



भारतीय अन्तर्देशीय जलमार्ग प्राधिकरण (पत्तन, पोत परिवहन और जलमार्ग मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार)

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Sub:- Celebration of National Sports Day (NSD) – 2025 at IWAI Head Office and Regional Offices – reg.

With reference to directives of the Ministry of Ports, Shipping & Waterways (MoPSW) and DO letter no. 01-10007(01)/101/2025-HO-Khelo India Division dated 05.08.2025 issued by the Department of Sports under the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, it is stated that National Sports Day (NSD) is celebrated annually on **29th August** to honour the birth anniversary of **Major Dhyan Chand**. The Fit India Movement was also launched on the same day in 2019 by the Hon'ble Prime Minister to promote health and fitness across the country.

2. As part of the NSD 2025 celebrations, a series of sporting and fitness activities are to be conducted across the country from **29th to 31st August 2025**. In this regard, IWAI Head Office and Regional Offices are directed to organize suitable programmes in accordance with the SOP circulated by the Ministry and as per local feasibility.

3. Sanctioned amount for organizing the activities in respect of Regional Offices is as under:-

S.no	Regional Offices	Amount
a	RO Patna/RO Guwahati/RO Kolkata/RO Kochi (1.0 Lakh each)	4.00 Lakhs
b	RO Bhubaneshwar/RO Varanasi(.50 lakh each)	1.00 Lakh
	Total	5.00 Lakh

4. Regional Offices are requested to ensure participation of officers/officials and, where feasible, to engage local communities in the above activities. A brief report along with photographs/videos of the events organised may kindly be forwarded to IWAI Headquarters by **02.09.2025** for onward submission to the Ministry.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.


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