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PRANAB MUKHERJEE



विदेश मंत्री, भारत
MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
INDIA

No: 2952/BAM/2007

12th April, 2007

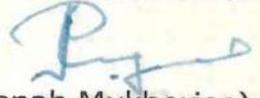
Dear Shri Debnath,

I have come to know through Shri Sanat Kumar Mandal, Member of Parliament (Lok Sabha), regarding your commendable initiative to tour the world on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and Indian culture. I admire your enthusiasm and your objective.

I convey my best wishes for a safe and a successful journey.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,


(Pranab Mukherjee)

Shri Somen Debnath
Village & Post Basanti (Sunderban)
South 24 Parganas-743 312
West Bengal



विदेश मंत्रालय, नई दिल्ली
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
NEW DELHI

No.K/PAD/551/19/2007

3 May 2007

To whomsoever it may concern

Shri Somen Debnath, an Indian national holding passport no. E-4750946 is undertaking a world cycling expedition covering 191 countries to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS.

2. All Indian Missions/Posts abroad, through whose area of accreditation Shri Debnath is passing, are requested to render suitable assistance to facilitate his visit and for successful completion of his endeavour.

Viraj Singh.

(Viraj Singh)
Deputy Secretary (PD)

(बिराज सिंह/VIRAJ SINGH)
उप सचिव
Deputy Secretary
विदेश मंत्रालय, नई दिल्ली,
Min. of External Affairs N. Delhi.



सत्यमेव जयते

प्रियरंजन दासमुंशी
P.R. Dasmunsi

सूचना और प्रसारण
एवं संसदीय कार्य मंत्री
भारत सरकार
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Minister of
Information & Broadcasting
and Parliamentary Affairs
Govt. of India
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001

04th April, 2007

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, S/o Sh. Ram Mohan Debnath, V&PO -Basanti (Sundarband), District South-24 Parganas, West Bengal has been individually touring around the world on Bi-cycle to create awareness on HIV/AIDS. He began the journey from 27th May,2004, to achieve his goal in 2020. All well deserving organizations, social activists & associations may kindly support and cooperate the campaign against HIV/AIDS and individuals for his noble cause for such objective.

(P.R. DASMUNSI)



मणि शंकर अय्यर
MANI SHANKAR AIYAR

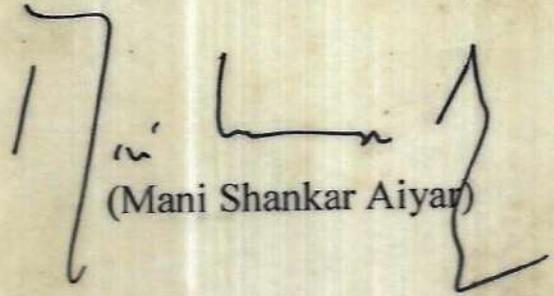
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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Shri Somen Debnath, s/o. Shri Ram Mohan Debnath, resident of V&PO. Basanti (Sundarband), District South-24 Parganas, West Bengal has been touring around the world on a bicycle to create awareness on HIV/AIDS and the uniqueness of Indian culture. He began his journey on 27 May 2004 and hopes to accomplish his goal by the year 2020.

I wish him good luck and success in this noble endeavour.


(Mani Shankar Aiyar)

New Delhi
25 June 2007



No.CAN/HC/244/2023

02 June 2023

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

It was a pleasure for me to meet Mr. Somen Debnath, an Indian citizen, who has been on an impressive bicycle tour around the world since 2004 to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to promote Indian culture.

2. It is a testimony to his dedication and commitment that he has already travelled to 180 countries and completed 189,500 kilometres. His mission to cover 191 countries by the end of 2023 is equally admirable and noteworthy.

3. In Australia, Mr. Debnath would like to spread awareness of HIV/AIDS and other contemporary health challenges and convey his humanitarian and cultural exchange message in schools, colleges, universities, health centres, NGOs, social organizations and other institutions. He would also like to meet with political leaders, officials, media, etc.

4. It will be appreciated if all possible assistance and facilitation could be extended to Mr. Debnath during his journey in Australia.

3. I wish him all success in his noble endeavours.

(Manpreet Vohra)



सत्यमेव जयते

भारतीय उच्चायुक्त
High Commissioner of India

No.WEL/551/2/2020

18 March 2020

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, an Indian Citizen, is on a bicycle tour around the world to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and other contemporary health challenges and to convey message of peace and humanity among the youth. He is also promoting Indian culture around the world. He started his tour on 27 May 2004 from India and reached New Zealand via South Korea on 11 February 2020. He has traveled to 157 countries and paddled 169750 kms so far.

Mr. Somen Debnath plans to visit 191 countries by the end of 2020 covering almost 2,00,000 kms and reaching nearly 20 million people. He has acquired special training under the aegis of the 'West Bengal State AIDS Control Society' in the State of West Bengal, India.

Mr. Somen Debnath is currently in New Zealand and would like to spread awareness of HIV/AIDS and other contemporary health challenges and convey his humanitarian and cultural exchange message in schools, colleges, universities, health centers, NGOs, social organizations and other institutions during his stay.

