

GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL & ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS
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C I R C U L A R

Sub: Commemoration of 150 years of "Vande Mataram" – Conduct
of mass singing on 7th November, 2025 – Reg.

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The Ministry of Culture, Government of India, has initiated a nationwide programme to commemorate **150 years of "Vande Mataram"**, one of the most iconic national songs that inspired India's freedom movement. As part of this commemoration, a **mass singing** of "Vande Mataram" will be held across the country at **10:00 A.M. on 7th November 2025**, with participation from citizens of all walks of life including students, government officials, and the general public.

2. In this connection, all HODs of Government Departments / Offices in the Union Territory of Puducherry are requested to organize the mass singing of "Vande Mataram" within their respective office campuses at 10:00 A.M. on 7th November, 2025, ensuring enthusiastic participation of officers and staff.

3. Further, all **officers and staff of the Chief Secretariat** are requested to participate in the mass singing of "Vande Mataram" to be held at **Kamban Kalai Arangam, Puducherry** on 7th November, 2025. The officers and staff shall assemble at the venue by **9:00 A.M.**, without fail.

/ BY ORDER OF THE CHIEF SECRETARY /



(V. JAISANKAR)

UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

1. The CEO/ Commissioner-cum-Secretaries/ Secretaries to Government/
Secretary to Lieutenant Governor, Puducherry.
2. All Secretariat Departments/ Heads of Departments/ Offices.
3. The Collector, Karaikal; Regional Administrator, Mahe/ Yanam.

Copy to:

1. The Director, Dept. of Art & Culture, Puducherry.
2. The Private Secretary to Chief Secretary, Puducherry.