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XV ARTEE NATIONAL CONVENTION



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A CALL TO CELEBRATE THE SPIRIT OF UNITY IN STRENGTH

(Sanghe Shakti)

MOST URGENT CIRCULAR

Association of Radio & Television Engineering Employees, popularly known as ARTEE established in 1967 in the holy city of Allahabad is now 40 yr young. Always roused to the challenges that came across, survived, succeeded and came out with flying colors. ARTEE have privilege of having so many achievements in its bag and a very rich profile of looking after the cause of staff welfare. Our Motto is **SANGHE SHAKTI (Strength lies in Unity)**.

Be it challenge or custom, ARTEE has a history of celebrating it with pride. ARTEE National Convention (General Body Meeting) is an occasion to celebrate the spirit of Sanghe Shakti. An occasion to introspect ourselves, discuss and debate vital issues. It gives an opportunity to address the vital issues, to analyze functioning, to correct the mistakes if there is any and to choose the right route to decide our destiny. The 14th National Convention held in Chennai was a milestone in many aspects.

In this term also the National Convention is being held on 16th, 17th & 18th November 2007. Organizing National Convention is an uphill, task. As National Convention an occasion where around 600 representatives including CWC members, Unit Secretaries, DMC Coordinators delegates from every part of our country participate in hectic schedule for three days. Arranging almost anything to everything for 600 ARTEEians is not a task which any body can dare to accept. Central Leadership was willing to hold it economically with minimum of expenditure. Many options were available. We are proud that Central Leadership selected and trusted PARBHANI (Maharashtra) and its dedicated team. PARBHANI is a place known mainly for its fertile land, crops and agriculture university. This place is on main rail line from N.Delhi. The Major Railway Station is MANMAD and the nearest AIR PORT is AURANGABAD. PARBHANI also has a privilege and honour of organizing State Convention of Maharashtra & Goa in the year 2002. The State Convention was a big success.

ARTEE is an organization, which is built on blood and sweat of our comrades. Our Leadership is working day and night for our welfare. No issue is left and no work is neglected. We invite you, the grass root members, the most important and essential organ of this hierarchy to take active, decisive part and to give verdict & guide lines for strategies and policies to be followed in future.

We all are aware about the turbulent situation we are passing through. Ongoing GOM, Hon'ble Supreme Court case, transition to Prasar Bharati ??, Section - 11, Amendment to PB Act or Repealing the Act, Our fate and Future, Our own issues like Merger of cadres, Opening promotional Channel for DIPLOMA AEs, Technicians pay parity with Lighting Assistants, New EAs scale, Stagnation in various cadres, - there are so many other burning issues. Your active participation is surely going to make this convention historical, memorable, defining and decisive.

All of you ARTEEians know that PARBHANI is a small place and low on resources. Arranging such a big event is not a small challenge. It requires a huge amount of resources. But we are confident that we will get wholehearted support and cooperation from our comrade ARTEEians. On this occasion a colorful informative souvenir will also be published. All are requested to generate finances through donations, advertisements, display banners etc. The Convention committee will reimburse the expense incurred to collect the Advertisement to the maximum of 10% of advertisement amount. The requisite contract form and documents are being sent with this circular. All donations and payments are to be collected on anywhere banking Account with the title : **ARTEE - NATIONAL CONVENTION, PARBHANI A/C No. 30210406929** Payable at State Bank of India Parbhani.

**Celebrate unity, enjoy feeling of togetherness of a family of 10000 ARTEEians.
Make it historical, memorable, defining and decisive, Come be a part of it.**

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