It will be appreciated if all possible cooperation could be extended to Mr. Somen Debnath to facilitate the success of his journey in New Zealand and other Pacific Island countries.

I wish him all success.


(Muktesh K. Pardeshi)



भारतीय उच्चायुक्त

High Commissioner of India

No. DAR/PUB/301/1/2014

27 May 2014

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian National, has been travelling to various countries on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey message of peace & humanity and to promote Indian culture around the world. He started his world tour on bicycle on 27 May 2004 from India and reached Dar es Salaam on 27 May 2014. He has so far travelled 88 countries by pedaling approximately 105,200 Kms.

Mr. Somen plans to visit 191 countries by 2020 for this noble cause. He has acquired special training under the aegis of the West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of West Bengal of the Republic of India.

Mr. Somen Debnath is currently in Dar es Salaam and would like to conduct his workshops on HIV/AIDS and on peace and humanity in colleges, schools, health centres, NGOs, social organizations and other institutions in Dar es Salaam during his tour.

It will be appreciated if all possible assistance/cooperation is extended to him to facilitate the successful completion of his endeavour.

I wish him all success in his endeavours.

D. Shaw
(Debnath Shaw)



उच्चायुक्त
HIGH COMMISSIONER

November 18, 2015

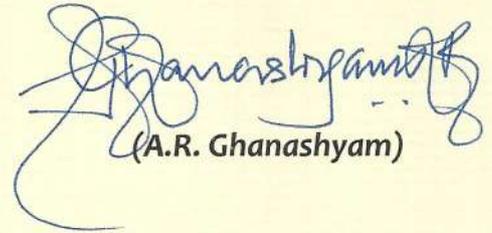
To Whom It May Concern

Mr. Somen Debnath, S/o Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, has been travelling to various countries around the world on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS, to convey message of peace & humanity and to promote Indian culture. He commenced his world tour on bicycle on May 27, 2004 from India and reached Abuja on November 17, 2015 after pedalling a distance of about 125,900 Kms. Mr. Debnath plans to visit 191 countries around the globe by 2020. He has acquired special training under the aegis of the West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of West Bengal in India.

2. Mr.Somen is currently in Nigeria and would like to conduct his workshops on HIV/AIDS and on peace and humanity in colleges, schools, health centres, NGOs, social organisations and other institutions during his tour in Nigeria.

3. It will be appreciated if all possible cooperation is extended to him during his visit in Nigeria (Abuja & Lagos) & Benin Republic to facilitate the successful completion of his endeavour.

I wish him all success.


(A.R. Ghanashyam)

भारत का उच्चायुक्त, प्रिटोरिया
दक्षिण अफ्रिका



HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR INDIA
PRETORIA

23 January 2015

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, who has been travelling all over the world on bicycle to spread awareness of HIV / AIDS and to convey the message of peace and humanity and promote Indian culture, arrived in Pretoria, South Africa on 12th January 2015. He started his tour on bicycle from India on 27th May 2004 and has so far reached 97 countries and travelled 115 450 km.

It would be greatly appreciated if due courtesy and cooperation could be extended to him in order to facilitate the success of his tour in South Africa for this noble cause.

Mr. Somen Debnath plans to visit 191 countries and meet about 20 million people and cover over 200 000 km before his return to India in May 2020. I wish him the best of luck and great success in his global mission.

Happy New Year.

(Ruchi Ghanashyam)
High Commissioner



भारतीय राजदूतावास
पोस्ट बॉक्स १७८७
अन्तानानारीव
EMBASSY OF INDIA
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MADAGASCAR

No.TAN/Amb/2014

11th December 2014

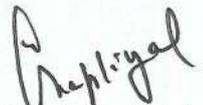
TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, has been travelling to various countries on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey message of peace and humanity and to promote Indian culture around the world. He started his world tour on bicycle on 27th May 2004 from India and he has so far travelled 95 countries and Madagascar is the 96th country for him. He has arrived in Madagascar on the evening of 9th December 2014.

2. Mr. Debnath plans to visit 191 countries by 2020 for this noble cause. He has acquired special training under the aegis of West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of West Bengal of the Republic of India. He would like to conduct his workshops on HIV/AIDS and on peace and humanity in colleges, schools, health centres, NGOs, social organisations and other institutions in Antananarivo and elsewhere in Madagascar.

3. It will be appreciated if all the possible cooperation could be extended to him to facilitate the success of his tour in Madagascar.

I wish him good luck and all the success.


(C.B. Thapliyal)
Ambassador



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Lil/HC/1/2014

July 7, 2014

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, has been travelling to various countries on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey message of peace & humanity and to promote Indian culture around the world. He started his world tour on bicycle on May 27, 2004 from India and reached Lilongwe on July 7, 2014. He has so far travelled 89 countries by pedaling approximately 106,900 Kms.

Mr. Somen plans to visit 191 countries by 2020 for this noble cause. He has acquired special training under the aegis of the West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of West Bengal of the Republic of India.

Mr. Somen Debnath is currently in Lilongwe and would like to conduct his workshops on HIV/AIDS and on peace and humanity in colleges, schools, health centres, NGOs, social organizations and other institutions in Lilongwe during his tour.

