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#### INTRODUCTION

The National Book Trust, India is an apex body established by the Government of India in the year 1957 for the promotion of books and developing reading habit in the country.

#### **Publishing**

Publishing forms a major activity of the Trust. It publishes a wide variety of reasonably priced quality books ranging from works of fiction to books on Medical Sciences and cutting edge technology for all segments of the society and for all age groups, including a wide variety of illustrated books for children. Over the years, the Trust's determined efforts in developing a strong and inclusive policy towards publishing is also apparent in the variety of books published for visually handicapped and the neo-literates.

The Trust publishes books in all major Indian languages, which includes Asamiya, Bangla, Bodo, English, Gujarati, Hindi, Kannada, Kashmiri, Malayalam, Manipuri, Maithili, Marathi, Nepali, Odia, Punjabi, Sanskrit, Sindhi, Tamil, Telugu and Urdu. In addition to this, the Trust also publishes books in Ao Naga, Bhojpuri, Bhili, Bhatri, Halbi, Himachali, Kokborok, Khasi, Garo, Lepcha, Bhutia, Mising, Limboo, Mizo, Newari, Maghi, Tibetan among others.

During the period under review, 1621 titles were published by the



Trust. These included 90 originals, 37 translations, 1482 reprints and 12 revised editions.

#### **Book Promotion Activities**

The Trust organises Book Fairs/ Exhibitions throughout the country including the prestigious annual New Delhi World Book Fair. NBT has so far organised 27 New Delhi World Book Fairs, 41 National Book Fairs and more than 245 Regional Books Fairs.

#### **Book Fairs in India**

During the period from April 2018 to March 2019, the Trust organized six Book Fairs across the country including Gwalior Book Fair (12 – 20 May 2018), Imphal Book Fair (26 May–3 June 2018), Kullu Book Fair (9–17 June 2018), Haldwani Book Fair (22 June–1 July 2018), Silvassa Book Fair (30 September – 7 October 2018 and Pustak Kumbh Mela (28 January–28 February 2019).

The Trust also stepped-up its book promotional activities in the North-east through a number of Book Fairs, literary activities and special sales drive. During the year under review, the Trust in collaboration with the Bodo Writers' Academy organized the National Tribal Book Festival, Bodo Translation Workshop, a book release function and a Training Course in Book Publishing.

The Trust has also broadened its activities in Jammu & Kashmir to create book mindedness and make NBT books available to the people in the valley. During the year under review, The Trust organized a seminar on the topic 'Universal Values in Languages of Jammu & Kashmir, Training Course in Book Publishing, among others.

#### **International Book Fairs**

In order to promote Indian publishing abroad, the Trust participates in various International Books Fairs by displaying a cross section of representative Indian publications brought out by various Indian publishers. Since 1970, the Trust has participated in more than 390 International Book Fairs. During the period under review the Trust participated in 14 such International Book Fairs, including London Book Fair (10-12 April 2018), Abu Dhabi International Book Fair (25 April-1 May



2018), Tehran International Book Fair (2-12 May 2018), Warsaw Book Fair (17-20 May 2018), Nepal International Book Fair (1-9 June 2018), Indonesia International Book Fair (12-16 September 2018), Beijing International Book Fair (22-26 August 2018), World Hindi Conference (18-20 August 2018), Frankfurt Book Fair (10-14 October 2018), Sharjah International Book Fair (31 October-10 November 2018), Guadalajara International Book Fair (24 November-2 December 2018), Cairo International Book Fair (22 January-5 February 2019), London Book Fair (12-14 March 2019) and Paris Book Fair (15-18 March 2019).

#### **Mobile Exhibitions**

Through its mobile book exhibitions, the Trust makes books accessible to the people at their doorsteps. So far it has organised more than 15,000 Mobile Exhibitions throughout the country including the Northeastern states. During the period under report, the Trust organised Mobile Book Exhibitions at about 250 places in and around Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Delhi/NCR, Gujarat, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jharkhand, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Puducherry, Punjab, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh, Uttarakhand and West Bengal.

#### **Grant-in-Aid Programme**

The Ministry of Human Resource Development had entrusted the scheme of Financial Assistance to Voluntary/Private organisations for organising Seminars/ Training Courses/Workshops/Annual Conventions/Book Fairs related to the Book Promotional Activities to the Trust. A number of organisations had applied for financial assistance for organising various Book Promotional Activities. Grants were released to five organisations during 2018-19 by the Trust to meet 75% of the approved expenditure of such Book Fairs, Seminars, etc. Besides, the Trust also provides assistance to authors and publishers for the publication of reasonably priced university level text and reference books and for books on Medical Science under its Subsidy Scheme.

#### **Literary Activities**

The Trust organises several book-related activities for the development of the publishing industry of the country. It organises workshops and seminars for those

involved in the development, production and distribution of books. It also organises author's meet and other literary activities such as book release functions from time to time. During the period under review, around 100 activities were organised by the Trust.

# **National Centre for Children's Literature (NCCL)**

The National Centre for Children's Literature (NCCL) of the Trust, is nodal agency to monitor, coordinate, plan and aid the publication of children's literature in various Indian languages. The NCCL has developed a library-cum-documentation centre of children's literature. It organises workshops, seminars and exhibitions to develop the children's literature of the country. With a view to promote and develop the reading habit of the children at the school level, the NCCL encourages setting up of Readers' Clubs at the schools throughout the country and also conducts surveys as well as research work relating to children's literature. So far, over 35,000 Readers Clubs have been set up across the country. During the period under review, 180 new Readers' Clubs were enrolled. The NCCL also organizes meet-the-author programmes, story-telling sessions, workshops, seminars Readers Club Orientation programmes and other children's activities in various parts of the country. In addition, four quarterly issues of *Readers' Club Bulletin*, a bilingual magazine for promotion of reading habit among children were also brought out.

