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To,

The Principal of Colleges having NSS Unit/s.

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Sub: Celebration of Dan Ustav (2-8 October) reg...

Please find attached herewith letter in connection with celebration of Daan Utsav 2 to 8 October, 2018 received from Directorate of NSS New Delhi.

Daan Utsav (Formerly The Joy of Giving Week) is an initiative taken by volunteers from different walks of life. It is 100 % volunteer driven weeklong festival, which encourages people to do an act of giving of their choice.

The festival is celebrated during 2nd to 8th October every year since 2009 across the country. There is no restriction of any kind on what to donate, how to donate where to donate etc. Hon,ble Prime Minister appealed to support this initiative in his Mann Ki Baat programme on 25th Sept, 2016.

NSS unit/s in your College may be encouraged to celebrate the Utsav, They can do it in centralized way in their own units or may associate with some organisation if they wish.

Contact Information of the representative for Daan Utsav in Maharashtra/ Mumbai is as under- Mumbai - Umesh Asher - <u>asher.umesh@gmail.com</u> 9920755714 / Ms. Kalyani Tule – 9867400075.

It would be appreciated if the participation of NSS Volunteers in noble cause and details of the same are shared to respective NSS district Co-ordinators and this office by email.

With regards,

Yours sincerely.

Prof. B.S.Bidve,

NSS Programme Co-ordinator

CC to. 1) NSS Regional Directorate, Youth Affairs & Sports, Pune.

2) State Liaison Officer, NSS, Government of Maharashtra.