It will be appreciated if all possible assistance/cooperation is extended to him to facilitate the successful completion of his endeavour.

I wish him all success in his endeavours.


(Vanlalhuma)

(VANLALHUMA)
High Commissioner of India
HCI, Lilongwe (Malawi)



भारत का उच्चायुक्त, नाइरोबी
High Commissioner of India, Nairobi

30 January, 2014

Dear Shri Somen Debnath,

Thank you for your letter of 27 January, 2014 through which you have enclosed other documents informing that you have been on an international bicycle tour since 27 May, 2004.

The fact that you have completed your tour through 83 countries thus far is indeed a remarkable achievement, in keeping with similar feats by other Indian nationals.

Your plan to cover a total of 191 countries by the year 2020 is impressive. Please accept my good wishes on your endeavour.

Sibabrata Tripathi

Shri Somen Debnath
Indian passport no. Z-2374183
Nairobi

विश्वदीप दे
उच्चायुक्त

Bishwadip Dey
High Commissioner



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TRIN/321/1/2017

17th September 2017

To Whom It May Concern

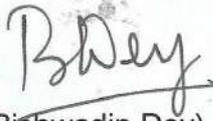
Mr Somen Debnath, son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, is on a bicycle tour around the world to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS, convey a message of peace & humanity and promote Indian culture around the world. He started his world tour on bicycle on 27 May 2004 from India and reach Trinidad and Tobago on 9th September 2017 from Suriname. He has so far travelled to 136 countries and pedaled approximately 149,000 kms.

Mr. Somen plans to visit 191 countries by 2020. For this noble cause, he has acquired special training under the aegis of the West Bengal State AIDS Control Society (West Bengal is a State in the Republic of India).

Mr. Somen Debnath is currently in Trinidad and would like to spread awareness of HIV/AIDS and convey his message of cultural exchanges in colleges, schools, health centers, NGOs, social organizations and other institutions during his stay. He would also be visiting Grenada, Commonwealth of Dominica and Montserrat, countries of concurrent accreditation to this Mission.

It will be appreciated if all possible cooperation could be extended to him to facilitate the success of his journey in Trinidad & Tobago and above mentioned countries.

I wish him all success.


(Bishwadip Dey)

डॉ देवयानी खोब्रागडे
भारत की राजदूत

Dr. Devyani Khobragade
Ambassador of India



No. PHN/AMB/29092023/01

03 October 2023

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

It was a pleasure for me to meet Mr. Somen Debnath, an Indian citizen, who has been on an impressive bicycle tour around the world since 2004 to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to promote Indian culture.

2. It is a testimony to his dedication and commitment that he has already travelled to 184 countries and completed 1,96,963 kilometres. His mission to cover 191 countries by the end of 2023 is equally admirable and noteworthy.

3. In Cambodia, Mr. Debnath would like to spread awareness of HIV/AIDS and other contemporary health challenges and convey his humanitarian and cultural exchange message in schools, colleges, universities, health centres, NGOs, social organizations and other institutions. He would also like to meet with political leaders, officials, media, etc.

4. It will be appreciated if all possible assistance and facilitation could be extended to Mr. Debnath during his journey in Cambodia.

5. I wish him all success in his noble endeavours.

(Dr. Devyani Khobragade)

No.SUV/302/01/2023

13 March 2023

To Whomsoever It May Concern

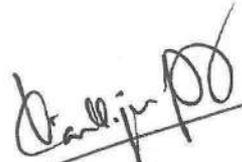
Mr. Somen Debnath, an Indian citizen, is on a bicycle tour around the world to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and other contemporary health challenges and to convey the message of peace and humanity among the youth. He is also promoting Indian culture around the world. He started his tour on 27 May 2004 from India and reached Fiji via Indonesia on 07th March 2023. He has travelled to 174 countries and paddled about 1,87,000 km so far.

2. Mr. Somen Debnath plans to visit 191 countries by the end of 2023 covering almost 200,000 km and reaching nearly 20 million people. He has undergone training under the aegis of the 'West Bengal State AIDS Control Society' in the State of West Bengal, India.

3. Mr. Somen Debnath is currently in Fiji and would like to spread awareness of HIV/AIDS and other contemporary health challenges and convey his humanitarian and cultural exchange message in schools, colleges, universities, health centres, NGOs, social organizations, PSUs and other institutions during his stay till 30 March 2023.

4. It will be appreciated if all possible cooperation could be extended to Mr. Debnath to facilitate the success of his journey in Fiji.

I wish him all success.


(P. S. Karthigeyan)



भारत का राजदूत
AMBASSADOR OF INDIA
BRASÍLIA

A QUEM POSSA INTERESSAR

Essa é uma apresentação do Sr. Somen Debnath, um determinado ciclista indiano que está tentando viajar a todos os países do mundo até 2020 em sua bicicleta. Nesse esforço, ele já percorreu mais de 100 países e está agora no Brasil desde maio de 2016. Chegou a Brasília em 10 de julho e espera completar sua odisséia brasileira em algum momento entre agosto e setembro de 2016 na região de Foz do Iguaçu. Suas próximas paradas são Belo Horizonte, Rio de Janeiro, São Paulo, Curitiba e Foz do Iguaçu.

