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**URGENT: Address by the President of India to Institutes of Higher Learning on Aug 10, 2016 through Video Conference using NKN.**

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To

The Vice Chancellors of all Central Universities:

Dear Sir / Madam,

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1. The President of India, in his capacity as the Visitor of Central Universities, IITs, NITs and other institutes of higher learning, addresses the students and faculty members of these institutions through Video-Conferencing using the National Knowledge Network (NKN) twice in a year, once in Jan and again in Aug at the beginning of the academic year. As part of this 'Visitor-Central Institutions Interface', the President of India has addressed the institutes of higher learning on five occasions so far, on 7<sup>th</sup> Jan 2014, 5<sup>th</sup> Aug 2014, 19<sup>th</sup> Jan 2015, 10<sup>th</sup> Aug 2015 and 19<sup>th</sup> Jan 2016.

2. The President of India will be again addressing the students and faculty members of the central universities and institutes of higher learning through Video Conference using NKN on Wednesday, the 10<sup>th</sup> August, 2016 at 1230 hours.

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3. The topic for the Address will be **"Innovation: A Way of Life"**.
4. The connectivity testing and rehearsal from Rashtrapati Bhavan will be held from **4<sup>th</sup> August, 2016 onwards**, the exact schedule of which shall be communicated in due course.
5. It is requested that all necessary technical arrangements may kindly be made at your end in coordination with National Informatics Centre (NIC) and NKN, to ensure smooth connectivity with Rashtrapati Bhavan for participating in this Video Conference. The contact details of concerned divisions in NIC are as under:

NIC Headquarters : Video Conf. Division Helpline No. - (011) 24305791  
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6. A line of acknowledgement towards receipt of this communication would be appreciated.

With regards,

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