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OFFICE ORDER

Sub: Observance of "Vigilance Awareness Week-2017" in <u>CBSE</u> (<u>Headquarter</u>), <u>Delhi</u> from 30th October, 2017 to 04th November, 2017.

The Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) shall observe "Vigilance Awareness Week (VAW) - 2017" from 30.10.2017 to 04.11.2017 in pursuance of the directions issued by the Central Vigilance Commission (CVC) vie Circular No. 017/VGL/023 dated 17.08.2017. The Commission has informed that the theme of this year's VAW will be "My Vision-Corruption Free India" (मेरा लक्ष्य-भ्रष्टाचार मुक्त भारत).

- 02) CVC in its circular dated 17.08.2017 has mentioned that corruption can be defined as dishonest or unethical conduct by a person entrusted with a position of authority, either to obtain benefits to one self or to some other person. It is a global phenomenon, affecting all strata of society in some way or the other. Corruption undermines political development, democracy, economic development, the environment, people's health and much more. It is, therefore, imperative that the public must be sensitized and motivated in the Commission's anti-corruption efforts.
- O3) The Commission has emphasized that e-governance combined with systemic changes in procedures, minimal discretion, reduced public interface, technology based procurements and automation will go a long way in tackling corruption. The Commission has, therefore, advised all organizations/departments to have in place effective preventive measures to fight corruption and also to enhance transparency and accountability in their functioning. All organizations should strive to eradicate corruption in their respective sphere of activities. The Commission has therefore accordingly chosen "My Vision-Corruption Free India" as the central theme for Vigilance Awareness Week, 2017.

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- 04) The commission has directed that the observance of the Vigilance Awareness Week would commence with the "Integrity Pledge" copy enclosed at Annexure 'A') by public servants in the Ministries/Departments/Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs)/Public Sector Banks (PSBs) and all other Organisations on 30th October, 2017 at 11:00 A.M. It may be noted that the earlier pledge being taken by public servants has now been replaced by the Integrity Pledge.
- 05) In line with directions received from the CVC, it has been decided that the CBSE (Headquarter), Delhi will organise the following activities.

Date	Event
30.10.2017	"Integrity Pledge" to be administered by the
Monday	Chairperson, CBSE to all the Officers and Officials.
31.10.2017	"Essay Writing Competition" on the topic "Role of
Tuesday	Citizen and Private Sector Unit in Making India a
	Corruption Free Country."
01.11.2017	"Written Quiz Competition" on Vigilance aspects.
Wednesday	
02.11.2017	"Speech / Lecture Competition" on the topic
Thursday	"Prevention of Financial Frauds and Corruption
	by Using Technology"

- 06) Banners/posters and slogans etc. to be displayed at the prominent places/locations in the CBSE office.
- O7) All the Officers/employees of CBSE, Headquarter office shall take "Integrity Pledge" on 30.10.2017 at 11:00 A.M. A copy of the "Integrity Pledge" is annexed as Annexure-A. All the officers and officials are advised to take "e-Integrity Pledge" by visiting the website of CVC http://www.cvc.nic.in. Hyper link/web link for "e-Integrity Pledge" will also be available on CBSE website. The officers/officials are further advised to encourage their family members, citizens and stake holders to take "e-Integrity Pledge".

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- 08) Three cash prizes carrying amount of Rs. 1,500/-, Rs. 1,000/- and Rs. 750/- for winning 1st, 2nd and 3rd position in will be awarded to the winners of above-mentioned competitions and a merit certificate will also be given to the prize winners.
- 09) The officers/officials of the CBSE, HQ, Academic Branch and other units of CBSE located in Patparganj building, Rouse Avenue building and NCR including the Centre of Excellence for Teachers at Gurgaon will participate in the above activities/competitions in CBSE, HQ, Delhi during the VAW-2017. As per the guidelines received from the CVC, the family members of the officers/officials may also participate in the above competitions. Therefore, the same may be publicized within the respective units amongst the officers/officials. The desirous participants of the offices located in Delhi and NCR who are willing to participate in either of these competitions or all these competitions may send their willingness to the Assistant Vigilance Officer by 30th October, 2017 (Monday) positively.
- 10) All the officers and officials are requested to give wide publicity during the VAW-2017 amongst the stake holders of the Board for the above purpose and sensitize public at large to join hands together to prevent and eradicate corruption in the society.

(K.K. Choudhury)
Chief Vigilance Officer

Encl: As above.

Distribution:

For information

- 01. SPS to the Chairperson, CBSE.
- 02. SPS to the Secretary, CBSE.
- 03. SPS to CE, CBSE

For necessary action

- 04. The Director (CTET, JNVST and Misc. Exam), CBSE, Patpargani, Delhi.
- 05. The Director (IT), CBSE, HQ, Delhi.
- 06. The Executive Director (JAB), JEE Unit, CBSE, Noida.

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- 07. The Director, UGC-NET Unit, CBSE, Noida
- 08. The OSD, NEET Unit, CBSE, HQ, Delhi.
- 09. The Additional Director (ART&I), CBSE, Rouse Avenue, New Delhi.
- 10. The Director, Registered Office, CBSE, Ajmer.
- 11. The Director (NE), CBSE, Regional Office, Guwahati.
- 12. The Joint Secretary (Coordination), CBSE, HQ, Delhi.
- 13. All the Regional Officers of CBSE
- 14. The Public Relations Officer, CBSE, HQ, Delhi.
- 15. The Deputy Secretary (A&L), CBSE, HQ, Delhi.
- 16. The Deputy Secretary (Secret), CBSE, HQ, Delhi.
- 17. The Deputy Secretary (Affiliation), CBSE, HQ, Delhi.
- 18. All the Branch Officers with the request to bring the above instructions to the notice of the subordinate officers/officials for compliance and to encourage them to participate in different competitions/activities.
- 19. Incharges of COEs, CBSE.
- 20. Notice Boards.



CENTRAL BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

Vigilance Awareness Week – 2017 (30th October to 04th November, 2017)

Programme

Date	Time	Event
30.10.2017	9:00 A.M.	Display of Banners and posters
Monday		
30.10.2017 Monday	10:45 A.M.	Assembly of staff
	10:55 A.M.	Introductory Speech by the Secretary on "Vigilance Awareness Week – 2017"
	11:00 A.M.	"Integrity Pledge" to be administered by the Chairperson, CBSE to all the Officers and Officials.
31.10.2017 Tuesday	3:00 P.M.	"Essay Writing Competition" of one hour duration, carrying not more than 750 words on the topic "Role of Citizen and Private Sector Units in Making India a Corruption Free Country."
01.11.2017 Wednesday	11:00 A.M.	"Written Quiz Competition" of one hour duration, on Vigilance aspects.
02.11.2017 Thursday	11:00 A.M.	"Speech / Lecture Competition" of 05 minutes duration, on the topic "Prevention of Financial Frauds and Corruption by Using Technology"
07.11.2017 Tuesday		Prize Distribution Ceremony
-	4.00 P.M.	A brief report by the CVO on the organisation of "Vigilance Awareness Week – 2017" in CBSE
	4.05 P.M.	Declaration of results of the Essay Writing Competition, Written Quiz Competition and Speech / Lecture Competition by the CVO and Distribution of prizes by the Chairperson, CBSE