# **Book Promotional Activities by the NBT Regional Offices and Book Promotion Centres**

Besides the Northern Regional Office at its headquarters, the Trust also has three Regional Offices at Bengaluru, Mumbai and Kolkata as well as Book Promotional Centres at Agartala, Chennai, Cuttack, Guwahati, Hyderabad, Kochi and Patna. These offices are primarily responsible for the marketing and sales of NBT publications. The regional offices also participate in various Book Fairs organised both by the Trust and other agencies throughout the country. They also organise NBT book exhibitions at various places in their respective regions. The offices are also responsible for enlisting distributors and agents for the sale of NBT publications. During the period under report, over 11 new agents/distributors were enrolled. It also enrolled 2081 new Book Club members.



# **Training Courses in Book Publishing**

The Trust also organises short term Training Courses in Book Publishing in various parts of the country with the objective to create a talent pool of trained professionals for the publishing industry. While a four-week Training Course in Book Publishing at Delhi has become an annual feature, it also conducts short-term training courses of one-to-two week duration in other parts of the country. During the period under report, apart from four-week Training Course in Vasant Kunj, New Delhi, seven publishing courses in Dharamshala, Imphal, New Delhi, Puducherry, Patna, Ahmedabad and Jammu were organised.

#### **Financial Performance**

During the year beginning April 2018 to March 2019, the Trust achieved net sales of Rs 2365.54 lakh. The revenue earned during this period was to the tune of Rs. 3050.66 lakh.

Financial performance for the year 2018-2019 is as follows:

	Non-NER	NER	Total
Expenditure	8270.50	215.97	8486.47
Revenue generated from own sources	3050.66	0.00	3050.66
Grant-in-Aid to NBT	5677.25	367.13	6044.37



#### **PUBLISHING**

The NBT provides a wide variety of books for all age groups on all subjects keeping in view the needs of its readers and demands of a fluctuating market. A brief note on the various series and on the number of books published under each series during 2018-19 is as follows:

#### **Aadan Pradan**

Aadan Pradan is a series of particular importance because of its unique potential for forging national integration through the exchange of creative literature of the different regions. It presents well-known literary works, mainly novels, short stories, anthologies of popular poetry and reminiscences, of a particular language, to people of other Indian languages.

A total of 43 titles were published under the series during the year including 6 originals, 3 translations and 34 reprints. Of these 3 in Asamiya, 7 in Bangla, 1 in Gujarati, 2 in Marathi, 4 in Tamil, 7 in Punjabi, 7 in Odia, 9 in Hindi, 2 in English and 1 in Kannada. Significant titles include *Ichhanadi O Annanya Galpa, Akhil Mohan Pattnaiknka Sreshtha Galpa and Odia Lekhi Kanka Galpa, Sarat Kumar Mohantynka Shrestha Prabandha*.

# **Asian / Pacific Co-publication Programme**

This is a novel attempt under the aegis of UNESCO, at developing

books for Asian children by Asian authors. To have children in Korea share their fantasies with their counterparts in Sri Lanka is probably no mean achievement. And when Indian and Pakistani editors work as part of a team to build a list of children in the 20 odd countries of the continent we inhabit, it is a great new beginning. The many worlds from Tehran to Tokyo intermingle to give colour to words that children across the continent, if not the world, would love to read. These books are steps for bridging minds and creating a common heritage for this vast continent and are the very best of Asia today.

During the year, 6 titles were published under the series including 1 translation and 5 reprints. Of these 3 in Hindi, 1 in Telugu and 2 in Odia.

# **Autobiography**

This series comprises autobiographies of distinguished social, political and literary figures of India, whose contributions have made the country proud.

During the year two titles were published. These include 1 translation and 1 reprint. Of these, 1 each in English and Hindi were published.

#### **Books for the Neo-literates**

Most books published under the series are the outcome of workshops organized in rural areas with the participation of local people. To make these relevant to the needs of the neo-literates, the books are written in an idiom familiar to them and are field-tested. Short stories, biographies, novelettes, folktales, presentations of contemporary issues and functionally useful information are brought out in a style which attracts neo-literates to read at their own initiative.

Under this series, 85 titles were published during the year, comprising 10 originals, 1 translation, and 74 reprints. These include: 6 in Asamiya, 63 in Hindi, 1 in Kannada, 3 in Gujarati, 1 in Bangla, 8 in Marathi, 2 in Tamil and 1 in Punjabi. Significant titles include *Ankhon Mein Aakash, Anand Dairy, Arein Ki Gai, Lengadi Lali, Kuposhan, Pani Main Aag*.

#### **Continuing Education Series**

The objective of this series is to bring out books for the participants of Continuing

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Education Programme in all major languages of India. Books in this series include collection of freedom songs, books on Indian culture, polity, industry, agriculture etc. Besides, the series also comprises biographies and major novels of Indian literature abridged for target readership.

Under this series, 34 titles were published. These include 1 original and 33 reprints. Of these 31 in Hindi, 1 in Bangla and 2 in Tamil.

#### **Creative Learning Series**

The objective of this series is to bring out books on new educations concepts and tools that are now being actively implemented in the pre-primary and primary sectors of education. With an orientation towards a practical mode of approach, these books are specially designed keeping in view the needs of teaches and others working in the field of education.

During the year, 58 titles were reprinted under the series. Language-wise break-up is: 3 in Bangla, 7 in English, 32 in Hindi, 2 in Odia, 4 in Tamil, 2 in Punjabi, 6 in Marathi, 1 in Gujarati and 1 in Malayalam.

#### **General Series**

Significant titles which cannot be covered under the above series are published as *General* titles. Books published under this series provide an in-depth study of the subject and also serve as authentic reference material.

During the year, 43 titles were published, including 12 originals, 1 translation and 30 reprints. Language-wise break-up of the titles is as follows: 5 in Bangla, 13 in English, 18 in Hindi, 4 in Punjabi, 1 in Tamil and 2 in Odia. Among the significant titles published include *Gondi Legends of Central India, Many Autumns, Bhakti Parampara Ka Prachywadi Paath and Hindi Ki Aadhunik Patrakarita*.

