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To
All the Establishments registered under NATS

Subject: Invitation & Award Nomination: Regional Apprenticeship Day 2026 September 5, 2026, Kolkata

Dear Sir/Ma'am,

The Board of Practical Training (Eastern Region), an autonomous body under the Ministry of Education, Government of India, cordially invites you to grace the Regional Apprenticeship Day 2026 as our Honored Guest.

This apex annual convention celebrates major milestones in on-the-job training and highlights the growing skill ecosystem under the National Apprenticeship Training Scheme (NATS). To showcase regional achievements and share industry best practices, this year's program will unveil the strategic roadmap for AI Apprenticeship, the expansion of the NATS Creditisation Portal, and deep industry-academia integration via the Apprenticeship Embedded Degree/Diploma Programme (AEDP).

For our industry partners, this event serves as a premier platform to align with India's evolving workforce mandates, leverage fiscal benefits, and design a future-ready talent pipeline.

Submit Your Nomination for "Establishment of the Year":

- We strongly urge your organization to submit its official nomination for the prestigious **Best Establishment of the Year award through the official portal: <https://rad.bopter.org/>**. This high-profile national category recognizes NATS-registered organizations demonstrating benchmark excellence in youth empowerment, workplace training, and skill development.
- Kindly note that nominated establishments are requested to bring along two apprentices who are currently undergoing training at their organization.

Key Highlights for Corporate Leaders:

- Strategic Roadmap:** High-level deliberations on AI Apprenticeship integration, NATS assessment reforms, and National Credit Framework (NCrF) Alignment to maximize corporate training efficiency.
- National Recognition:** Felicitation of the region's benchmark corporate establishments, elite skilling institutes, and outstanding apprentices driving industrial growth.
- Synergy & Scaling:** B2B policy networking between top-tier corporate houses, academic heads, and government bodies to drive workforce scaling through structured AEDP roll-outs.

Event Details

- Date: September 5, 2026 (Saturday)
- Time: 9:00 AM onwards (registration starts)
- Venue: Biswa Bangla Convention Centre, New Town, Kolkata
- Audience: 500+ Corporate executives, HR leaders, central/state skilling authorities, and apex academic directors.

Given your visionary leadership in shaping the corporate and industrial landscape, particularly your role in implementing the National Apprenticeship Training Scheme at your organization, your esteemed presence would greatly enrich our deliberations. We would be deeply honored to have you join our distinguished panel of industry stakeholders, especially HR and Training Managers actively engaged in advancing apprenticeship initiatives. The formal program itinerary is enclosed with this invitation for your perusal.

Additionally, you are kindly requested to register and nominate your esteemed organization individually on the official event portal: <https://rad.bopter.org/> by 15th August 2026. Kindly also confirm your participation by sending an email to rad@bopter.org to help us make the necessary arrangements.

We look forward to welcoming you to the event.

Yours sincerely,

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