O Sr. Debnath busca conscientizar acerca do HIV/AIDS aonde quer que vá e carrega consigo uma mensagem de amizade universal, de irmandade e de solidariedade entre povos de todas as culturas. Sua aventura intercontinental tem sido uma aventura feliz. Ele tem sido recebido em todos os lugares com tanta amabilidade, que sua fé na humanidade tem-se reforçado mais e mais.

O financiamento de sua viagem vem de pequenas doações individuais e gestos amáveis de pessoas comuns que apreciam seu bravo espírito com o qual ele se pôs a abraçar o mundo. Se por ventura ele passar pelo seu caminho, e você sentir que pode ajuda-lo em sua importante jornada, por favor o faça. Se isso não lhe for possível, não se preocupe. Ele ainda lhe dará um sorriso e seguirá para seu próximo destino. Na vida, às vezes o percurso é tão importante quanto o destino em si.

(Sunil Lal)

Embaixador da Índia no Brasil
13 de julho de 2016



सत्यमेव जयते

भारत का राजदूतावास, ब्यूनस आयर्स

EMBASSY OF INDIA, BUENOS AIRES

संजीव रंजन

SANJIV RANJAN

AMBASSADOR

No. BUE/36/AMB/2016

October 18, 2016

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

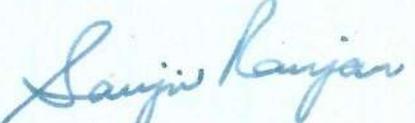
Mr. Somen Debnath, son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, has been travelling to various countries on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey message of peace & humanity and to promote Indian culture around the world. He started his world tour on bicycle on 27 May 2004 from India and reached Buenos Aires on 17 October 2016 from Montevideo, Uruguay. He has so far travelled 126 countries by pedalling approximately 1,37,900 kms.

Mr. Somen plans to visit 191 countries by 2020 for this noble cause. He has acquired special training under the aegis of West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of West Bengal of the Republic of India.

Mr. Somen Debnath is currently in Buenos Aires, Argentina and would like to spread awareness of HIV/AIDS, convey message of cultural exchange in colleges, schools, health centers, NGOs, social organizations and other institutions in Buenos Aires during his tour.

It will be appreciated if any cooperation could be extended to him to facilitate the success of his journey in Argentina.

I wish him all success.


(Sanjiv Ranjan)

भारत का प्रधान कौंसल
दुबई



القنصلية العامة الهندية
دبي

**CONSUL GENERAL OF INDIA
DUBAI**

Duba/CG/2013

9 July 2013

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, has been travelling to various countries on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV / AIDS and to convey message of peace & humanity and to promote Indian culture around the world. He started his world tour on bicycle on 27 May 2004 from India and reached Dubai on 1 July 2013 from Baghdad. He has so far travelled 78 countries by pedaling approximately 97500 kms.

Mr. Somen plans to visit 191 countries by 2020 for this noble cause. He has acquired special training under the aegis of the West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of West Bang of the Republic of India.

Mr. Somen Debnath is currently in Dubai and would like to conduct his workshops on HIV / AIDS and on peace and humanity in colleges, schools, health centres, NGOs, social organizations and other institutions in Dubai during his tour.

It will be appreciated if all possible help / assistance / cooperation is extended to him to facilitate the successful completion of his endeavour.

I wish him all success in his endeavours.


(Sanjay Verma)
Consul General

राजदूत
AMBASSADOR



भारत का राजदूतावास
खार्तूम

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KHA/AMB/551/1/2013

November 18, 2013

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, S/o Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, has been travelling to various countries on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey message of peace & humanity and to promote Indian culture around the world. He started his world tour on bicycle on May 27, 2004 from India and reached Khartoum on November 14, 2013 after pedaling a distance of about 99,650 kms. Mr. Somen plans to visit 191 countries around the globe by 2020. He has acquired special training under the aegis of the West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of West Bengal of the Republic of India.

2. Mr. Somen is currently in Khartoum and would like to conduct his workshops on HIV/AIDS and on peace and humanity in colleges, schools, health centers, NGOs, social organizations and other institutions during his tour in Sudan.

3. It will be appreciated if all possible cooperation is extended to him to facilitate the successful completion of his endeavour.

I wish him all success.


(S.K. Verma)
Ambassador



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Abu /Cul/324/6/2010 - 2013

28 July 2013

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian National, has been travelling to various Countries on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/ AIDS and to convey message of peace & humanity and to promote Indian culture around the world. He started his would tour on bicycle on 27 May 2004 from India and reached Abu Dhabi on 24 July 2013 from Dubai. He has so far travelled 78 countries by pedaling approximately 97500 kms.

Mr. Somen plans to visit 191 countries by 2020 for this noble cause. He has acquired special training under the aegis of the West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of West Bang of the Republic of India.

Mr. Somen Debnath is currently in Abu Dhabi and would like to conduct his workshops on HIV / AIDS and on peace and humanity in colleges, schools, health centres, NGOS, social organizations and other institutions in Abu Dhabi during his tour.

It will be appreciated if all possible assistance / cooperation is extended to him to facilitate the successful completion of his endeavour.

