
7. Director, TC Directorate, CWC
8. Director, Work Plan Cell, CWC
9. Accounts Officer, A/Cs, CWC
10. S.E. Planning Circle, Faridabad, CWC

Copy for information to:

1. P.S. to the Chief Engineer (HRM), CWC
2. P.S. to the Secretary, CWC


Email

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**Fwd: Recommendations for Ashoka Chakra series of Gallantry Awards to be announced on Independence day, 2020**


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**From :** cehrmgmt <cehrmgmt@cw.cdelhi.nic.in> Wed, Mar 18, 2020 10:52 AM  
**Subject :** Fwd: Recommendations for Ashoka Chakra series of Gallantry Awards to be announced on Independence day, 2020  2 attachments  
**To :** Rahul Ranbir Singh <rr.singh61@nic.in>, E-IV, CWC <estt4@cw.cdelhi.nic.in>

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**From:** "Chairman cw.c" <chairman-cw.c@nic.in>  
**To:** "cehrmgmt" <cehrmgmt@nic.in>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 18, 2020 10:11:33 AM  
**Subject:** Fwd: Recommendations for Ashoka Chakra series of Gallantry Awards to be announced on Independence day, 2020

----- Original Message -----

**From:** **SO Coord MoWR** <coord-mowr@nic.in>  
**Date:** Mar 18, 2020 10:01:04 AM  
**Subject:** Recommendations for Ashoka Chakra series of Gallantry Awards to be announced on Independence day, 2020  
**To:** director.neriwalm@gmail.com, gfccpatna@gmail.com, estbt.fbp121@gmail.com, "Director, CWPRS, Pune" <director@cwprs.gov.in>, "CAO CAO, ADMIN, CWPRS" <cao@cwprs.gov.in>, bcb242433@gmail.com, sebrb2008@rediffmail.com, CMD <cmd.npcc@nic.in>, polavaram.authority@gmail.com, SSCAC <sscac-mowr@nic.in>, secretarytbb@yahoo.com, cmd@wapcos.co.in, personnel@wapcos.co.in, aomin.cgwb@gmail.com, diradm-cgwb <diradm-cgwb@nic.in>, "CHAIRMAN, CGWB" <chmn-cgwb@nic.in>, S N Pal <us2-csmrs@nic.in>, S L Gupta <director-csmrs@nic.in>, Chairman cw.c <chairman-cw.c@nic.in>, SECRETARY CWC <secy-cw.c@nic.in>, "Shri R. Vasudevan" <dda.nca@nic.in>, "Dr. Jai Vir Tyagi" <director.nihr@gov.in>, Director General NWDA <dg-nwda@nic.in>, CEHQNWDA <cehq-nwda@nic.in>, Brahmaputra <bbrd-ghy@nic.in>, admn-mowr <adm-mowr@nic.in>, Ashok Kumar Kaushik <usadm-mowr@nic.in>, Neeraj Kumar <secy-cwma@nic.in>, "MS,GRMB" <membersecy-grmb@gov.in>, krmb hyd <krmb.hyd@gmail.com>, Krishan Kumar Sapra <smd@nmcg.nic.in>

Sir,

Please find attached letter for necessary action and send information to the Coordination Section at the earliest.

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**MHA letter.pdf**

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F. No. F-11011/8/2020-Coord.  
Government of India  
Ministry of Jal Shakti  
Department of Water Resources, RD & GR  
(Coordination Section)

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Room No. 1, B Wing, Ground Floor,  
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated 17<sup>th</sup> March 2020

To

All Head of Organizations under DoWR, RD&amp;GR

**Sub: Recommendations for Ashoka Chakra series of Gallantry awards  
to be announced on Independence Day, 2020.**

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of MHA letter no. 18/1/2020-Public dated 06.03.2020 on the subject mentioned above and to say that recommendations, if any, for above award may be sent in the prescribed proforma to this Department at the earliest, so that consolidated information in respect of this Department can be sent to MHA within stipulated time.

Encl : As above.

**(Rajan Bhasin)**

**Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Tel. 011-23074033**

Copy to: Under Secretary (Admn.) to taking similar action in respect of  
Department (proper)



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**MOST IMMEDIATE**

**No.18 /1/2020-Public  
Government of India/Bharat Sarkar  
Ministry of Home Affairs/Grih Mantralaya  
(Public Section, Room No. 13)**

**06 MAR 2020**

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North Block, New Delhi.  
Dated 6<sup>th</sup> March, 2020.

To

1. The Chief Secretaries of all State Governments.
2. Administrators of all UTs.
3. Chief Secretary, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
4. DGPs of all State Governments/UT Administrations.
5. DGs of CAPFs / RPF
6. Secretaries of all Ministries/Depts. of the Govt. of India.

