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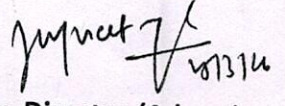
Date: 25.03.2026

**ENDORSEMENT**

The copy of under mentioned D.O. is forwarded herewith for information and necessary action:-

S. No.	Name of Department	No. and Date	Subject
1.	Government of India, Ministry of Culture, New Delhi-110001	CM-21/1/2025- C&M dated 16.03.2026	Action Plan for the Special Phase of the commemoration of 150 years of Vande Mataram from 23 <sup>rd</sup> March to 30 <sup>th</sup> March, 2026 centred around Shaheedi Diwas.

Encl: As above

  
Dy. Director (Admn.)

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**Fw: Fwd: Action Plan for the Special Phase of the commemoration of 150 years of Vande Mataram from 23rd March 2026 to 30 March 2026 centered around Shaheedi Diwas.**

1 message

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Respected Sir/Madam,

Please find attached herewith letter dated 16.03.2026 of Office of Ministry of Culture, GoI on the subject cited above received in this office from Office of Chief Secretary (Delhi), vide which it is informed that Union Ministry of Home Affairs and Cooperation, GOI has approved the organization of Special Phase of the commemoration of 150 years of Vande Mataram from **23rd March 2026 to 30th March 2026 centred around Shaheedi Diwas.**


The focus during this period will be on commemorating the Bravehearts of India's Freedom Struggle, particularly those associated with the history and legacy of "Vande Mataram". It is also requested that necessary directions may be issued to the concerned district administrations and local bodies to organise appropriate programmes including Mass singing of 'Vande Mataram' and to ensure that the details of such events are uploaded on the campaign portal at the earliest.

In this regard, it is requested to share the **Action Taken Report** on the activities performed by your department during the Special Phase of Commemoration of 150 Years of Vande Mataram latest by **01.04.2026 at 02:00 PM with this department** so that the same may be placed before the Competent Authority for onward submission to the Office of the Worthy, Chief Secretary (Delhi).

With regards,

Dy. Secretary (ACL)

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Secretary



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D.O. No. CM-21/1/2025-C&M

Dear Shri Verma,

As you are aware, the Government of India is commemorating 150 Years of the national song "Vande Mataram" through year-long activities across the country from 7 November 2025 to 7 November 2026, in accordance with the Action Plan approved by the National Implementation Committee (NIC).

2. Following the successful observance of Phase-1 and Phase-2, the National Implementation Committee (NIC), under the chairmanship of the Hon'ble Union Minister of Home Affairs and Cooperation, vide its order dated 13<sup>th</sup> March 2026, has approved the organisation of a Special Phase of the commemoration of 150 Years of Vande Mataram from 23<sup>rd</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> March 2026, centred around Shaheed Diwas. Accordingly, the focus during this period will be on commemorating the Bravehearts of India's freedom struggle, particularly those associated with the history and legacy of "Vande Mataram".

3. Further, in accordance with the directions of the National Implementation Committee (NIC), the activities to be undertaken under the Special Phase by the States/Union Territories for the Commemoration of 150 Years of Vande Mataram are detailed in Annexure-1.

4. All activities during the Special Phase may kindly be implemented in district with participation of educational institutions and local bodies to ensure maximum visibility and citizen participation and to give appropriate prominence to the ideals of sacrifice associated with Shaheed Diwas and the history and legacy of "Vande Mataram".

5. As part of the ongoing national commemoration, descendants and family members of distinguished individuals who were historically associated with the history, propagation, performance, publication, artistic depiction, or defence of "Vande Mataram" may be appropriately felicitated and honoured on behalf of a grateful nation. It is requested that your State/UT may kindly identify and prepared detailed list of people connected with the history and legacy of Vande Mataram in their local context. During this period, representatives of the State/UT administration and leaders are encouraged to visit the homes of Bravehearts and those connected with the History and legacy of Vande Mataram.

6. Further, it is also requested that citizens may be encouraged to actively participate on the campaign portal <https://www.vandemataram150.in>, including engagement with features such as Sing Along, Click & Selfie, and uploading their renditions of Vande Mataram, so as to enhance public participation and digital outreach. It is further requested that during all official programmes where mass singing of "Vande Mataram" is organised, all six stanzas may be sung as per the prescribed protocol.

7. In the above context, I would request that necessary instructions may kindly be issued to the concerned district administrations and local bodies to organise appropriate programmes, including mass singing of "Vande Mataram", and to ensure that details of such events are uploaded on the campaign portal at the earliest.

Encl: As above

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Vivek Aggarwal)

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Chief Secretary  
Government of NCT of Delhi

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Annexure I  
Commemoration of 150 Years of Vande Mataram- Special Phase (Phase-3)

Commemoration phases:

The overall commemoration is envisaged with 5 phases of concentrated activities given under:

Phase 1	7-14 November, 2025
Phase 2	19-26 January 2026 (Around Republic Day)
Special Phase	23-30 March 2026 (Focused on Shaheedi Diwas)
Phase 4	7-17 August 2026 (Along with Har Ghar Tiranga 2026 and August Kranti Diwas)
Phase 5	1-7 November 2026 (Closing Week)

States/Union Territories may consider incorporating the following elements while organising programmes during the commemorative week (23-30 March 2026) centred around Shaheedi Diwas (23 March):

1. Mass singing of "Vande Mataram" (full song) at programme venues, educational institutions, government offices as well as at prominent public places such as district headquarters, municipal areas and tehsil levels throughout the commemorative week.
2. Live broadcast of the main programme organised at the national level may be included as part of parallel VIP events organised by States/Union Territories.
3. Cultural presentations, including chorus performances, choreographed presentations and musical theatre inspired by the lives and sacrifices of freedom fighters and the spirit of Vande Mataram.
4. Interactive components, such as a Vande Mataram-based Tweet Wall and Selfie Booth, to encourage public engagement and participation.
5. Screening of the announcement film and promotion of the Vande Mataram Film Competition - "VM Frames", to encourage wider public participation.
6. Student engagement activities, including inviting students from schools, colleges and universities to write letters to a freedom fighter, encouraging participation of children and youth and reflection on the ideals of sacrifice and patriotism.
7. Display of the Special Curated Vande Mataram Exhibition on the theme of Shaheedi Diwas by the Ministry of Culture at all major programmes held at State Capitals and District Headquarters, as well as at locations with high public footfall such as museums, cultural centres, railway stations, campuses, government buildings, etc. The exhibition panels may be downloaded from <https://www.vandemataram150.in> under the 'Downloads' section in the 'Exhibition' tab.
8. Broadcast of Vande Mataram-related audio messages, short films or visual creatives through LED screens or other digital display systems at prominent public locations, wherever feasible. The audio/video files may be downloaded from <https://www.vandemataram150.in> under the 'Downloads' section in the 'Audio' / 'Video' tabs respectively.
9. Encourage citizens to actively use the Sing Along and Selfie features on the <https://www.vandemataram150.in> as well as to take selfies and upload photographs and short videos related to Vande Mataram activities on the Vande Mataram website to enhance public participation and outreach.

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