

MEMORANDUM

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From: Chief Executive Officer, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Foreign Trade and Immigration

To: All CEOs of respective Ministries

Subject: Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation Program - Courses - 2023-2024

Date: 31 May 2023

The ITEC courses are applicable to government officials who have at least five years of work experience and who are between the ages of 25 to 45 years, with adequate English proficiency (written and spoken).

The courses are available at the link: www.itecgoi.in

The courses cover the following streams: (1) Agriculture, Food, and Fertilizer; (2) Education; (3) Engineering and Technology; (4) English Language; (5) Environment and Climate Change; (6) Environment and Renewable Energy, (7) Government Function; (8) Health and Yoga; (9) Human Resource Development and Planning; (10) Irrigation and Water Resources; (11) Management and Leadership; (12) Quality Management; (13) Management; (14) Power, Renewable, & Alternate Energy; (15) Project Management; (16) Rural Development and Poverty Alleviation; (17) SMEs and Entrepreneurship; (18) Specialized Courses; (19) Sustainable Development and South-South Cooperation; (20) Technical courses; (21) Trade and International Market; (22) Vocational Training.

These courses are fully funded by the Government of India, as training in capacity building is one of the major goals of ITEC. The following are conditions for the courses:

- Participants must ensure prior to departure that they have an appropriate visa for India, valid for the entire duration of the course. While the visa for India would be provided the respective mission free of cost (in Belize's case, the Indian High Commission in Mexico City), participants must autonomously inquire and incur the cost of any transit visa/s.
- Participants are required to be vaccinated against Yellow Fever, etc., as per WHO protocols, at least 10 days before their departure to India, or risk being quarantined at the airport upon arrival.

Once a participant completes his/her application and gets approval from his/her respective Ministry, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs must be informed, and the relevant documents must be attached, so that a formal nomination letter addressed to the High Commission of India is conveyed.

Contact Mr. Dino Gutierrez (Foreign Service Officer) at dino.gutierrez@mfa.gov.bz for more information.

Sincerely,



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For Chief Executive Officer

CC: Chief Executive Officer, Ministry of Education, Culture, Science and Technology

Chief Executive Officer, Public Service, Constitutional & Political Reform and Religious Affairs

Chief Executive Officer, Rural Transformation, Community Development, Labour & Local Government

Chief Executive Officer, Sustainable Development, Climate Change & Disaster Risk Management

Chief Executive Officer, Public Utilities, Energy, Logistics & E-Governance

Chief Executive Officer, Agriculture, Food Security & Enterprise