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Government of India
Ministry of Home Affairs
Foreigners Division
(FCRA Wing)

**1st Floor, Hall No. 1, Open Gallery Major Dhyan Chand National Stadium
India Gate Circle**

Dated: 07-10-2023

To,
The Chief Functionary,
LOTUS CHARITABLE TRUST
Sakura House, Behind Hotel R.K. International, Bodhgaya, Bihar, Gaya, 824231

Subject: Registration under Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010.

Sir/Madam

With reference to your application dated **26-07-2021** requesting registration under the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010, I am directed to say that your Association has been registered under Section 11 (1) of the Act as follows:-

Registration Number : 031090140

Nature : Cultural,Educational,Social

2. The association shall receive foreign contribution only in its designated/exclusive bank account number **40088370379** in **STATE BANK OF INDIA, 11Sansad Marg, New Delhi 110 001, NEW DELHI, Delhi, Delhi, 110001** as mentioned in its application for grant of registration.
3. In terms of section 18 of the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010 read with Rules 17 of the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Rules, 2011, as amended from time to time, you are advised to furnish intimations online within the prescribed time to the Central Government of the amounts of each foreign contribution received by you, the source and the manner in which the foreign contribution was utilised, as per the provisions of the Act and the Rules. An association is required to furnish the return even when the particulars are 'NIL'. The FC-4 form is required to be submitted online on this Ministry's website <https://fcraonline.nic.in> using the user name **lotus_123** used for online submission. The Bank Account mentioned in your application should be used for receiving foreign contribution and no other amount should be credited to this account. The Association should immediately intimate online, within 15 days, in Form FC-6 to this Ministry regarding any change in the name of the Association, aims and objects, its address and Bank/Bank Account.
4. The association cannot bring out any publication (registered under PRB Act, 1867) or act as correspondent, columnist, editor, printer or publisher of a registered newspaper or engage in the production or broadcast of audio news or audio visual news or current affairs programmes through electronic mode or any other electronic form or any other mode of mass communication at a later stage thereby attracting provisions of the Section 3(1) (g) and (h) of the FC(R) Act, 2010. In addition to this, the association is forbidden from getting involved in any activity of political nature.

5. Transfer of foreign contribution has been made completely prohibited under amended section 7 of the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010.
6. Physical inspection of the activities done by the Association may be carried out at any time by this Ministry.
7. You are requested to familiarize yourself with the provisions of Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010 and Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Rules, 2011, as amended from time to time, available at this Ministry's website <https://fcraonline.nic.in/> to ensure strict compliance of the Act/ Rules. Failure to comply with any of the provisions of said Act/ Rules will make you liable for action under the relevant provisions of the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010.
8. This certificate of Registration is valid for a period of five years from the date of registration under the Act.
- 8A. The FCRA certificate accounts for the undertaking submitted by you. The capital assets shall form the part of assets created out of the foreign contribution.
- 8B. .
9. The email containing the registration letter may be sent immediately to the Bank mentioned above.
10. This is a digitally signed certificate to be validated digitally using the signature panel using Adobe Acrobat Reader (Ver 5.0 or above). The digital intimation is authenticated by a digital signature obtained from a certifying authority under the Information Technology Act 2000.
11. Banks are requested to verify online the validity of the certificate using fcraonline.nic.in.

Yours faithfully

Vikash Kumar
Section Officer
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