### **Golden Jubilee series**

During the Golden Jubilee Year of the Trust in 2007, a series of special anthologies of Post Independence writings in various Indian languages were initiated.

During the year under review, one title each in Bangla and Gujarati were reprinted.



#### **Folkore**

The *Folklore* series enables the readers of one region to get acquainted with folklore which had shaped the cultural identity of those living in other regions of the country. Descriptions of the area, people, myths, mythology, religion, customs, traditions, fairs and festivals, music, dance, drama, art & craft, and folk literature are also included in the books of this series.

Eleven titles were published during the year, including 4 originals and 7 reprints. Of these 4 in Asamiya, 1 in Bangla, 5 in Hindi and 1 in Punjabi. Significant titles include Aasam Ke Bargeet, Bihar Ke Lok Kathayen, Purvottar Rajya Kee Bhavpuran Lok, and Sindh: Itihaas Sanskriti Evam Sahitya.

#### **ICTP**

Under special project, India China Translation Programme, two titles from Chinese language were translated into Hindi. These include *Confucius Ke Chaar Granth* and *Dikhne Mein Khuhsurat*.

# **India** — The Land and the People

Books in this series introduce the varied physical environment, the diverse cultural traditions and the flora and fauna have enriched the composite and colourful character of India. These books, written in a non-technical, lucid style by subject experts, provide authentic and up-to-date information on the subject.

Thirty-six titles were published during the year comprising 2 originals, 1 translation and 33 reprints. These include 4 in Asamiya, 7 in Bangla, 16 in English, 5 in Hindi, one each in Kannada, Marathi, Tamil and Odia. Significant titles published include: *Abua Raaj Ke Chenantiyan* and *Madhya Pradesh Ki Jal Nidhiya*.

# **Indian Literature Series**

Well-known writings of contemporary Indian writers are brought out under this series in various languages.

Under this series, 8 titles were published during the year, including 4 originals and 4 reprints. These included 1 in Bangla, 4 in Hindi, 2 in Odia and 1 in Urdu. Significant



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titles include Syed Mohammad Ashraf: Selected Stories, Balram Dasanka Shreshtha Kabyakruti, and Sarala Dasunka Shrestha Kabyakruti.

# **National Biography**

The objective of the *National Biography* series is to bring out biographies of Indian women and men who have made outstanding contribution towards the development of Indian society, culture, science, economy, polity as also of modern Indian sensibility. These provide an authentic, objective, comprehensive and analytic account of the person's life and times.

Under this series, 59 titles were published during the year. These include 5 originals, 3 translations, 50 reprints and 1 revised. The language-wise break-up is as follows, Asamiya: 6, Bangla: 11, English: 14, Hindi: 12, Kannada: 1, Marathi 8, Tamil: 2, and Odia 5. Significant titles include *Haipao Jadorang, Mahamana Madan Mohan Malviya, Braja Kishore Prasad* and *Surendre Mohanty*.

## Nehru Bal Pustakalaya

The *Nehru Bal Pustakalaya* series aims at creating a treasure-house of enjoyable and informative literature which children can read at their own initiative. It also promotes national integration by providing common reading material on a wide range of subjects in their mother tongue to children all over India. Books of this series cater to four age groups: pre-school, 6–8, 9–11 and 12–14. Illustrations material for these books is commissioned separately and all books carry colour and / or black & white illustrations, line drawings and photographs. In the case of books for pre-school children, the text, if any, revolves around multi-coloured pictures which tell a story by themselves.

During the year, 1077 titles were published under the series. These include 27 originals, 17 translations, 1025 reprints and 8 revised. The language-wise break-up is as follows: Asamiya: 39, Bangla: 34, Bodo: 24; English: 137, Gujarati: 37, Hindi: 683, Konkani: 13, Marathi: 63, Odia: 6, Kokborok: 6, Tamil: 22, Punjabi: 10 and Telugu: 3. Significant titles include Sabji Mandi, Suno Main samay Hun, Funseng Korak Sikla Jamirai, Khumpui, and Pahadon Ka Jhagda.



#### **North-East Study Series**

The series has been conceived to break stereotypes about the North East region and to bring the region's unique identity into the national academic and intellectual discourses. The books under the series encompass a variety of subjects including fiction and non-fiction based on the land, people, customs, culture and literature of the region.

During the year under review, 1 original and 1 reprint in English were published. Significant title includes Warp & Weft: Makers of Modern Assam.

# Samsamayik Sahitya

Under this series, 3 original titles in Hindi were published. These include, Jeevan Sangram Ke Yodha, Nirja Madhav: Sanklit Kahaniyan and Sitesh Alok: Sanklit Kahaniyan.

# **Popular Science**

This series aims at enabling the average educated reader to understand the world around them appreciate the progress of science, and learn about the role science and technology play in everyday life, emphasizing, wherever possible, India's contribution to the field. The books in this series are written in a lucid, easy-to-understand, simple style and illustrated with anecdotes and analogies from daily life. Diagrams, sketches and photographs elucidate the text.

Ninety-one titles were published during the year, including 4 originals, 3 translations, 2 revised and 82 reprints. The language-wise editions include 30 in Asamiya, 6 in Bangla, 29 in English, 15 in Hindi, 1 in Bodo, 8 in Tamil and 2 in Odia. New titles published were *Cricket Vigyan, Vigyan Vela Mein*, and *Swasth Sharir aur Sakaratmak Mann*.

# **Popular Social Science**

The books under this series introduce popular concepts and ideas of social sciences to the general reader. A variety of emerging subject areas like gender studies, tribal studies, peace and conflict studies, development economics, social formation, etc. are the major focus of the series.