I wish him all success in his endeavours.


(M.K. Lokesh)



भारत का राजदूत, अदिस अबाबा
AMBASSADOR OF INDIA
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No. Add/Amb/2013

December 10, 2013

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, has been travelling to various countries on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey message of peace & humanity and to promote Indian culture around the world. He started his world tour on bicycle on 27 May 2004 from India and reached Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, on 10th December 2013 from Khartoum, Sudan. He has so far travelled to 82 countries by pedaling approximately 100,950 kms.

Mr. Somen plans to visit 191 countries by 2020 for this noble cause. He has acquired special training under the aegis of West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of West Bengal of the Republic of India.

Mr. Somen Debnath is currently in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia and would like to spread awareness of HIV/AIDS, convey message of cultural exchange in colleges, schools, health centers, NGOs, social organizations and other institutions in Ethiopia during his tour.

It will be appreciated if any cooperation could be extended to him to facilitate the success of his journey in Ethiopia.

I wish him all success.


(SANJAY VERMA)
AMBASSADOR



सत्यमेव जयते

AMBASSADOR

BRAT/CONS/415/1/2010

भारत का राजदूतावास
ब्रातिस्लावा

EMBASSY OF INDIA
BRATISLAVA

June 28, 2010

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, Village & PO-Nasanti, Sunderban, District 24 Parganas, West Bengal, India has been touring various countries on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and Indian Culture. Mr. Somen Debnath started his journey on 27 May, 2004 from India and reached Bratislava on 28 June, 2010 from Poland. He has traveled 46 countries by traveling 78,500 kms as of now.

Mr. Somen plans to visit 191 countries by 2020 for this noble cause. He has acquired a special training under the aegis of the West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of West Bengal of the Republic of India.

For this noble cause, he wants to conduct workshops on HIV/AIDS at various Universities, Colleges, Schools, Health Centres, NGOs and other institutions in Slovakia. All concerned are requested to render suitable assistance to facilitate for successful completion of his endeavour.


(Homai Saha)



No. KUA/2023

07 Sep 2023

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, an Indian citizen, is on a bicycle tour around the world to spread awareness on HIV / AIDS and other contemporary health challenges and to convey the message of peace and humanity among the youth. He is also promoting Indian culture around the world. He started his tour on the 27 May 2004 from India and reached Malaysia, the 182nd country in Sep 2023. He has travelled to 181 countries and paddled about 1,94,800 km so far.

2. Mr. Somen Debnath plans to visit 191 countries by the end of 2023 covering almost 200,000 km and reaching nearly 20 million people. He has undergone training under the aegis of "West Bengal State AIDS Control Society" in the State of West Bengal, India.

3. Mr. Somen Debnath is currently in Malaysia and would like to spread awareness of HIV / AIDS and others contemporary health challenges and convey his humanitarian and culture exchange message in schools, colleges, universities, health centers, NGO's, social organization, PSUs and other institutions during his stay till 10 Sep 2023.

4. It will be appreciated, if all possible assistance could be extended to Mr. Debnath to facilitate the success of his journey in Malaysia. I wish him all success in his noble endeavours.


(B.N. Reddy)

No. TAI/DG/551/1/2023

30 January 2023

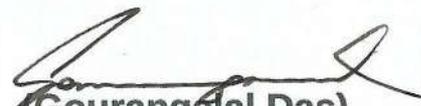
TO WHOSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, an Indian citizen, is currently in Taiwan on a worldwide cycling tour that has already taken him to 172 countries across seven continents, in a journey of nearly 187,000 kms. that has lasted over 18 years.

2. The twin missions of Mr. Debnath's bicycle tour are spreading awareness about HIV/AIDS and carrying the message of peace and universal brotherhood among the youth, inspired by the great 19th century Indian thinker-philosopher Swami Vivekananda. He intends to reach all countries within 2023 covering 200,000 kms and reaching 20 million people.

3. During his overseas visits, Mr. Debnath regularly interacts with local and national leaders, public service institutions, social organizations, schools, colleges and universities, NGOs, etc. I shall appreciate, if all possible cooperation, assistance and facilitation could be extended to Mr. Debnath to successfully complete his journey in Taiwan.

4. I compliment him on his noble endeavour and wish him all success in reaching his goals.



(Gourangalal Das)



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March 29, 2016

To Whom It May Concern

Mr. Somen Debnath, S/o Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, has been travelling to various countries around the world on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS, to convey message of peace & humanity and to promote Indian culture. He commenced his world tour on bicycle on May 27, 2004 from India and reached Dakar on March 25, 2016 after pedaling a distance of about 129,400 Kms. Mr. Somen Debnath plans to visit 191 countries around the globe by 2020. He has acquired special training under the aegis of the West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of West Bengal in India.

Mr. Somen is currently in Senegal and would like to conduct his workshops on HIV/AIDS and on peace and humanity in colleges, schools, health centres, NGOs, social organizations and other institutions during his tour in Senegal.

It will be appreciated if all possible cooperation is extended to him during his visit in the Republic of Senegal to facilitate the successful completion of his endeavor.

I wish him all success.


