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Competition for Design of an Emblem and a motto for National Archives of India

The National Archives of India organised a competition for designing of an emblem/logo and motto/tagline of the department on the occasion of completing 125th years of its existence.

An indicative advertisement for the competition was published in **32** newspapers, including national and regional dailies on 22 July 2015. It was also made available on the website as well as on the social media page of the department. Besides, the competition was organised on the Creative Corner of the Mygov portal and the last date for the submission of entries by the participants was **15 August 2015**.

In response to the announcement, total **235 entries** were received through various sources, of them, **186 entries** were received in **Mygov platform**, **48 entries** through **e-mail** and **1 entry** was received **by post**. All entries were placed before the Screening Committee and 17 shortlisted entries by the Screening Committee were placed before the Evaluation Committee for the finalization of emblem and motto of the department.

The Evaluation Committee observed that **none of the entries** received through crowd sourcing befitted the ethos and spirit of the functions of the National Archives of India. Hence, it was unanimously decided that NAI may use the line drawing of main building of department, approved by the Ministry of Culture for use for the Commemorative Coin, as its Emblem/logo.

In addition, the Committee approved the use of the tagline **वयं अभिलेखान् रक्षामः** **Vyam Abhilekhan Rakshamah (We protect records)** along with the emblem/logo.

The Director General, National Archives of India expresses thanks to all those who participated in the creative competition organized on the occasion of 125th foundation year celebrations and wish them good luck to them for their future endeavor.

Encl: Emblem with tagline

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Final Emblem of National Archives of India with tagline