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Nineteen titles were published under this series. These included 4 originals, 1 translation and 13 reprints and 1 revised, of which 3 were in Bangla, 5 in English, 8 in Hindi, 1 in Asamiya and 2 in Odia. Significant titles include *Dr. Bheemrao Ambedkar: Yatra, Krishi Unnati Ka Marg: Krishi Gyaan* and *Bapu Ne Kaha Tha*.

#### **World Literature Series**

Select novels and anthologies of contemporary writings from the Asian, African and Latin American countries are included in this series.

Five titles were published including 1 original, 1 translation and 3 reprints of which 2 in Hindi, 2 in English and 1 in Bangla were published. Significant title includes *Bibi Fatima and the King's Sons*.

# **Young India Library**

The main objective of publishing books under the Young India Library series for young readers of the 18 ± age-group is to introduce the social, economic and political concepts, issues and choices which will control them in the years to come. Stories of adventure and travel, and books on career opportunities are also included in this series.

Thirty-five were published during the year, including 6 originals, 2 translations, 27 reprints. Language-wise break-up of the titles is as follows: 5 in Asamiya, 6 in Bangla, 6 in English, 14 in Hindi, 2 in Marathi and 2 in Tamil. Significant titles among these are Ganga Terey, Prarna Pradeep, Sarya Se Sindhu, Rastriya Chetna Ke Kahaniyan and Hausalon Ko Udne Do: Divyangon Ke Liye.

S. No.	Language	Original	Translation	Reprint	Revised	Total
1.	Asamiya	-	-	98	-	98
2.	Bangla	3	1	84	-	88
3.	Bodo	-		25	_	25
4.	English	7	2	220	5	234
5.	Gujarati	-		40	3	43
6.	Hindi	65	10	834	1	910



S. No.	Language	Original	Translation	Reprint	Revised	Total
7.	Kannada	1	1	2	-	4
8.	Kokborok	6		-	-	6
9.	Malayalam	-	-	1	-	1
10.	Marathi	-		90	-	90
11.	Odia	7	4	20	-	31
12.	Punjabi	-	7	18	-	25
13.	Konkani		-	13	-	13
14.	Tamil		10	37	1	48
15.	Telugu	-	2		2	4
16.	Urdu	1	-		-	1
	Total	90	37	1482	12	1621







# **NEW DELHI WORLD BOOK FAIR, 2019**

The Trust in collaboration with India Trade Promotion Organisation organised the annual New Delhi World Book Fair from 5 to 13 January 2019 at Pragati Maidan, New Delhi. Shri Prakash Javadekar, Hon'ble Minister for Human Resource Development, Government of India inaugurated the Fair.

Seeing the enthusiasm of the book lovers present on the occasion, Shri Prakash Javadekar said that books and culture are inseparable. The world of books is unique. Books have their own fragrance and to appreciate it, we need to read books. He expressed his happiness for Sharjah being the Guest of Honour at the Fair. He said that more than two million Indians have made UAE as their home which shows that the cultural ties between the two countries have grown over the years. Emphasising on the importance of reading, Shri Javadekar said that reading 50 pages of a book everyday brings new ideas, imagination, and dimensions in life.

Sheikh Fahim Bin Sultan Al Qasimi, Executive Chairman of the Department of Government Relations, Sharjah represented the Guest of Honour Country. Shri Prakash Javadekar also presented a copy of book, *Exam Warriors*, authored by Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi to the guests from Sharjah. During the inaugural function, NBT Calendar 2019 based on the theme 'Readers with Special Needs', the Hindi and English editions of the book *Bibi* 

Fatima and Her Sons, authored by H H Sultan bin Muhammad Al-Qasimi, Ruler of Sharjah and published by NBT, and catalogue of Braille books published by NBT were also released.

Shri Baldeo Bhai Sharma, Chairman, NBT and Dr Rita Chowdhury, Director, NBT also spoke on the occasion.

Mr Ahmad bin Rakkad Al Ameri, Chairman, Sharjah Book Authority; Shri J L Kaul, Padma Shri awardee and Secretary General, All India Confederation of the Blind; Mr Habib Youseff Abdallah Al Sayegh, Authors' representative from Sharjah; Shri R. Subrahmanyam, Secretary, Ministry of Human Resource Development and Shri Deepak Kumar, Executive Director, ITPO were felicitated on the occasion.

Later, Shri Prakash Javadekar, Sheikh Fahim Bin Sultan Qasimi and other dignitaries inaugurated the Theme Pavilion and the Foreign Pavilion.

Theme Presentation: This year, the theme of the Fair was 'Books for Readers with Special Needs'. It was projected to carry out the idea of Inclusive Learning, and explore various issues and dimensions of creating, producing and disseminating content for readers. A portrait of Ashtavakra, great Indian sage of Vedic times, was put up at the Pavilion. It is believed that eight of his body parts were deformed. Overcoming this deformity, he read and wrote works like *Ashtavakra Gita*. He is known for his wisdom and spiritual knowledge. The artwork was painted by Shreekant Dubey. The walls of the Pavilion were decorated with the panels and posters of well-known differently-abled celebrities like Stephen Hawkings. Besides there were panels of books on and for persons with special needs, panels defining disorders like autism, etc. An exhibition of artworks made by talented artists with disabilities like R Venkatesh, Santanu Bhattacharya, Imamuddin, Sanjana Nagpal, Thakare Naik among others was put up by 'Family of Disabled,' at the Pavilion. Besides, there was an exhibition of paintings by visually-impaired children of Inside Me, an NGO working for the welfare of visually impaired children.

The tools and instruments used by visually impaired persons like geometry kits, Braille slates, orbit reader, signature guide, typed arithmetic frame, Perkins Brailler were also part of the exhibition by All India Confederation of Blind. Besides, there was a display of inclusive education products by Inklude like books for small children

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and games. These products creatively integrate custommade transparent Braille and tactile shapes printed along with sighted text, shapes and images.

