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## **CIRCULAR**

<u>Subject: Regarding contribution to Prime Minister's National Relief Fund to</u> combat COVID-19 epidemic

The global pandemic arising out of the unfortunate outbreak of COVID-19 has posed an unprecedented challenge before our country and the entire humanity as a whole. The Government of India and various other State Governments have already initiated number of welfare measures to alleviate the hardship of the citizens of our country during this challenging period. The medical fraternity and persons from other essential services are doing their best to contain the outbreak, with appropriate medical interventions and management schemes.

Dr. B. R. Ambedkar University Delhi (AUD), an Institution of Eminence, highly appreciate the efforts of all the stakeholders and have pledged to continue and support to the initiatives taken by the government from time to time in their efforts to eradicate the menace of COVID-19 from our country in particular, and from the global map. AUD, towards the same as contribution of one day salary of regular faculty/academic staff/officers as voluntary donation, has submitted an amount of Rs 8,51,586 (Eight lakh fifty one thousand five hundred and eighty six), in LG/Chief Minister relief funds Delhi.

Consequently, as enormous financial resources are and will be required by the Government of India and State governments to combat COVID-19 and reference of appeal letter dated 28.03.2020 from Chairman UGC to all Vice Chancellor of the Universities, (copy enclosed), to come forward and contribute financially to strengthen the efforts of the Government of India to combat the COVID-19 pandemic, to Prime Minister's Relief Fund (PMNRF), and as resolved in the online meeting of AUD administrative officers chaired by Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, all AUD employees are requested for donations in PMNRF. It is also hereby informed that this donation in PMNRF is of voluntary nature and can be submitted, through direct transfer of amount, as deemed fit, in PMNRF, to strengthen and facilitate government in the crisis management, through link <a href="https://pmnrf.gov.in/en/online-donation">https://pmnrf.gov.in/en/online-donation</a>

All Contributions to the PMNRF are exempt from Income Tax under Section 80(G).

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## **APPEAL: For Contribution to Combat COVID-19**

Dear Colleagues,

Our country and the world as a whole are passing through unprecedented times due to COVID-19 pandemic. The number of persons infected with Corona virus are increasing day by day. We, the educational fraternity, have a great responsibility of not only making the people aware of preventive and precautionary measures to safeguard themselves and check the further spread of this virus, but also come forward to contribute financially to strengthen the efforts of the Government to combat the COVID-19 pandemic.

We, at UGC, have decided to make a humble contribution of One Day Salary to the Prime Minister's National Relief Fund. I appeal to the Vice Chancellors of the Universities and Directors/Principals of Institutes/Colleges to urge the teaching and non-teaching colleagues of their institutions to come forward and contribute for this noble cause. I am sure that this humble contribution of the educational fraternity will go a long way in serving the humanity in present moments of crisis.

Let us stand together for the well-being of our countrymen and the mankind as a whole during this challenging time.

Best wishes,

Prof. D. P. Singh

Chairman