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Government of India
Ministry Of Culture
S&F Section

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NOTICE

Subject: Notice for inviting applications for the 48th Meeting of Cultural Function and Production Grant (CFPGS) during FY 2026-27-reg.

The undersigned is directed to refer to the subject cited above and inform that the Ministry is in process of conducting 48th meeting of Cultural Function and Production Grant (CFPGS). In this regard, the following information/ instructions are issued for compliance of all eligible grantee organizations:

- a. Only those applications in which the proposal has been received from 01.11.2025 to 30.06.2026, shall be considered for placement before the Expert Committee.
 - b. All applicant organizations applying for grant under the 48th Meeting of CFPGS are mandatorily required to open a **Zero Balance Subsidiary Account (ZBSA)** in any branch of Canara Bank while applying under the scheme, irrespective of final selection. For Guidelines, please refer Ministry's official website: (https://indiaculture.gov.in/sites/default/files/Schemes/cna_24082023.pdf). The applicant organizations shall submit the Bank Authorization Letter along with their respective proposal in the prescribed proforma, available on ministry's official website. Organizations already financial assistance under other Schemes of the Ministry and having an existing ZBSA are also required to open a separate ZBSA exclusively for CFPGS.
 - c. All the applications under the scheme shall be forwarded to North Central Zone Cultural Centre(NCZCC) i.e. The **Director, NCZCC, 14-CSP Singh Marg (Adjacent to Circuit House) Allahabad – 211 001, UP, India.**
 - d. Only those proposals will be considered to be placed before Expert Committee during the proposed 48th Meeting for which the date of event is on or after 01.07.2026 during the Financial Year 2026-27.
2. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

(Rakesh Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Govt. Of India.