

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR & DISTIRICT MAGISTRATE, NUAPADA

Letter No. 6584 G&M //Date. 22.07.24

To

The CDO-cum-EO, ZillaParishad, Nuapada
The Tahasildar, Nuapada/Komna/ Khariar/ Boden/ Sinapali
The Executive Officer, NAC, Nuapada/ Khariar Road/ Khariar
The CDM&PHO, Nuapada/ Dist. Social Security Officer, Nuapada
The Dist. Welfare Officer, Nuapada
The Dist. Social Welfare Officer, Nuapada
The Dist. Education Officer, Nuapada/ DIPRO, Nuapada
The Dist. Sports Officer, Nuapada/ GM, DIC, Nuapada

Sub: Regarding recommendation of names of the persons who have rendered distinguished services in various field for Padma Awards.

Sir/Madam,

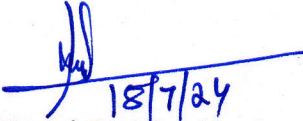
With reference to the subject cited above, I am to enclose herewith the Letter No. 16773 dated 11.06.2024 received from GA&PG Department, Odisha and to say that, as intimated by the Joint Secretary, Ministry of Homes Affairs, Govt. of India, the online nominations /recommendations for Padma Awards-2025 has been started w.e.f May1st 2024 at RashtriyaPuraskar Portal <https://awards.gov.in>. Further, these Awards are announced on the occasion of the Republic Day in every year and last date for nominations/recommendations have been fixed on September 15th, 2024. As per guidelines, this Awards will be given for distinguished and exceptional achievements /services in all fields /disciplines, such as Arts, Literature, Education, Sports, Medicine, Social work, Science, Engineering, Public affairs, Civil Service, Trade and industry etc. The nominations /recommendations should contain all relevant details specified in format available portal, including a citation in narrative form(Maximum 800 words).

You are therefore requested to please identify such person who are well experienced in the field of above sectors and nomination/recommendation their names immediately at your level and furnish detail to this office for onward transmission. The Brief on Padma Awards-2025 duly forwarded to the Dept. in the Ministry of Home Affairs Govt. of India is enclosed herewith for your information and necessary action

This may be treated as most **URGENT**.

Encl:As above

Yours faithfully,


18/7/24

Additional District Magistrate,
Nuapada

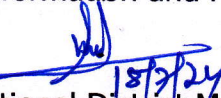
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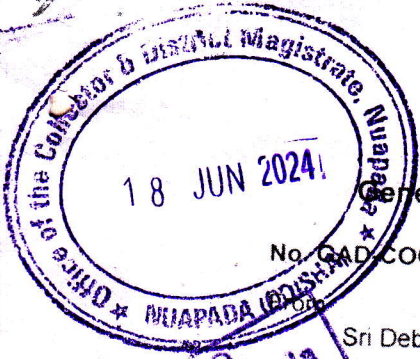
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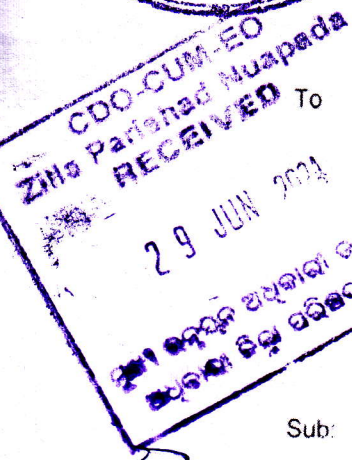
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 - All Revenue Divisional Commissioners
 - Vice-Chancellors of all Universities
 - All Collectors
 - The Secretary, OLA, Bhubaneswar

Sub: Recommendation of names of the persons who have rendered distinguished services in various fields for Padma Awards, 2025.