(Rajeev Kumar)
Ambassador



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SAINT DENIS, REUNION

CG/RUN/151/1/2014

31 December 2014

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national who has been travelling all over the world on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey the message of peace and humanity and to promote Indian culture arrived in Reunion Islands on 30th December 2014. He started his tour on bicycle on 27th May 2004 from India and has so far travelled 96 countries and travelled 115400kms on bicycle.

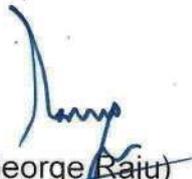
2. Mr. Debnath has special training on AIDS control under the aegis of West Bengal AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of the Republic of India. He has been conducting workshops on HIV/AIDS and on peace and humanity in colleges, schools, health centres, NGOs, social organisations and similar institutions in various countries he visited. He would like to continue his mission in Reunion Island.

3. It will be greatly appreciated if due courtesy and cooperation could be extended to him to facilitate the success of his tour in Reunion Island for the noble cause.

4. Mr. Somen Debnath plans to visit 191 countries and meet about 20 million people and cover over 200,000kms before his return to India in May 2020. I wish him good luck and great success in his global mission.

Happy New Year.




(George Raju)
Consul General



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CG/RUN/151/1/2014

31 Décembre 2014

"A QUI DE DROIT"

Monsieur Somen Debnath fils de M. Ram Mohan Debnath, un ressortissant indien qui a voyagé partout dans le monde à vélo pour sensibiliser les gens sur le VIH / SIDA et pour transmettre le message de paix et d'humanité et promouvoir la culture indienne est arrivé à île de la Réunion le 30 décembre 2014. Il a commencé sa tournée à vélo le 27 mai 2004, de l'Inde jusqu'ici, il a parcouru 96 pays et a voyagé 115 400 km à vélo.

Monsieur Debnath a une formation spécialisée sur la lutte contre le SIDA sous l'égide de la Société du Bengale occidental de la lutte contre le SIDA, qui est une société régionale de contrôle du SIDA de l'État de la République de l'Inde. Il a mené des ateliers sur le VIH / SIDA et sur la paix et l'humanité dans les collèges, les écoles, les centres de santé, des ONG, des organisations sociales et d'autres institutions similaires dans différents pays qu'il a visités. Il aimerait poursuivre sa mission à la Réunion.

Il sera grandement apprécié qu'appropriée coopération et courtoisie pourraient lui être étendues pour faciliter le succès de sa tournée à la Réunion pour la noble cause.

Monsieur Somen Debnath envisage de visiter 191 pays et de rencontrer environ 20 millions de personnes et de couvrir les 200,000 km avant son retour en Inde mai 2020. Je lui souhaite bonne chance et beaucoup de succès dans sa mission mondiale.

Bonne Année.



(Signature)
(George Raju)
Consul Général



भारत का उच्चायोग
कम्पाला
HIGH COMMISSION OF INDIA
KAMPALA

KAM/AHC/2014

March 13, 2014

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, has been travelling to various countries on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey message of peace & humanity and to promote Indian culture around the world. He started his world tour on bicycle on 27th May, 2004 from India and reached Uganda on 9th of March, 2014 from Kenya. He has so far travelled to 84 countries by pedaling approximately 102850 kms.

Mr. Debnath plans to visit 191 countries by 2020 for this noble cause. He has acquired special training under the aegis of West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of West Bengal of the Republic of India.

Mr. Somen Debnath is currently in Kampala, Uganda and would like to spread awareness of HIV/AIDS, convey message of cultural exchange in colleges, schools, health centres, NGOs, social organization and other institutions in Uganda during his tour.

It will be appreciated if any co-operation could be extended to him to facilitate the success of his journey in Uganda.

I wish him all success.

(Rajesh Gawande)
Acting High Commissioner

Rajesh Gawande
Charge d' Affaires
High Commission of India
Kampala

HIGH COMMISSIONER OF INDIA
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पोर्ट लुई, मॉरीशस

No. Por/HC/581/2014

November 17, 2014

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I have come to know that Mr. Soumen Debnath, son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, has been travelling to various countries on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey message of peace and humanity and to promote Indian culture around the world.

I commend Mr. Debnath's noble efforts to spread message of peace during his travels to different countries.

I wish him all success in his endeavour.

(Anup Kumar Mudgai)
High Commissioner of India
Port Louis (Mauritius)



No. Pre/Misc/551/1/2015

16 January 2015

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, S/o Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national who has been travelling all over the world on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey the message of peace and humanity and to promote Indian culture arrived in Pretoria, South Africa on 12th January 2015. He started his tour on bicycle on 27th May 2004 from India and has so far travelled 96 countries and travelled 115450 kms on bicycle.

2. Mr. Debnath has special training on AIDS control under the aegis of West Bengal AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of the Republic of India. He has been conducting workshops on HIV/AIDS and on peace and humanity in colleges, schools, health centres, NGOs, social organisations and similar institutions in various countries he visited. He would like to continue his Mission in South Africa.

3. He will be greatly appreciated if due courtesy and cooperation could be extended to him to facilitate the success of his tour in South Africa for the noble cause.

4. Mr. Somen Debnath plans to visit 191 countries and meet about 20 million people and cover 2,00,000 kms before his return to India in May 2020. I wish him good luck and great success in his global mission.

