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## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

No.A1/99/2017/AYUSH

Ayush (A) Department,  
Thiruvananthapuram,  
Date: 19.06.2017.CIRCULAR

- Sub:- Celebration of International Day of Yoga within the State on 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2017 - Reg
- Ref:- D.O Letter No.S-11012/01/2017-IEC dated 10.02.2017 from Sri.Anurag Srivastava, Joint Secretary, Ministry of AYUSH, Government of India.

As per the direction of Government of India, State Government have decided to celebrate 3<sup>rd</sup> international Yoga day 2017 on 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2017 with state level function at Central Stadium, Thiruvananthapuram. The celebration of International day of Yoga would involve a very elaborate training programme on Common Yoga Protocol as well as discourses, lectures and talks by eminent Yoga experts. The main programme would be the mass yoga demonstration from 7 a.m. to 8 a.m by following the Common Yoga Protocol (CYP) at the State, District, Block and Panchayat levels. Other events could include yoga fests, seminars, workshops and musical and cultural programme based on yoga involving students from schools, college, Universities and various youth organizations such as NYKS, NSS, Resident Welfare Association and Civil Society organisations working in the field of Yoga.

In the circumstance, Government hereby instruct all District Collectors, Heads of Departments, Heads of Public Undertakings and Autonomous Bodies to hold a mass Yoga demonstration at the State /District /Block/ Panchayath level on 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2017 (Wednesday) from 7 a.m. To 8 a.m as part of the celebrations throughout the State. Apart from mass yoga demonstration, all Government Offices and Educational Institutions shall organize symposiums /Seminars / workshop training sessions on Yoga to generate awareness about the benefits and therapeutic values of yoga. An instructional booklet detailing the Common Protocol of various Yoga Assanas prepared by Ministry of Ayush has been uploaded on the Ministry's website [www.ayush.gov.in](http://www.ayush.gov.in) for detailed information.

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Chief Secretary

To

The Secretary, Government of India, Ministry of AYUSH, Ayush  
Bhavan, B-Block, GPO Complex, INA, New Delhi-110023 (with C/L)  
All additional Chief Secretaries / Principal Secretaries / Secretaries

/ Special Secretaries

All District Collectors (They should ensure that the Circular is communicated to all sub offices under your administrative control)

All Heads of Departments (They should ensure that the Circular is communicated to all sub offices under your administrative control)

Heads of all Public Sector Undertaking and Autonomous Bodies

The Secretary to Governor, Raj Bhavan, Thiruvananthapuram (with C/L)

The Secretary, Kerala Legislature, Thiruvananthapuram (with C/L)

The Secretary, Kerala Public Service Commission, Thiruvananthapuram (with C/L)

The Advocate General, Advocate General's Office, Ernakulam (with C/L)

The Registrar General, High Court of Kerala, Ernakulam

The Registrar, Kerala Administrative Tribunal, Thiruvananthapuram

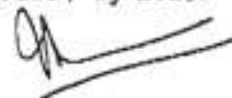
The Registrar, Kerala Lok Ayukta, Thiruvananthapuram

The Member Secretary, State Planning Board, Pattom, Thiruvananthapuram

The Secretary, State Information Commission, Punnen road, Thiruvananthapuram

The Registrar, all the Universities in the State of Kerala.

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