



NORTH ZONE CULTURAL CENTRE, PATIALA

(Ministry of Culture, Government of India)



EXPRESSION OF INTEREST for RESEARCH BASED DOCUMENTARY FILMS

North Zone Cultural Centre, Patiala is an organization under the Ministry of Culture, Government of India having jurisdiction over the States of Rajasthan, Punjab, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand and UTs of Jammu and Kashmir, Ladakh and Chandigarh to preserve rich cultural heritage especially folk and tribal art of member states.

NZCC invites applications from well-established Documentary Makers/ Directors/ Producers having working experience in making the research based documentaries with proven track record. Applicant should broadly have :-

- 1. Experience:** He / She should be active in the field of documentary making during last five years. Award winner documentary maker will be given priority.
- 2. Concept:** Subject should be art & culture of NZCC's member States. Project on the preservation of folk performing art will be given priority. Selected candidates will have to make documentary of 10 minutes and 25 minutes duration with 4K shoot, research based script, Hindi voice over with subtitle in English. Detailed concept note should be attached with application.
- 3. Cost / Finances:** Candidate should submit lumpsum cost of the project. It should be economical as well as cost effective. The committee may negotiate incase of high quotation. The decision of committee as regards to suitability/ empanelling or cost will be final. Lumpsum payment will be paid after completion, submission and approval of the same. No advance will be made.

Eligible candidate will be empanelled and work will be allotted on the basis of availability of funds and requirement. Merely empanelling will not entitle anybody to get the project / work allotted. He / She will be asked to screen atleast 2 documentary films before the Committee to assess their experience and suitability. They will have to present an affidavit declaring that the films are directed or produced by him/her or his or her company. In case of company ownership documents should be enclosed.

The application should be addressed to the Director, North Zone Cultural Centre, Patiala and reach the office of undersigned at Virsa Vihar Kendra, (near Bhasha Bhawan), Sheranwala Gate, Patiala (Punjab) – 147 001 by 14 September, 2023 positively along with latest resume, photograph, work plan, methodology and work done etc. The competent authority reserves the right to accept/reject any or all the applications / proposals received without assigning any reason whatsoever. **Applications submitted online will not be accepted.** For further inquiries may contact at Phone No.: 0175-2211429, 2202918.

Note: Amendments/Corrigendum, if any, would be hosted on website <https://www.culturenorthindia.com> only.

Sd/-
DIRECTOR,