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18th May 2015

Dear Prof. Indranil Munraj,

I am pleased to inform you that the Himalayan Institute Hospital Trust instituted the Swami Rama Humanitarian Award in memory of its founder, H.H. Dr. Swami Rama, for outstanding contributions to the economic, environmental, scientific, social & spiritual development of humanity.

I am taking this opportunity to seek your esteemed advice and recommendations of persons/institutions who should be considered for the prestigious **Swami Rama Humanitarian Award for the year 2015**.

A person or an institution who worked selflessly towards social, economic and political transformation for the amelioration of human suffering, particularly of the less privileged sections of the society, contributing to social justice and harmony will be considered for the award by the jury irrespective of whether the person holds a high public office or not. The award is open to all persons regardless of nationality, race, creed or sex. Recent achievements within the last 10 years shall be considered. Older work may be considered, if its significance has become apparent only recently. A written work, in order to be eligible for consideration, should have been published.

The award carries a Citation, a Plaque and an amount of Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees five lakh only). The awardee is chosen by a Jury headed by Hon'ble Shri M. N. Venkatachaliah, Former Chief Justice of India.

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May I humbly request you to please send us your recommendation by **15th July, 2015**. It would be helpful, if the recommendation includes the curriculum vitae and other details such as a Citation – like note detailing the achievements, which justify the Award.

with kind regards,

Yours sincerely,



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Member Presidential Body

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Code of Procedure

**SWAMI RAMA HUMANITARIAN AWARD
FOR
OUTSTANDING SERVICES IN THE FIELD OF ECONOMICAL,
ENVIRONMENTAL, SCIENTIFIC, SOCIAL & SPIRITUAL
GROWTH OF THE WORLD**

Chapter I

Description of the Award

1. The Award shall be given for Economical, Environmental, Scientific, Social & Spiritual Growth of the World.
2. There shall be only one Award each year and it shall carry an amount of Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees five lakh only), a Citation and a Gold Medal. The award shall be given on November 13, 2015.
3. **Joint Award** : The Award may be divided between two persons / organizations who are considered by the Jury to be equally deserving of recognition in a given year.
4. **Posthumous Award** : Work by a person since deceased cannot be the subject of an Award. If, however, his death occurred subsequent to a proposal having been submitted to the Jury in the manner stipulated in this code, then a Posthumous Award may be made.

Chapter II

Eligibility for Award

1. The Award is open to all persons regardless of nationality, race, creed or sex.
2. An association, institution or organization shall also be eligible for the Award.
3. To come under consideration for the Award, it would ordinarily be necessary that a person shall be recommended in writing by someone with the competence thereof in accordance with Chapter IV of this Code.
4. Personal applications for the Award shall not be considered.

Chapter III

Period of Award

1. The Award shall be made annually starting with the year 2003 and every year thereafter.
2. If, however, it is considered that none of the proposals that have been made merit recognition, the Jury will be free to withhold the Award for that year.
3. Only recent work achieved within ten years immediately preceding the nomination shall be considered for the Award.
4. The Preceding section notwithstanding, older work may be considered if its significance has not become apparent until recently.

Chapter IV

Competence to make Proposals

1. Competence to make Proposals for the Award shall be enjoyed by :
 - a) Former members of the Jury.
 - b) Persons who have received the Award
 - c) Members of Parliament of India,
 - d) Nobel Laureates,
 - e) The Secretary - General of United Nations and other leaders in international organizations or institutions whose objectives are focused on Economical, Environmental, Scientific, Social & Spiritual Growth.
 - f) Vice Chancellors of the Universities
 - g) Heads of Indians Missions abroad for bringing it to the notice of and for consulting major relevant institutions and experts of the country concerned,
 - h) Heads of institutions relating to studies and research in the concerned field.
 - i) Presiding Officers of both Houses of Parliament / State Assemblies / Councils,
 - j) Governors / Chief Ministers of the States / UT Administration,
 - k) Secretary - General Commonwealth,
 - l) Commonwealth Parliament Union,
 - m) Inter - Parliamentary Union
 - n) All the Heads of the Himalayan Institute all over the world,
 - o) Any other person whom the Jury may wish to make proposals for the Award.

