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(To all the State I&PRDs)

**Subject: Entries for National Awards for Excellence in Journalism, 2020**

Sir,


The Press Council of India, mandated by the Parliament to improve the standards of journalism and to maintain its freedom, has been executing it through its adjudications as well as pronouncements and reports on specific issues by way of constituting Sub-Committee/Fact Finding Committee keeping in view the importance of the subject.

With a view to encourage the media to pursue its duties following the dictum of "Freedom with Responsibility", the Press Council of India, as the only statutory authority enjoying such mandate, has instituted National Awards to honour journalist excelling in print journalism in various fields.

The entries have been invited through public advertisement Notice in prominent National and Regional newspapers. Notice is also uploaded on the Council's website i.e. [www.presscouncil.nic.in](http://www.presscouncil.nic.in) under "What's New" head.

May I, therefore, request you to kindly circulate/publish attached e-posters for having a wider publicity so that the journalists, editors, newspapers of Indian nationality could send their entries by 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2021.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Anupama Bhatnagar)  
Secretary

Encl: As above