Madam/Sir,

In inviting a reference to the subject cited supra, I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of the D.O. letter No. 1/22/2024-Public dated 29.04.2024 of the Joint Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India and to request that ~~recommendation of names of the eminent persons who have rendered distinguished~~ services in various fields may kindly be furnished to this Department in the enclosed format for Padma Awards, 2025. The duly filled applications in English language only as per the enclosed Proforma (Soft copy in MS Word format only) received through the E-mail id: gadpadmaawards@gmail.com latest by 15.07.2024 from the date of issue of this letter shall be placed for consideration in the selection process prior to recommendation to the MoHA, GOI. For more details you may kindly visit the website www.padmaawards.gov.in.

This may kindly be treated as URGENT.

Yours faithfully

Additional Secretary to Government

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(GAM)
D. C. Jadhav

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PADMA AWARDS 2025

1. Nomination Details (In English, MS Word format)

- i. Award *- [Choose any one]
- ii. Field (Area of Excellence)*- [Choose any one]
- If "Others", please specify. [Max. 50 characters]
- iii. Sub field, if any - [Max. 50 characters]

2. Details about the Applicant (In English, MS Word format)

- i. Title*- [Max. 50 characters]
- If "Others", please specify.
- ii. Name *-
- iii. Name of *- [Choose any one]
- Please mention
- iv. Date of Birth*-
- v. Gender *- [Choose any one]
- vi. Religion *- [Choose any one]
- If "Others", please specify.
- vii. Category [Choose any one]
- viii. Mobile No *-
- ix. Email Id-
- x. Nationality *- [Choose any one]

3. Where does the person live (In English, MS Word format)

- i. Country *-
- ii. State / UT *-
- iii. District *-
- iv. Address *-

4. Brief Write-up/Citation on the work done by the person being nominated * (Min. 100 characters and Max. 800 words or 5000 characters)

Brief on Padma Awards-2025

Padma Awards, namely, Padma Vibhushan, Padma Bhushan and Padma Shri, are amongst the highest civilian awards of the country. Instituted in 1954, these Awards are announced on the occasion of the Republic Day every year. The award seeks to recognize 'work of distinction' and is given for distinguished and exceptional achievements/service in all fields/disciplines, such as, Art, Literature and Education, Sports, Medicine, Social Work, Science and Engineering, Public Affairs, Civil Service, Trade and Industry etc. All persons without distinction of race, occupation, position or sex are eligible for these Awards.

2. The nominations/recommendations for the Padma Awards are being received on the online Rashtriya Puraskar portal <https://awards.gov.in> designed for this purpose. The last date for nominations is **September 15th, 2024**. The nominations/recommendations should contain all relevant details specified in the format available on the above portal, including a citation in narrative form (maximum 800 words), clearly bringing out the distinguished and exceptional achievements/service of the person recommended in his/her respective field/discipline. The steps to be taken for making online recommendations are available on above said portal <https://awards.gov.in>. A copy of the statutes and rules governing these Awards is also available on website: <https://padmaawards.gov.in>.

3. While finalizing the recommendations, following points may be kept in view:-

- (i) It may be ensured that the persons recommended are pre-eminently worthy of the Awards, looking at their life-time achievement. The criteria for selection should invariably be 'excellence plus' and the highest standards should be applied while recommending persons for these awards. The existence of an element of public service in the achievements of the person recommended for the award would be a desirable factor.
- (ii) As the Padma Award is the second highest civilian award of the country, it should also be considered whether the recommended person has earlier been given any National award or a State award in his/her respective field.
- (iii) Efforts may be made to identify talented persons from amongst women, weaker sections of the society, SCs & STs, divyang persons, etc., who deserve to be considered for the award.
- (iv) The decoration is normally not conferred posthumously. However, in highly deserving cases, Government could consider giving an award posthumously if the demise of the person proposed to be honoured has been recent, say within a period of one year preceding the Republic Day on which it is proposed to announce the award.
- (v) A higher category of Padma Award can be considered in respect of a person who has earlier been conferred an award provided a period of at least five years has elapsed. However, in exceptionally deserving cases, a relaxation can also be considered.
- (vi) Government servants including those working with PSUs, except Doctors and Scientists, are not eligible for Padma Awards.