(T. Armstrong Changsan)
Deputy High Commissioner



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High Commission of India
Pretoria (South Africa)



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No.Win/551/1/2015

June 23, 2015

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, son of Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian National, has been travelling to various countries on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey message of peace & humanity and promote Indian culture around the world. He has started his world tour on bicycle on 27 May 2004 from India and reached Windhoek on 21 June 2015. He has so far travelled 100 countries and presently in Namibia by pedaling approximately 120,000 kms.

Mr. Somen plans to visit 191 countries by 2020 for this noble cause. He has acquired special training under the aegis of the West Bengal AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of West Bengal of the Republic of India.

Mr. Somen Debnath is currently in Windhoek and would like to conduct his workshop on HIV/AIDS and on the place and humanity in colleges, Schools, health centers, NGOs, social organizations and others institutions in Windhoek and whole Namibia during his tour.

It will be appreciated if all possible assistance/cooperation is extended to him to facilitate the successful completion of his endeavor.

We wish him all success in his endeavors.


[K. Ramalingam]
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No. HCM/551/1/2023

20th October 2023

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

It was a pleasure for me to meet Mr. Somen Debnath, an Indian citizen, who has been on an impressive bicycle tour around the world since 2004 to spread awareness on HOV/AIDS and to promote Indian culture.

2. It is a testimony to his dedication and commitment that he has already traveled to 185 countries and completed 197,183 kilometres. His mission to cover 191 countries by the end of 2023 is equally admirable and noteworthy.
3. In Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, Mr. Debnath would like to spread awareness of HIV/AIDS and other contemporary health challenges and convey his humanitarian and cultural exchange messages in schools, colleges, universities, health centres, NGOs, social organizations, and other institutions. He would also like to meet with political leaders, officials, media etc.
4. It will be appreciated if all possible assistance and facilitation could be extended to Mr. Debnath during his journey in Vietnam.
5. I wish him all success in his noble endeavours.

C. S. S.
20/10/2023

(Dr. Madan Mohan Sethi)



Honorary Consul General of India

March 18th, 2016

To Whom it May Concern

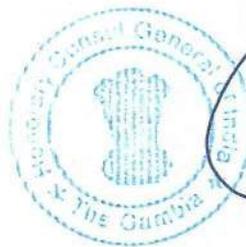
Mr. Somen Debnath, Indian National, bearing current Indian passport No. Z 3084636, son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, has been travelling around the world on a bicycle, with a mission to spread awareness of HIV/AIDS, to spread a message of Unity, Peace and Humanity and to promote Indian Culture. He has commenced this epic journey on bicycle on the 27th of May, 2004 from India. He reached The Gambia on 13th March, 2016 and The Gambia is his 120th Country after pedalling approximately 129,300 KM. His plans are to visit 191 countries by the end of 2020.

Debnath has acquired special training on HIV/AIDS from the West Bengal State Aids Control Society.

2. Mr. Somen is currently in The Gambia and would like to conduct workshops on HIV/AIDS and on peace and humanity in schools and colleges, health centres, NGOs, Social Organisations and other institutions during his tour in The Gambia.

3. It will be appreciated if all possible assistance and cooperation is extended to him during his visit in The Gambia, to facilitate in the successful completion of his endeavour.

I wish him all success.



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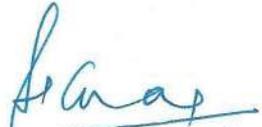
June 19, 2014

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. somen Debnath, an Indian national, has been touring various countries in the world on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and Indian culture. Mr. Debnath started his journey on 27th May, 2004 from India and reached Zanzibar on 15th June, 2014 from Dar-es-salaam covering a distance of more than one lakh Kms. He plans to visit 191 countries by 2020.

2. This is a commendable exercise and an ambitious mission for a universal cause. Various organization, NGOs and individuals, especially Indians, have helped him in his Mission so far. We appreciate interest shown by such organizations/individuals in Mr. Debnath's mission and the assistance extended by them to Mr. Debnath.

3. We wish him all the best for Mission as well as all the rest of his future endeavors.


(Satendar Kumar)
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February 22, 2016

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, S/o Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, has been travelling to various countries around the world on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS, to convey message of peace & humanity and to promote Indian Culture. He commenced his world tour on bicycle on May 27, 2004 from India and reached Conakry – Republic of Guinea on 18th February, 2016. He has travelled so far through 117 countries and Republic of Guinea is his 118th stop. He has planned to visit 191 countries around the globe by 2020.

Mr. Somen Debnath has acquired special training under the aegis of the West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of West Bengal in India.

Mr. Somen is currently in Conakry – Republic of Guinea and would like to conduct his workshops on HIV/AIDS and on peace and humanity in Universities, health centers, social organizations and institutions during his tour in Conakry – Republic of Guinea.

It will be appreciated if all possible cooperation is extended to him during his visit of Conakry – Republic of Guinea to facilitate the successful completion of his endeavor.

I wish him good luck and all success in his global mission and noble cause.

