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Dear Madam/Sir.

I am writing to you regarding the Science Olympial programmes in India. Please find enclosed brochures which describe the Olympiad programme in Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry and Physics for the year 2023 - 2024 including eligibility criteria and enrolment procedure. The national Olympiad programme, conducted by the Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education (TIFR) in collaboration with the teacher associations in Physics (IAPT). Chemistry (ACT) and Biology (ATBS) is the highest level test of excellence among secondary and higher secondary students. This programme is the only channel for participation in the International Olympiads of the respective subjects. This programme is recognised and fully funded by the Government of India through the Department of Atomic Energy (DAE). Department of Science and Technology (DST). Department of Space (DoS) and the Ministry of Education (MoE). Over the last two decades, almost every Indian student who has qualified through the national programme has brought glory to the nation by winning a medal at the international olympiad.

Let me take this opportunity to bring to your notice the excellent performance of the Indian students in this year's international Olympiads. The Indian teams to the Biology, Chemistry and Physics have recently returned from this year's international events held in July 2023. As always, every student from India has won a medal at each of the Olympiads.

I request you to kindly popularise the Olympiad programme in your state by providing publicity to it though the resources at your disposal. The school/college system is the most vital instrument in locating talented students who have the potential to excel at the highest level and can build the future of India. I seek your support and help in this national endeavour.

All information regarding the olympiad programme may be found on our website: olympiads.hbcse.tifr.res.in. In particular, the attached English brochure may be downloaded from https://olympiads.hbcse.tifr.res.in/wp-content/uploads/2023/09/Science-Olympiad-Brochure-2023-24-English.pdf and Hindi brochure may be downloaded from https://olympiads.hbcse.tifr.res.in/wpcontent/uploads/2023/09/Science-Olympiad-Brochure-2023-24-Hindi.pdf. Please do not hesitate to contact us for any clarifications.

With best regards, Anwerleller under

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Encl: (I) Science Olympiad Brochure of 2023 - 2024 (English)

(II) Science Olympiad Brochure of 2023 - 2024 (Hindi)