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UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION

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NEW DELHI-110 002 (INDIA)

BY SPEED POST

D.O.NO.F.14-6/2009(CPP-II)

September, 2009

Subject: Celebration of National Education Day

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Dear Sir/Madam,

You may perhaps be aware that the Central Government vide its Resolution dated 11th September, 2008 has declared 11th November, the Birth Anniversary of Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, great freedom fighter, eminent educationist and the first Union Minister of Education as the National Education Day. The resolution calls upon all the educational institutions, including universities, to celebrate this day by recalling his contribution to the cause of education in India. The commemorative activities may include organization of seminars, symposia, essay writing, elocution competitions and workshops on the importance of education. A copy of the resolution is **enclosed**.

I would request you to commemorate the birthday of this great son of India in a befitting manner. This may also be brought to the notice of the colleges affiliated to your University.

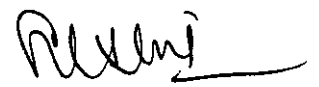
Yours sincerely,

(Dr. Dev Swarup)

The Vice-Chancellor
All the Universities/Deemed Universities

Copy to:

- Shri Amit Khare, Joint Secretary(Bureau of BP & CR, Education Policy, UNESCO, INC & ICC), Government of India, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of Higher Education, New Delhi.
- ✓- SSO(Website), University Grants Commission, New Delhi, for posting on UGC website.


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(TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART-I SECTION-I OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA)

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION
(PN-1 SECTION)

New Delhi, dated the 11th September, 2008

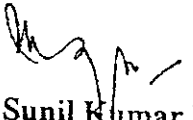
RESOLUTION

There have been consistent demands from various sections of the society to observe 11th November, the birthday of Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, a great Freedom Fighter, an eminent Educationist and the first Union-Minister of Education, in a befitting manner. Several State Governments have also supported the demand. Accordingly, the Central Government has decided to observe 11th November, every year, as the "National Education Day" throughout the country, without declaring it as a holiday.

2. Ministry of Human Resource Development has decided to commemorate the birthday of this great Son of India by recalling his contribution to the cause of education in India. Educational Institutions at all levels would be involved in organizing seminars, symposia, essay-writing, elocution competitions, workshops and rallies with banners, cards and slogans on the importance of literacy and nation's commitment to all aspects of education on the "National Education Day". The focus of activities on the "National Education Day" would be on the various initiatives taken under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA); in setting up model schools in secondary education; on the various initiatives taken in higher secondary education; and in vocational and higher education sectors by the Central Government on its own, and in partnership with State Governments, as well as through Private Public Partnership. These initiatives would be projected in association with

various industry bodies, whose fullest cooperation also would be sought in the development of human resources in the country.

3. All concerned are requested to ensure that the activities enumerated in Paragraph-2 of this Resolution are implemented by the institutions under their purview.

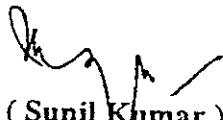

(Sunil Kumar)
Joint Secretary to the Government of India
Tel. No. 23382298

ORDER

Ordered that a copy of the Resolution be published in the Gazette of India for general information.

Also ordered that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to all the Ministries/Departments of the Government of India, all State Governments/Union Territories Administrations, Universities, Institutions/Organizations of the Department of Higher Education and Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Human Resource Development, for information and necessary action.

[F.No. 17-35/2004-PN.I]


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To

The Manager,
Government of India Press,
Faridabad.

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1. Prime Minister's Office
2. Cabinet Secretariat
3. The Secretaries of all the Ministries/Department of Govt. of India.
4. The Chief Ministers/ Administrators of all States/UTs

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5. The Secretaries(Higher Education/Technical Education) of all States/UTs
 6. PS to HRM
 7. PS to MOS (Higher Education)
 8. PS to MOS (School Education and Literacy)
 9. PS to Secretary, Deptt. of Higher Education
 10. PS to Secretary, Deptt. of School Education and Literacy
 11. PS to Additional Secretary/ PS to JS(EP)
 12. All Bureau Heads/Divisional Heads of the Department of Higher Education and Department of School Education and Literacy
 13. As per list attached (Annexure-I)
 14. Guard file/Spare copies.
 15. Chairman, All India Urdu Educational Committee, International Urdu Conference, 10-2-521, Asif Nagar, Hyderabad-500028.

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