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Government of India
Ministry of Information and Broadcasting

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Office Memorandum

Subject: Suggestions relating to communication in electronic media to combat COVID-19


The undersigned is directed to refer to your letter No.CSO/2020/38 dated 3rd April, 2020 on the above subject and to state as under:-

- (i) The Government of India has been proactively engaging with all media (print, TV and Radio) for disseminating all important decisions/announcements relating to COVID-19 which are being carried out by the various media platforms on a regular basis. Further, the official Twitter handle of the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting and the Press Information Bureau (PIB) including the regional handles of PIB are regularly uploading all relevant information and material for combating COVID-19.
- (ii) With regard to the issue of facilitating online education by providing dedicated channels for students of schools and colleges, it is informed that the following 32 Swayam Prabha TV channels are on air by Prasar Bharati:-

List of 32 Swayam Prabha TV Channels

Channel 01: CEC/UGC:	Humanities- 1, Language and Literature
Channel 02: CEC/UGC:	Humanities- 2, Arts, History, Philosophy and related Subjects
Channel 03: CEC/UGC:	Social Science -1, Sociology, Political Science and related subjects
Channel 04: CEC/UGC:	Social Science - 2, Education, Psychology, Home Science and related subjects
Channel 05: CEC/UGC:	Social Science - 3, Management, Library Science, Information Science and related subjects
Channel 06: CEC/UGC:	Social Science - 4, Law, Legal Studies, Human Rights and related subjects
Channel 07: CEC/UGC:	Economics, Commerce and Finance

Channel 08: CEC/UGC:	Physical sciences, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry and related Subjects
Channel 09: CEC/UGC:	Life Sciences, Botany, Zoology, Bio-Science and related subjects
Channel 10: CEC/UGC:	Applied Sciences, Allied Physical and Chemical sciences and related subjects
Channel 11: NPTEL:	Chemical Engineering, Chemistry and related Subjects
Channel 12: NPTEL:	Civil Engineering and related subjects
Channel 13: NPTEL:	Computer Science and Engineering
Channel 14: NPTEL:	Electrical engineering, Electronics and Communication Engineering and related subjects
Channel 15: NPTEL:	Engineering Sciences and general subjects for engineering
Channel 16: NPTEL:	Humanities, Social Sciences and Management
Channel 17: NPTEL:	Mechanical Engineering and related subjects
Channel 18: NPTEL:	Mathematics, Physics, Metallurgy and related subjects
Channel 19: IIT PAL:	Biology
Channel 20: IIT PAL:	Chemistry
Channel 21: IIT PAL:	Mathematics
Channel 22: IIT PAL:	Physics
Channel 23: IGNOU:	Liberal Arts and Humanities
Channel 24: IGNOU:	Agriculture, Vocational and Allied Sciences
Channel 25: IGNOU:	Culture
Channel 26: IGNOU:	State Open Universities' programs
Channel 27: NIOS:	Secondary School Education
Channel 28: NIOS:	Higher Secondary School Education
Channel 29: QEEE:	QEEE 1 (Live classes in Engineering and Technology)
Channel 30: NPTEL:	Mathematics
Channel 31: NCERT:	School and Teacher Education
Channel 32: IGNOU and NIOS:	Teacher Education


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