2. Every year the Secretariat situated at Himalayan Institute Hospital Trust, Swami Rama Nagar, Dehradun shall issue letters in the first week of January inviting nominations from competent persons in accordance with provisions of Section 1.
3. **Date of submission of Proposals** : The Jury shall consider such proposals as have been received in the Office of the Presidential Body, Himalayan Institute Hospital Trust, Swami Ram Nagar, Dehradun upto and including 31st August of the year for which the Award is to be given, unless the Chairman is of the opinion that such time should be extended either in general or with reference to a particular proposal.
4. Ordinarily, only proposals emanating from competent persons invited to nominate shall be considered. However, a proposal shall not be invalid for consideration by the Jury merely on the ground of not having emanated from competent persons mentioned in Section 1 of Chapter IV. In all such cases, the decision of the Jury shall be final.
5. Proposal to be considered should be accompanied by a detailed write – up.

Chapter V

Evaluation of Proposals

1. No work shall merit on Award unless it is, in the opinion of the Jury, outstanding, in promoting the ideas of Economical, Environmental, Scientific, Social & Spiritual Growth of the world to which H.H. Swami Rama was devoted throughout his life.
2. The Award may be made to a person who has worked for Economical, Environmental, Scientific, Social & Spiritual growth of the world irrespective of whether he holds a high public office or not.
3. A written work, in order to be eligible for consideration of the Award shall have been published.
4. If for the full assessment of a written and published work, the Jury considers it necessary to make itself acquainted with its contents and if the Jury is satisfied that the contents cannot be translated into English or Hindi without very considerable trouble and expense, then the Jury shall not be under obligation to give the proposal further consideration.

Chapter VI

Selection

1. The requisite scrutiny and final selection for the Award shall be made by a Jury appointed for this purpose.
2. Members of the Jury shall be appointed by the Presidential Body of the Himalayan Institute Hospital Trust for a period of three years. After three years those chosen, other than the two permanent ex-officio members, shall retire. The retiring persons shall, however, be eligible for appointment.
3. If a member of the Jury retires or dies before the expiry of his term in office, another shall be appointed in his place for the unexpired part of that team.
4. The Jury shall not be competent to take a final decision unless at least three of its members are present.
5. The decision of the Jury shall be consensus.
6. The discussions, deliberations, opinions and proceedings of the Jury in connection with the Award shall not be made public or otherwise revealed
7. The jury shall announce its decisions as far as possible on the anniversary of Mahasamadhi of H.H. Dr. Swami Rama which is 13th November.
8. Decision of the jury shall not be subject to confirmation by any other authority and no appeal or protest can be made against them.

Chapter VII

Presentation of the Award

1. Presentation of the Award shall be made at, Swami Ram Nagar, Dehradun at a special ceremony.
2. The awardee shall be invited to receive the Award in person and, if possible, to give a public lecture connected with the work for which the Award has been made.
3. In addition to the amount of the Award, a gold medal and a citation will be presented to each awardee.

4. **Payment of Award** : The Presidential Body of the Himalayan Institute Hospital Trust will make payment of the amount of the Award at the time and place requested by the awardee.
5. **Non-acceptance of Award** : Should an awardee decline an Award, then the amount will immediately revert to the Himalayan Institute Hospital Trust. But if an awardee accepts the Award yet fails to draw the amount within the period of 36 months, then the amount shall revert to the Himalayan Institute Hospital Trust.

Chapter VIII

General

1. It will be competent for any member of the jury to propose an amendment in the Code. The members of the jury for the time being shall decide whether such a change should be made or not but a change so proposed will not be incorporated in the code until the consent of the Governing Body of the Himalayan Institute Hospital Trust is obtained.
2. The Governing Body of the Himalayan Institute Hospital Trust shall also have the right to make changes in the Code after prior consultation with the Jury.
3. The necessary finance for the Award and for all expenses incidental thereto shall be provided by the Himalayan Institute Hospital Trust.
4. The Secretariat for the Award shall be provided by the Himalayan Institute Hospital Trust at, Swami Ram Nagar, Dehradun.