Over 500 books including Braille books, audio books, silent books, tactile books, integrated print-Braille books, books for differently-abled, children with sight or ear impairment, autistic kids, children/readers with ADHD, behavioural/psychological problems/ anxieties were displayed at the Pavilion. A special catalogue of Braille books was also brought out on the occasion. So far, over 250 books in Hindi, English and other Indian languages have been published jointly by National Book Trust, India and All India Confederation of Blind (AICB).

One of the major highlights of the Pavilion was International Disability Film Festival organised by UNESCO and We Care where over 50 documentaries from 27 countries were being screened daily during the Fair. Some of the documentaries were *Two World, The Escape, Me and You, Zero* and many more.

On the occasion, Microsoft had put up a Booth at the Theme Pavilion to display software tools and techniques developed to help persons with special needs to read and write as well.

The Theme Pavilion hosted a number of programmes including discussions, seminars and other literary and cultural programmes on various issues concerning readers with sight or ear impairment, differently-abled, autistic kids, children with ADHD, behavioural problems, etc. Some of the well-known speakers in these programmes included Prof. G N Karna, Rajinder Singh (paralympian and Arjuna awardee), Manpreet Kaur, Parvinder Singh, Swarna Raj, artists including Sonal Mansingh, Atul Satya Kaushik (theatre) and Bant Singh Jhabbar (singer) among others.

Guest of Honour Presentation: Sharjah was the Guest of Honour country at the Fair. The aesthetically designed pavilion introduced the visitors to the region's folk music, traditional musical instruments, calligraphy, art and artifacts, traditional costumes and of course books. At the Pavilion one could see the live demonstration of the art of calligraphy in Arabic language. As many as 57 books translated from Arabic into Hindi on a wide range of subjects were on display at the Pavilion. The Sharjah Pavilion showcased some of the finest artists from Iraq, Turkey, Syria, Saudi Arabia, and Pakistan. Books displayed at the Pavilion gave an insight into Emirati

writings. His Highness Sultan Bin Muhammad Al Qasimi, the Ruler of Sharjah's works found a prominent place at the Pavilion. The four volumes of his widely acclaimed autobiography viz., My Early Life, Taking the Reign 1971-1977, The Consolidation Years 1979-1987 and Culture, Education and Change 1987-2004 were on display along with many of his other books on a variety of subjects. It is worth mentioning that Hindi versions of the His Highness's Autobiography were also on display. The Guest of Honour presentation by Sharjah at the Fair was an important milestone in strengthening the ties between India and the Emirates.

A host of programmes, including literary events, discussions, workshops and cultural programmes were organised at the Sharjah Pavilion in which publishers, writers, artists and other intellectuals from both countries participated.

**Children's Pavilion**: One of the most visited places at the Fair is the Children's Pavilion. Thousands of children from various schools and NGOs visited the Children's Pavilion to participate in various activities like drawing competitions, storytelling sessions, skits, drama, meet your favourite authors, discussions, etc.

**Authors' Corners**: At the Author's Corners namely, Reflections, Conversations, Lekhak Manch and Events Corner, eminent authors interacted with the booklovers and shared their views on the books. This year too, some of the well-known writers both popular and critically acclaimed including Mark Tully, Mridula Garg, Mamta Kalia, Surendra Mohan Pathak, Payal Jain, Reshma Qureshi, Abhishek Behera, among others engaged in lively banters with the visitors. The Fair promised to be a treat for students, writers, booklovers and those associated with the book industry.

**B2B Activities**: New Delhi World Book Fair, also provides a platform for B2B activities for publishers from India and abroad. The CEOSpeak over the Chairman's Breakfast organised in association with FICCI on 6 January 2019 saw the participation of over 50 heads of publishing houses and various book related associations. The New Delhi Rights Table, a 2-day event was held on 7 & 8 January 2019. Over 60 publishers from India and abroad including China, Egypt, France, Iran, Japan, Kenya, Singapore, UAE and USA participated in this special B2B event.

**Cultural Programmes**: National Book Trust, India organised cultural programmes at Hamsadhwani Theatre at Pragati Maidan. The performances held during the Fair

included: Kathak by Nalini Kamalini group, Mohiniattam by International Academy of Mohiniattam, among others.

#### **Activities during New Delhi World Book Fair 2019**

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- 1. National Book Trust, India organised an interactive session for children 'Reading Changed My Life' with renowned children's author Prof. Divik Ramesh at Children's Pavilion.
- 2. A skit on the 'Prevention of Accidents' by Prerna Niketan Sangh and Kavi Sammelan by CAFP, India, were organised at Children's Pavilion.
- 3. To mark the 550<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary of Guru Nanak Dev, *Shabdh Kirtan* was performed by Bhai Manohar Singh and group at Theme Pavilion. The programme was organised by National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Punjabi Akademi Delhi.
- 4. National Book Trust, India organised an event on *Barahmah Gayan* (Guru Nanak Dev) at Theme Pavilion. The event was presented and narrated by Shri Sidharth and Shri Harender Patanga and group recited songs based on the *Barahmah Gayan*.
- 5. National Book Trust, India, in association with Akhil Bhartiya Sahitya Parishad organised a seminar on 'Indian Languages'. The programme was coordinated by Pravin Arya.

- 6. A workshop on painting by visually-impaired children was organised by National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Inside Me at Theme Pavilion.
- 7. A workshop on creative writing by Manjari Shukla was organised by National Book Trust, India at Children's Pavilion.
- 8. National Book Trust, India organised a dance performance by the children of All India Pingalwada Charitable Society at Theme Pavilion.
- 9. National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Suruchi Prakashan organised a programme on 'Hindutva and Hinduism' at Lekhak Manch.

- 10. A children's reading workshop about the biography of Sheikh Dr Sultan bin Mohammed Al Qasimi, the Ruler of Sharjah, was organised by Arab Children's Book Publishers Forum at International Events Corner.
- 11. A panel discussion on 'Publishing for Children at the Digital Age' was organised by French Book Office at International Events Corner. The discussants at the event included Megha Gupta, Fabiana Angelini, Hennele Legras and others.