Drr (Coord)

12/3/2020

Subject: **Recommendations for Ashoka Chakra series of Gallantry awards to be announced on Independence Day, 2020.**

Sir/Madam,

JS(A)

The Government of India has instituted several awards to honour individual acts of merit and gallantry. The idea behind instituting a system of awards and decorations is that the awards and decorations, which are tangible tokens of recognition of the service rendered by an individual, could act as a powerful incentive for greater efforts by that person and also serve as an example for others to emulate.

2. The Ashoka Chakra series of gallantry awards are amongst the highest gallantry awards of the country. These awards are given in three categories viz. *Ashoka Chakra* (awarded for most conspicuous bravery or some act of daring or pre-eminent valour of self sacrifice), *Kirti Chakra* (awarded for conspicuous gallantry) and *Shaurya Chakra* (awarded for gallantry). The awards are announced by the Government of India on the occasions of Republic Day and Independence Day every year. Besides the Defence personnel, civilian citizens of either sex in all walks of life, and members of Police Forces, Central Armed Police Forces and Railway Protection Force are also eligible for these awards.

3. It is the practice to invite nominations/recommendations for the gallantry awards twice every year from all State/UT Governments and Ministries/Departments of the Government of India. It has, however, been our experience that very few recommendations are received. This is despite the fact that various incidents of gallant acts performed by individuals are regularly reported in the print and electronic media. Such acts of bravery/gallantry go unrecognized in the absence of appropriate recommendation in their favour by the State Governments or other organizations to which the individual involved in the gallantry act belongs. This matter therefore deserves due attention.

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4. You are, therefore, requested to send appropriate nominations/ recommendations for gallantry awards to be announced on **Independence Day-2020**. The recommendations are to be sent in the **enclosed proforma latest by 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2020**.

5. While finalizing the recommendations, the following points may be kept in view:-

- (i) It may be ensured that the person recommended for the award is bonafide and suitable candidate for the award.
- (ii) Complete details of the gallantry act, including sequence-wise details of the steps taken by the person connected with the act, nature of risk involved, etc should be clearly mentioned in the recommendation. This should be properly corroborated by documents like FIR or other report from police authority.
- (iii) A certificate about the verification of the Character and antecedents of the person recommended is forwarded in the enclosed format along with the recommendation, in the absence of which the recommendation will not be considered.
- (iv) The gallant act for considering recommendations for Ashoka Chakra series of awards should have been performed not more than **two calendar years** ago from the date of occasion i.e. Independence Day in this case. Therefore, recommendations for gallantry acts performed in the **calendar year 2019 and the calendar year 2020** may only be forwarded to this Ministry for consideration.
- (v) The last date for receipt of the recommendations i.e. **30.04.2020** may be strictly adhered to.
- (vi) Photograph and brief Life Sketch of the recommended person should also be sent.

Yours faithfully,

*Deepak Kumar*  
26/03/2020  
(Deepak Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Tel. No. 011-23092421

Encl: As above.



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**ASHOKA CHAKRA SERIES OF GALLANTRY AWARD***(Proforma for recommendation of Ashoka Chakra Series of Gallantry Awards)***PART-A**

1. Full Name in English : \_\_\_\_\_  
(in Block letter)
2. Full Name in Hindi : \_\_\_\_\_
3. Designation, if employed : \_\_\_\_\_
4. Name of Employer with : \_\_\_\_\_  
complete address, if any
5. Date of Birth/Age : \_\_\_\_\_
6. Name of the Next-of-Kin : \_\_\_\_\_  
(In case of posthumous awards)
7. Relation-ship of Next-of-Kin : \_\_\_\_\_  
with the awardee
8. Present Address : \_\_\_\_\_  
(with telephone/fax/  
e-mail, if any for contact) : \_\_\_\_\_
9. Permanent Address : \_\_\_\_\_  
: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Date of incident : \_\_\_\_\_
11. Nature of act for which : \_\_\_\_\_  
the recommendation made
12. Award recommended : \_\_\_\_\_  
(i.e. Ashoka Chakra, Kirti  
Chakra and Shaurya Chakra)
13. Whether Posthumous Award : (Yes/No) \_\_\_\_\_
14. Details of Gallantry series : Award \_\_\_\_\_  
of award received earlier, : Year \_\_\_\_\_  
if any, with incident
15. Recommending authority : \_\_\_\_\_  
(Complete Address/  
Telephone/Fax) : \_\_\_\_\_

**PART-B****CITATION**

*NB: Citation should be attached separately in the form of a write-up giving complete sequence-wise details of the gallantry act in about 200-250 words properly supported by documents like **FIR** or other report from police authority.*

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ASHOKA CHAKRA SERIES OF GALLANTRY AWARD

(Proforma for verification of the character & antecedents of  
the recommended person)

CERTIFICATE

It is certified that the character and antecedents of  
Shri/Smt\*\_\_\_\_\_ have been  
verified and it is confirmed that nothing adverse has been reported against  
him/her.

(Signature)

Name &amp; Designation of the Recommending Authority

Tel:

Date:

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\*(Name, Father's Name and address of the person recommended)