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To

All the State Secretaries
State Association of
The Bharat Scouts and Guides
INDIAN UNION

Circular No.: 243 /2022

Date : 23rd DEC, 2022

SUB: APR FORUM ON SCOUTS FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS AT HONG KONG

Dear Sir/Madam,

We are glad to inform you that Scout Association of Hong Kong in collaboration with the Asia Pacific Region of the World Organization of the Scout Movement is organizing the APR Forum on Scouts for Sustainable Development Goals.

Details are as under:

Name of the Event	:	APR Forum on Scouts for Sustainable Development Goals
Date	:	07 th to 10 th April, 2023 (Friday – Monday)
Date of Arrival	:	Forum participants should arrive on 07 th April 2023
Date of Departure	:	10 th April, 2023 Evening
Venue	:	BP International No. 8 Austin Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong
Accommodation	:	Accommodation of participants will be taken care of from 7 th April 2023 night until 11 th April 2023 Noon (04 nights) and any extra nights will be at the cost of the participants. Participants will be accommodated in a twin-sharing room basis. For those who wish to stay in a single room an additional fee of USD60.00 per day will be charged. Candidate has to inform well in advance. Meals will be provide to participants from dinner on 7 th April 2023 until breakfast on 11 th April 2023.
Objectives	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ To identify the Key Challenges in Scouting related to SDGs.➤ To map out innovative practices of NSOs and showcase the contribution of Scouting in SDGs➤ To raise awareness on the progress of implementation the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development Goals under short/medium/long-term strategy.
Eligibility	:	The forum is an opportunity for NSO leaders (Volunteers or professional) aged 18 years old and above who are committed to deliver youth led projects for projects/programme related to Sustainable Development Goals to meet and share information as well as form partnerships and work together on topics of common interest.
Registration Fee	:	USD 200.00 per participant to cover inland transportation, meals, accommodation for the forum duration, forum kit, documents and souvenirs. person which covers accommodation (Twin Sharing) food for during the

		workshop, airport reception, transfer from airport to venue and back, Educational Tour within workshop and materials.
Caution Fee	:	Rs. 10,000/- Non-refundable if selected and not participated and adjustable after participation. Caution Money is to be remitted through the following link under International Events https://bit.ly/3qW5L3h selected candidate will have to pay Rs. 1000/- as administrative charges, Rs. 2500/- towards Scout/Guide welfare fund and Rs. 1500/- for Magazine which will be adjustable from Caution Money and balance amount is refundable after submission of workshop report to NHQ.
Airfare & VISA	:	Candidate is free to book his/her air ticket at their own to and fro Hong Kong and back. If required NHQ will support ticketing & VISA.
Last Date of Application	:	Preference will be given on " First Come First Serve basis " to the deserving candidate only. Application of the interested candidate should reach National Headquarters, New Delhi on or before 31st January, 2023 along with a photocopy of valid passport and caution money duly recommended by the State Association.

State Associations are requested to encourage and promote this event and submit the name of the interested & deserving candidate to the National Headquarters on or before **31st January, 2023** along with the application form, caution money and photopage of valid passport.

Thanking you,

Yours in Scouting,



(AMAR B. CHETTRI)

JT. DIRECTOR OF SCOUTS (PROG. & TRG.)

Encl: Application Form

Copy to:-

1. All the NHQ Office Bearers of the Bharat Scouts and Guides, National Headquarters.
2. Chairman/Secretary, Railway Scout and Guide Board, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18 Institutional Area, Shahid JeetSingh Marg, New Delhi - 110016.
4. The Commissioner, Navadaya Vidyalaya Samiti, Institutional Area, B-15, Sector - 62, Noida, Uttar Pradesh - 201309.
5. The Director, DAV
6. All the District Secretaries, District Association of Dammam, Riyadh, Muscat and JamiatYouth Club and Sea Scout/Guide Auxiliary Unit.