- 12. National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Aalami Urdu Trust organised a drama based on the story *Budhi Kaki* of Prem Chand at Theme Pavilion.
- 13. A conversation between a noted theatre personality, Shri Atul Satya Kaushik with Shri Abdul Rehman, well-known lawyer was organised at Theme Pavilion.
- 14. A short drama 'Jakhalaa' (Scaffolding) was performed by Dapon—the only all-dwarves theatre group in India at Theme Pavilion. Through their performance the twelve performers mesmerised the audience.
- 15. National Book Trust, India in association with Indian Historical Records Committee, Kitabwale organised a seminar on 'Tradition of Ancient Indian Temples: History and Culture' at Lekhak Manch.
- 16. National Book Trust, India organised several programmes at Children's Pavilion including workshop on 'Career Guidance for Special Children' conducted by Vocational Rehabilitation Centre, Ministry of Labour; Folk dance and play by Delhi Society for Special Children; and a workshop on 'How to Present a Story' by renowned RJ Jayati Ojha.
- 17. A panel discussion on 'Women in Indian and French Publishing' was organised by French Book Office at International Events Corner. Moderated by Urvashi Butalia (Zubaan Books), the panelists included Sunita Kaistha, Priya Kapoor and others.
- 18. A book release function of twelve books by Royal Collins Publishing Group Inc. and China was organised at International Events Corner. The function was marked by the presence of Li Bijian, Minister Counsellor, Embassy of the People's Republic of China, New Delhi.



- 19. A talk on 'Sharjah Publishing City: A Global Hub for India Publishers' was organised by Sharjah Book Authority at International Events Corner.
- 20. A talk on 'Global and Asian Trends in Publishing Beyond Digital' was organised at International Events Corner.

- 21. National Book Trust, India organised several programmes at Children's Pavilion including dance workshop by Deep Foundation; workshop on *Bal Adhikar* by Law 24x7; storytelling session by Bachpan Society for children's literature; and a panel discussion on children's literature by Eklavya.
- 22. National Book Trust, India in collaboration with All India Confederation of the Blind organised a poetry session at Theme Pavilion. The poets present were: Saraswat Mohan Manishi, Amit Puri, Laxmi Shahar Bajpai and others.
- 23. National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Deendayal Shodh Sansthan organised a panel discussion on 'Bharatiya Drishti aur Rajneeti' at Lekhak Manch.
- 24. A joint meeting between Arab and Indian publishers specialising in children's books was organised by Arab Children's Book Publishers Forum at International Events Corner. The idea was to explore prospects of cooperation, sale of rights and translation between the publishers of these two countries.
- 25. A panel discussion on 'Emergence and Role of Literary Agents in France and India' was organised by French Book Office at International Events Corner. Moderated by Anuj Bahri Malhotra, the panelists included Hannele Legras, Milee Ashwarya, Christine Cornet and others.
- 26. A panel discussion was organised by German Book Office at International Events Corner.
- 27. A conference session on a book by Spanish Architects was organised by Instituto Cevantes, New Delhi at International Events Corner.
- 28. A panel discussion on 'Inclusion: First Step for Empowerment' was organised by National Book Trust, India in association with National Council for Promotion of Urdu Language (NCPUL) at Theme Pavilion.



- 29. National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Society for Disability and Rehabilitations Studies, New Delhi & Disability Studies Programme, SIS, JNU, New Delhi organised a panel discussion on 'Readers with Special Needs: Issues and Challenges' at Theme Pavilion. The panelists were: Dr GN Karan, Shri Sanjay Parikh, Dr Kusumlata Malik and others.
- 30. A discussion with Ms Sonal Maan Singh was organised by National Book Trust, India at Theme Pavilion. The programme was conducted by Shri Anant Vijay.
- 31. National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Seva Bharati organised a panel discussion on 'Bharatiya Drishti aur Haashiye Ka Samaaj' at Lekhak Manch.
- 32. National Book Trust, India organised an illustration workshop on the topic 'Brush with Creativity' at Children's Pavilion. Besides, workshop on 'How to Make a Magazine' by Anuvrat Global Organisation; Kahaniyon Ka Manchan and Mukh Abhinay by Rajiv Gandhi Foundation; and panel discussion on children's literature by Sahitya Akademi were also organised.
- 33. A panel discussion on 'Publishing Social Sciences' was organised by French Book Office at International Events Corner.

- 34. National Book Trust, India organised several programmes at Children's Pavilion including workshop on 'Anger Management' by Wise n Shine; workshop for children by Pratham Books; and workshop on 'Making a Radio Programme and Jingles' by renowned RJ Jayati Ojha. Besides, a skit on the importance of books was organised by Jaishankar Memorial.
- 35. A programme on 'Inculcating Reading Habits among Children with Special Needs' was organised by National Book Trust, India in collaboration with We Care at Theme Pavilion.
- 36. An interactive session with foot artist Ms Sheela Sharma was organised by National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Family of Disabled at Theme Pavilion.
- 37. Commemorating the 20<sup>th</sup> death anniversary of a renowned poet and writer, Octavio Paz, National Book Trust, India with the Embassy of Mexico, New



- Delhi, organised a talk and poetry reading session titled 'Re-imagining Octavio Paz Poster Exhibition' at International Events Corner.
- 38. A book release function was organised by Soore Mehr Publishing Co. and SIM Publication at International Events Corner.
- 39. National Book Trust, India in association with Udaan Sansthan organised a discussion on 'Bhartiya Drishti-Lok Mein Sahitya'.

