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Subject:- Observance of Vigilance Awareness Week, 2016.

Central Vigilance Commission had through its circulars of even number dated. 19.09.2016, 23.09.2016 and 26.09.2016 issued instructions for observance of Vigilance Awareness Week this year, from 31st October to 5th November, 2016. The theme for the Week is "**Public participation in promoting Integrity and eradicating Corruption**".

2. As part of the activities suggested by the Commission to be conducted within the organisations as well as the outreach activities for public / citizens, it was advised that the public sector banks would organise "Awareness Gram Sabhas" for dissemination of awareness in Gram Panchayats to sensitise citizens on the ill effects of corruption (reg. para 4 – B5 of Commission's circular dated 19/09/2016). This activity is required to be largely taken up by the Public Sector Banks and their sponsored Regional Rural Banks (RRBs) through their network of branches. It is expected that each Branch of the Public Sector Bank/RRB will organise the "Awareness Gram Sabhas" in at least two Gram Panchayats during the Vigilance Awareness Week between 31st October and 5th November, 2016. At the district level also, similar sabhas / meetings could be organised by Public Sector Banks especially, by the lead bank of the district.

3. The Commission desires that the CVOs along with the CMD or his nominee hold a meeting / video conference with the Heads of their Circle and Regional Offices, Chairman of RRBs, Vigilance Managers and Vigilance Officers to enable successful implementation of the "Awareness Gram Sabhas". The Head of the Office / Regional Office (or of the Circle if there are no Regional Offices) would function as the Nodal Officer for this activity.

4. The Nodal Officer would instruct all Branch Managers of the PSB / RRB to organise various activities like meetings for creation of awareness on corruption and its ill effects, educating citizens on grievance redressal options available and also organise competitions/melas/ night choupals/cultural programmes as part of the "Awareness Gram Sabhas". The Commission expects that all stake holders like the Sarpanch, members of the Gram Panchayat, Self-Help Groups (SHGs), workers of

MGNREGA, farmers, students and citizens be actively involved in this outreach activity.

5. In order to ensure that the above outreach activities are conducted in a coordinated & focused manner and to achieve maximum coverage across the country, the Commission has prepared an action plan for guidance of all concerned officials of Public Sector Banks / RRBs as at Annex-A.

6. The Commission desires that the CVOs of the Public Sector Banks would coordinate and conduct the above outreach activities to cover rural and semi-urban areas and also at the district level in their respective banks.

7. This notification is also available on the Commission's website at <http://www.cvc.nic.in>.



(Nilam Sawhney)
Secretary

Encl: As stated.

To

- (i) All Chief Executives / CMDs of Public Sector Banks.
- (ii) All Chief Vigilance Officers of Public Sector Banks.
- (iii) The Joint Secretary & CVO, D/o Financial Services, New Delhi.

Observance of Vigilance Awareness Week- 2016

31st October – 5th November

on

“Public participation in promoting Integrity and eradicating Corruption”

Action Plan for conducting “Awareness Gram Sabhas” in rural and semi-urban areas

The following is a list of indicative activities for conducting “Awareness Gram Sabhas”, however the 1st activity of organising meeting is mandatory.

- (1) Organise meetings in Gram Panchayats inviting all stake holders, like the Sarpanch, members of Gram Panchayat, Self-Help Groups (SHGs), workers of MGNREGA, farmers, students, and citizens. Head of Gram Sabha /Sarpanch or any dignitary could be requested to deliver lecture on awareness against corruption followed by discussion. Anti-Corruption messages in vernacular languages can also be displayed at the meeting.
- (2) Organise competitions like quiz, cartoon, slogans, painting, rangoli and posters.
- (3) Organise Melas to give wide publicity to the produce / products of the SHGs as motivational tools for integrating them with awareness creation effort.
- (4) Organise evening Choupals / meetings in villages / panchayats during which short plays/ nautankies / kalajathas / folk songs / puppet shows, etc., can be organised focusing on the theme of Anti-Corruption.