Ashok S. Vaswani
Honorary Consul General of India



Randhir K. Jaiswal
Consul General



भारत का प्रधान कौंसलावास, जोहान्सबर्ग
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30 October 2014

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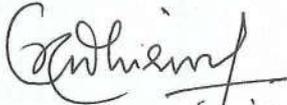
Mr. Somen Debnath, son of Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, has been travelling to various countries on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey message of peace and humanity and to promote Indian culture around the world. He started his world tour on bicycle on 27 May 2004 from India and reached South Africa recently. He has so far travelled 93 countries pedalling approximately 1,12,600 kms.

Mr. Somen plans to visit 191 countries by 2020 for his noble cause. He has acquired special training under the aegis of the West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society for the State of West Bengal, Republic of India.

Mr. Somen Debnath is currently in Johannesburg and would like to conduct his workshop on HIV/AIDS and on peace and humanity in colleges, schools, health centres, NGOs, social organisations and other institutions in South Africa during his tour.

It will be appreciated if all possible help and cooperation is extended to him in his exemplary and noble endeavour.

I wish him all success.


(Randhir Jaiswal)



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No. CAP/CG/Misc./15

29th April, 2015

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, S/o Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national who has been travelling all over the world on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey the message of peace and humanity and to promote Indian culture arrived in Cape Town, South Africa on 9th April, 2015. He started his tour on bicycle on 27th May 2004 from India and has so far travelled 98 countries and travelled more than 117600 kms on bicycle.

2. Mr. Debnath has special training on AIDS control under the aegis of West Bengal AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of the Republic of India. He has been conducting workshops on HIV/AIDS and on peace and humanity in colleges, schools, health centres, NGOs, social organisations and similar institutions in various countries he visited. He would like to continue his Mission in South Africa and other countries.

3. It will be greatly appreciated if due courtesies and cooperation could be extended to him to facilitate the success of his tour in South Africa and beyond for a noble cause.

4. Mr. Somen Debnath plans to visit 191 countries and meet about 20 million people and cover 2,00,000 kms before his return to India in May 2020.

5. I wish him good luck and great success in his global mission.



(Puneet R. Kundal)
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February 22, 2016

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Mr. Somen Debnath, S/o Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national, has been travelling to various countries around the world on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS, to convey message of peace & humanity and to promote Indian Culture. He commenced his world tour on bicycle on May 27, 2004 from India and reached Conakry – Republic of Guinea on 18th February, 2016. He has travelled so far through 117 countries and Republic of Guinea is his 118th stop. He has planned to visit 191 countries around the globe by 2020.

Mr. Somen Debnath has acquired special training under the aegis of the West Bengal State AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of West Bengal in India.

Mr. Somen is currently in Conakry – Republic of Guinea and would like to conduct his workshops on HIV/AIDS and on peace and humanity in Universities, health centers, social organizations and institutions during his tour in Conakry – Republic of Guinea.

It will be appreciated if all possible cooperation is extended to him during his visit of Conakry – Republic of Guinea to facilitate the successful completion of his endeavor.

I wish him good luck and all success in his global mission and noble cause.

Ashok S. Vaswani
Honorary Consul General of India





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No. Pre/Misc/551/1/2015

February 19, 2015

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, S/o Mr. Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian national who has been travelling all over the world on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey the message of peace and humanity and to promote Indian culture arrived in Durban, South Africa on 17th February 2015. He started his tour on bicycle on 27th May 2004 from India and has so far travelled 96 countries and travelled 116,050 kms on bicycle.

2. Mr. Debnath has special training on AIDS control under the aegis of West Bengal AIDS Control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of the State of the Republic of India. He has been conducting workshops on HIV/AIDS and on peace and humanity in colleges, schools, health centres, NGOs, social organisations and similar institutions in various countries he visited. He would like to continue his Mission in South Africa.

3. It will be greatly appreciated if due courtesy and cooperation could be extended to him to facilitate the success of his tour in South Africa for the noble cause.

4. Mr. Somen Debnath plans to visit 191 countries and meet about 20 million people and cover 200,000 kms before his return to India in May 2020. I wish him good luck and great success in his global mission.

(R. Raghunathan)
Consul General

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HCG/BZV/2015/011

08th August, 2015

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Mr. Somen Debnath, son of Ram Mohan Debnath, an Indian National, has been travelling to various countries on bicycle to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and to convey message of peace & humanity and promote Indian culture around the world. He has started his world tour on bicycle on 27th May, 2004 from India and reached Brazzaville on 07th August 2015. He has so far travelled 102 countries and presently in Republic of Congo by pedaling approximately 121,700 kms.

Mr. Somen plans to visit 191 countries by 2020, 200,000 kms for this noble cause. He has acquired special training under the aegis of the West Bengal AIDS control Society, which is a regional AIDS Control Society of West Bengal of the Republic of India.

Mr. Somen Debnath is currently in Brazzaville and would like to conduct his workshop on HIV/AIDS and on the place and humanity in colleges, schools, health centers, NGOs, social organizations and other institutions in Brazzaville and whole Republic of Congo during his tour.

It will be appreciated if all possible assistance/cooperation is extended to him to facilitate the successful completion of his endeavour.

We wish him all success in his endeavours.



P. S. Daswani

Hon. Consul General