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To

All Head of the offices in District Ambala.

No. 3677 /MA/MC-II Dated: 20/08/2025

Subject:- Display of State Emblem of India.

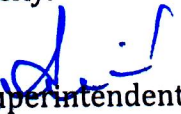
Please find enclosed herewith, a copy of memo No. 16/3/2018-3H(C) dated 30.07.2025 received from the Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Haryana, Home Department, Chandigarh for strict compliance.


(Superintendent)
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ambala.

Endst. No. 3678 /MA/MC-II dated 20/08/2025

A copy is forwarded to the following for information & necessary action:-

1. District Informatics Officer (NIC), Ambala with the request to upload the instructions on District Website.
2. District Information & Public Relations Officer, Ambala for wide publicity.


Superintendent)
O/o Deputy Commissioner,
Ambala.

From

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The Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana,
Home Department.

DC/CTM/CEO(ZP)/BRO/DDPO
for necessary action as per rule.

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To

1. The Registrar General, Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court.
2. All the Head of Departments in Haryana.
3. All the Commissioners of Police in Haryana.
4. All the Deputy Commissioners in Haryana.
5. All the Superintendent of Police in Haryana.

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Memo No. 16/3/2018-3H(C)
Dated Chandigarh, the 30.07.2025

Subject: Display of State Emblem of India.

I am directed to refer to the subject noted above and to say that the State Emblem of India is the official seal of the Government of India. The Emblem consists of the profile of the Lion Capital showing three Lions mounted on the abacus, with a Dharma Chakra in the Centre, a bull on the right, a galloping horse on the left and outlines of Dharma Chakras on the extreme right and left with the motto "Satyameva Jayate" - written Devanagari script below the profile of the Lion Capital Design of the State Emblem of India is provided in the Appendix I & II of the Schedule of the State Emblem of India (Prohibition of Improper Use) Act, 2005.

2. The Ministry of Home Affairs, from time to time, has been sending advisories to all the State Governments/UT Administrations, Ministries/Departments and all other concerned authorities for strict compliance of the provisions relating to the use and display of the State Emblem of India. Advisories had been issued to the concerned authorities including the State Governments with a view to create awareness about the provisions of the State Emblem of India (Prohibition of Improper Use) Act, 2005 and the State Emblem of India (Regulation of Use) Rules, 2007 [as amended in 2010] and restrict its violation.

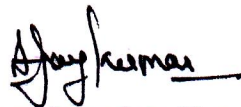
3. In a Writ Petition No 4635 of 2024 (GM-RES-PIL), filed in the Hon'ble High Court of Karnataka regarding the misuse, illegal and unauthorized display of Symbols, Seals, Flags, Emblem and Names at various places in various manners, the Hon'ble High Court of Karnataka vide order dated 04.04.2025, has issued the following directions.-

- I. The respondent-authorities are directed that notice shall be issued by way of different public modes through print and visual media to remove all kinds of unauthorized Flags, Emblems, Names, Symbols, Stickers, Seals, Logos of any kind which are prohibited. There shall be instructions to all to remove such emblems and discontinue unauthorized use thereof within four weeks.
- II. The higher-ups of the respondents shall chalk out the methods and programmes to sensitise the officials and implementing authorities to see and ensure that the misuse of National Emblem and National Symbols in various forms do not occur, stopped and prevented.
- III. Where such conduct of using them unauthorisedly is noticed, they are dealt with sternly.

- IV. The respondents shall instruct the implementing authorities to register the cases under the provisions of the relevant Acts and the Rules wherever the complaints with regard to the misuse of the National Symbols and Emblems are found correct. Necessary circulars in this regard should be issued.
- V. The school children or the law students shall also be involved in spreading aware against misuse and unauthorized display of National Symbols and Emblems by person, body or organization.
- VI. The respondents should frame regulations for imposition of fine and for cancellation driving licence by providing such penal measures in the relevant Rules for violating law on use of the National Emblems and Symbols.
- VII. The traffic police should be educated by undertaking programmes and imparting training to keep observance and proper vigil to take penal action whenever they come across the violation of the kind and nature

4. The matter has been considered by the Government and it has been decided to comply with the above directions of Hon'ble Court and to take necessary steps to create mass awareness in this regard among the common citizens of India through the electronic and print media. It has been also decided that action should also be taken against concerned officials (for incomplete display of the State Emblem of India) and individuals/organizations (who are using State Emblem of India unauthorizedly) for any violation of the State Emblem of India (Prohibition of Improper Use) Act, 2005 and the State Emblem of India (Regulation of Use) Rules, 2007 [read with the State Emblem of India (Regulation of Use) Amendment Rules, 2010]. Any complaint of improper use of the State Emblem of India should be investigated thoroughly for taking action in the matter.

5. The above instructions be brought to the notice of all the concerned for strict compliance. Any lapse on part of the concerned person shall be viewed seriously and action will be taken against the erring officer(s)/official(s) in accordance with the Rules.



Superintendent Home(C)
for Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana,
Home Department