- 40. A musical programme including punjabi folk songs, ghazals and shabdh was performed by the visually-impaired children of Blind School, Jamalpur, Ludhiana. The pogramme was organised at Theme Pavilion.
- 41. An interactive session with Arjun Awardee and Paralympic Winner Shri Rajinder Singh, along with Ms Manpreet Kaur, Shri Parvinder Singh, Shri Bant Singh, Dr Kulvir, Shri Jaswant Singh and Shri Gurbhej Guraya was organised by National Book Trust, India at Theme Pavilion.
- 42. National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Indraprastha Vishwa Samvad Kendra organised a discussion on 'Bharatiya Drishti aur Nyaya Vyavastha' at Lekhak Manch.
- 43. A storytelling session was organised by German Book Office at International Events Corner.
- 44. National Book Trust, India organised several programmes at Children's Pavilion including play on cleanliness by Nigam Pratibha Vidyalaya; seminar on 'Constitutional Rights of Students' by ABDS Corporation; workshop on 'How to Make a Story' by children's writer Sanjeev Jaiswal; workshop on story-writing by Amity University Press; panel discussion on picture books and storytelling by Pickle Yolk Books; panel discussion on science writing by Jawaharlal Nehru University; and a play by Rouse Avenue school.

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45. National Book Trust, India organised a Lawani folk dance performance by Sujata Nandeswar and group at Theme Pavilion. Besides, a performance based on the Swaranjali cultural tradition of Maharashtra by Jeevan Talegaonkar and group was organised at the Pavilion.

- 46. National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Punjabi Akademi, Delhi organised a folk dance performance (Malwai Giddha) by the senior members of Malwa Art Culture Society at Theme Pavilion.
- 47. National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Yuva Sansthan organised a discussion on 'Bharatiya Bhashao ki Vaishvik Shakti' at Lekhak Manch.
- 48. National Book Trust, India organised several programmes at Children's Pavilion including workshop on 'Best Out of Waste'; session on 'Let's Tell Tales' by NGO Katha; workshop for special children on picture books by AWIC; storytelling session through music and dance by Sangita's Institute of Performing Arts; and panel discussion on 'Children's Good Health, Behaviour and Habit' by Akriti Publishers.

- 49. A panel discussion on the topic 'Dheya Ko' was organised by National Book Trust, India at Theme Pavilion.
- 50. National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Centre for Studies of Tradition and System organised a Maithili programme by Madhubani Theatre and group.
- 51. National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Bharat Prakashan organised a programme titled 'Vimarsh Banaam Narrative' at Lekhak Manch.
- 52. National Book Trust, India organised several programmes at Children's Pavilion including Kahani Path on Beti and Nukkad Natak on pollution awareness by Chetna India; storytelling session by *Janjatiye Shodh Evam Vikas Sansthan*, Varanasi; a storytelling through Kathak by Navratan Foundation; play on 'Girl Child Education' by Punjabi Islamia School; play by Koshish Special School and discussion on 'Relevance of Storytelling' by Story Ghar. Besides, a workshop on relevance of storytelling by Story Ghar; and programme on stories and poems from Jammu & Kashmir were organised at the Pavilion.







#### **BOOK FAIRS**

With the objective of promoting book culture in the country, National Book Trust, India organises book fairs/exhibitions throughout the country at regional and national level.

During the period from April 2018 to March 2019, the Trust organised the following book fairs in different parts of the country including New Delhi World Book Fair, 2019.

#### Gwalior Book Fair (12 – 20 May 2018)

National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Municipal Corporation and District Administration, Gwalior organised the Gwalior Book Fair at Phool Bagh Maidan, Gwalior, Madhya Pradesh from 12 to 20 May 2018. About 37 publishers from across India exhibited their books. The Fair was inaugurated by Shri Jaibhan Singh Pawaiya, Hon'ble Minister of Higher Education, Government of Madhya Pradesh. The Trust organised several children's activities, workshops, literary and cultural programmes during the Fair.

# Imphal Book Fair (26 May-3 June 2018)

National Book Trust, India organised Imphal Book Fair from 26 May to 3 June 2018 at D.M. College of Science, Imphal, Manipur. The Fair was organised in collaboration with the Directorate

of Education (U) & Saheed Madhumangal Foundation Imphal. More than 35 publishers/booksellers from all over the country participated and displayed their publications. The Fair was inaugurated by Shri Y. Khem Chand Singh, Hon'ble Speaker, Manipur Legislative Assembly. During the Fair, about 250 children of different schools participated in various events including creative writing, storytelling, cultural programmes, etc.

# Kullu Book Fair (9-17 June 2018)

National Book Trust, India, organised the Kullu Book Fair from 9 to 17 June 2018 at Dussehra Ground, Kullu, Himachal Pradesh. The Fair was organised in collaboration with District Administration, Kullu. About 40 publishers/exhibitors from across India participated in the Fair. The Fair was inaugurated by Prof. Kuldeep Chand Agnihotri, Vice Chancellor, Himachal Central University. The Trust conducted several literary, cultural and children's programmes.

# Haldwani Book Fair (22 June-1 July 2018)

National Book Trust, India organised Haldwani Book Fair from 22 June to 1 July 2018 at Ramleela Maidan, Haldwani, Uttarakhand. The Fair was organised in collaboration with District Administration, Haldwani and Government of Uttarakhand. About 40 publishers/exhibitors from across India participated in the Fair and displayed their books in over 50 stalls. The Fair was inaugurated by Shri Bhagat Singh Koshyari, Hon'ble Member of Parliament and Dr Dhan Singh Rawat, Hon'ble Minister of State, Department of Higher Education, Government of Uttarakhand. During the Fair, several cultural and literary programmes, children's activities were also organised.

# Silvassa Book Fair (30 September – 7 October 2018)

National Book Trust India organised Silvassa Book Fair from 30 September to 7 October 2018 at Stadium Ground, Dadra and Nagar Haveli, Silvassa. The Fair was organised in collaboration with U.T. Administration of Dadra and Nagar Haveli, Department of Tourism. The Fair was inaugurated by Shri Praful Patel, Honourable Administrator, Daman and Diu, and Dadra and Nagar Haveli. About 28 publishers/booksellers participated in the Fair. During the Fair, a number of literary as well as cultural programmes, children's activities/workshops, etc. were organised.



