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Subject: Inviting citizen registration for watching live streaming of Republic Day Parade and Beating the Retreat 2022.

The Republic Day Parade 2022 is a unique opportunity to celebrate 75 glorious years of India's Independence as a part of "Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav". Only a small section of the public can be present physically during the Republic Day Parade and Beating the Retreat Ceremony and this year number is further decreasing due to surge in Covid cases. MoD has taken initiative to invite the citizens for watching live streaming of the same and to connect with the citizens across the country digitally.

2. As part of this effort, MyGov а has developed а web page (www.mygov.in/rd2022) wherein the citizens can register themselves along with their family members for watching online streaming of Republic Day Parade and Beating the Retreat 2022. The registration will also enable the users to participate in various other activities through MyGov Republic Day webpage. A digital certificate will be issued to the citizens. The registration will also enable the users to get various updates on their registered mobile number. This is a unique opportunity for citizen to express their solidarity with the country on this solemn occasion.

3. It is therefore requested to kindly encourage all the officers and staff of Kendriya Sainik Boards, Zila Sainik Boards & Ex- Servicemen Organizations under your jurisdiction and their family members to register on MyGov Republic Day Parade webpage. It is also requested that the stakeholder groups associated with these organizations may also be informed about the Republic Day web page and they may be encouraged to register in large numbers.

4. I look forward for your cooperation and encouragement for this initiative. The latest update and link of Republic Day Parade and Beating the Retreat is also available on RDC portal (http/:indianrdc.mod.gov.in).

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