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Respected Madam/Sir,

Your kind attention is invited to the UGC letters dated 15 July 2015, and 7 June 2019 (copies enclosed for ready reference), in which universities were requested to consider using ceremonial robes made out of handloom fabrics for special occasions such as convocation, etc. Apparel made from handloom fabrics is more comfortable in India's climate.

Taking the UGC's suggestion, many universities have already switched to handloom fabrics for ceremonial attire during their annual convocations. However, it is noted that some universities have still not changed their ceremonial dress code during the convocation. It is again requested that the Universities consider switching to handloom fabrics as ceremonial dress. The use of handloom fabrics would not only instil a sense of pride in being Indian but also promote the handloom industry in the country, which provides employment opportunities to many people living in rural areas.

Universities are also requested to share the action taken in this regard, along with photographs, videos, etc., on the UAMP portal at https://uamp.ugc.ac.in.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Manish Joshi)

Encl.: As stated above.

To

The Vice-Chancellors of the Indian Universities.



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Dear Sir / Madam,

July, 2015 1 5' JUL 2015

The Hon'ble Prime Minister has emphasized on revival of handloom and improving earnings of the handloom weavers. Handloom fabric not only forms an integral part of our rich culture and heritage but also provides livelihood opportunity to lakhs of people living in the rural areas. Using ceremonial robes made out of handloom fabrics would not only give a sense of pride of being Indian but also be more comfortable in the hot and humid weather. Greater usage of handloom garments for apparel would promote the handloom industry in the country.

Accordingly, all the universities are requested to consider using handloom fabric for ceremonial dresses prescribed for special occasions like convocation etc. This may also be brought to the notice of the colleges affiliated to your university.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Jaspal S. Sandhu)

All Vice-Chancellors of universities

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June 7, 2019

Respected Madam/Sir,

Kindly refer to UGC letter of even number dated 15th July, 2015 vide which UGC had emphasized on using ceremonial robes made out of handloom fabrics which would not only give a sense of pride of being Indian but also be more comfortable in the hot and humid weather. Greater usage of handloom garments for apparel would promote the handloom industry in the country.

All the universities were accordingly requested to consider using handloom fabric for ceremonial dresses prescribed for special occasions like convocation etc.

This is to request you to kindly submit the action taken and inform the UGC about the adoption of handloom fabric for the special occasions like convocations in your university.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Rajnish Jain)

The Vice-Chancellor of all the Universities



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आदरणीय महोदया / महोदय,

कृपया विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग के दिनांक 15 जुलाई, 2015 के समसंख्यक पत्र का संदर्भ ग्रहण करें जिसके माध्यम से विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग ने समारोह के परिधानों को हथकरघा वस्त्र से तैयार करने पर बल दिया था जिससे न केवल भारतीय होने पर गर्व की अनुभूति होगी बल्कि गर्म और नमी भरे मौसम में अधिक आरामदायक होगा। परिधानों हेतु हथकरघा वस्त्रों का अधिकाधिक उपयोग करने से देश में हथकरघा उद्योग को बढ़ावा मिलेगा।

तदनुसार, सभी विश्वविद्यालयों से अनुरोध किया गया था कि वे दीक्षांत समारोह इत्यादि विशेष अवसरों हेतु परिधानों के लिए हथकरघा के वस्त्रों का उपयोग करने पर विचार करें।

आपसे यह अनुरोध किया जाता है कि आपके विश्वविद्यालय में दीक्षांत समारोह जैसे विशेष अवसरों पर हथकरघा के वस्त्रों को अपनाने के संबंध में विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग को सूचित करें एवम् कृत कार्यवाही रिपोर्ट प्रस्तुत करें।

सादर

भवदीय,

(रजनीश जैन)

सभी विश्वविद्यालयों के कुलपति।