# Pustak Kumbh Mela (28 January–28 February 2019)

National Book Trust India organised a one-month long Pustak Kumbh Mela. The Fair was organised in two phases (i) from 28 January to 11 February and (ii) from 14 to 28 February 2019. The Fair was organised in collaboration with Kumbh Mela Pradhikaran, Prayagraj. About 20 publishers/booksellers participated in the Fair. The eminent writers together with many saints and tourists from foreign countries benefited from the Fair. The officers of the Kumbh Mela and District Magistrate visited the Fair. They also appreciated NBT's initiative for organising Pustak Kumbh Mela in Prayagraj for the first time. There was a sale of NBT's publications worth Rs.2.55 lakh during the Fair.







#### PROMOTION OF INDIAN BOOKS ABROAD

With a view to promote Indian books abroad, National Book Trust, India participates in international book fairs by displaying a cross-section of representative Indian publications brought out by various India publishers. NBT participates regularly in some of the leading books fairs which include Bologna Children's Book Fair, Colombo International Book Fair, Frankfurt International Book Fair, Sharjah International Book Fair etc.

During the year 2018-2019, NBT participated in the following international book fairs:

# London Book Fair (10-12 April 2018)

National Book Trust, India participated in the 47th edition of London Book Fair held from 10 to 12 April 2018. This year, the Fair focused on crime fiction and audio books. Publishers from over 120 countries participated in the Fair. Besides, over 25,000 delegates from across the globe participated in over 200 professional events like panel discussions, seminars and training sessions. The Baltic countries including Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania were the Market Focus for 2018.

A collective exhibit of books from India was put up at the Fair where more than 200 titles in English and Hindi representing the works of 20 Indian publishers including NBT were displayed.

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Several dignitaries including Shri Srinivas Gotru, Minister (Press Information & Culture), High Commission of India, visited the NBT stall.

Dr Rita Chowdhury, Director represented NBT at the Fair.

#### Abu Dhabi International Book Fair (25 April-1 May 2018)

National Book Trust, India participated in the Abu Dhabi International Book Fair held at ADNEC, Abu Dhabi from 25 April to 1 May 2018. Abu Dhabi celebrated 2018 as the Year of Zayed, and this was the theme and flavour of ADIBF 2018. Poland was the Guest of Honour at the Fair. A wide range of authors, intellectuals and artists discussed Poland's rich literary and cultural traditions.

The India Pavilion included about 20 Indian publishers comprising CAPEXIL and other private publishers, led by NBT. The Pavilion was inaugurated by H.E. Navdeep Singh Suri, Hon'ble Ambassador of India to Abu Dhabi. He was accompanied by Shri Baldeo Bhai Sharma, Chairman NBT India; Shri Ramesh Mittal, CAPEXIL; Shri Naveen Gupta, President, FIP, among other officials from India. The Hon'ble Ambassador mentioned that his happiness over India's Guest Country Presentation at ADIBF 2019.

The Trust displayed a collective exhibit of books from India from over 35 Indian publishers. The NBT stall attracted a large number of visitors and school children. The NBT delegation was led by Shri Baldeo Bhai Sharma, Chairman, NBT.

Shri Kumar Vikram, English Editor and Ms Kanchan Wanchoo Sharma, Assistant Director (Exhibitions) represented NBT at the Fair.

# **Tehran International Book Fair (2-12 May 2018)**

National Book Trust, India participated at the 31st edition of Tehran International Book Fair held at Imam Khomeini Grand Prayers Ground, Tehran, Iran from 2 to 12 May 2018. This year, Serbia was the Guest of Honour and Tunis, the capital of Tunisia was the Special City Guest at the Fair. Serbia displayed over 300 titles books on Serbian literature, history, art, tourism at the Serbian stand. The theme of the Fair was 'No to Not Reading Books'. During the Fair, over 250 literary and cultural events were organized including book review sessions, face-to-face meetings with Iranian authors, lectures, discussions and writing workshops.

The Trust displayed more than 300 books on science & technology, Gandhi, Tagore, textbooks, children's books, selected from various publishers across the country.

Shri Anuj Bharti, Assistant Director (Production) and Shri Bratin Dey, Bangla Editor represented NBT at the Fair.

# Warsaw Book Fair (17-20 May 2018)

National Book Trust, India participated at the 9th Warsaw Book Fair held at National Stadium, Warsaw from 17 to 20 May 2018. Nearly 800 exhibitors from 32 countries participated in the Fair. France was the Special Guest Country at the Fair. The French Zone included a display of books representing various French publishers and an exhibition on Polish-French relations.

NBT represented India at the Fair with a collective display of more than 100 recently published titles in Hindi and English languages by various Indian publishers including NBT. Books on Gandhi, Rabindranath Tagore, Swami Vivekanand and Yoga attracted many booklovers. The organisers of Warsaw Book Fair said that they are looking forward to participate in the New Delhi World Book Fair 2019.

Shri S R Veenesh, Regional Manager, SRO represented NBT at the Fair.

# **Nepal International Book Fair (1-9 June 2018)**

National Book Trust, India participated in the 22nd Nepal International Book Fair held at Bhrikuti Mandap, Kathmandu, Nepal from 1 to 9 June 2018. The Fair was inaugurated by Shri Lal Babu Pandit, Hon'ble Minister for Federal Affairs and General Administration, Nepal. Dr Rita Chowdhury, Director, NBT was the special guest on the occasion. With the slogan 'Inspire Reading,' the Fair saw the participation of around 60 national and international exhibitors who displayed books and audiovisual reading materials of diverse genres. During the Fair various literary activities like book release functions, lively interactions with authors, etc. were organised. The NBT stall displayed books on biographies, social science, Mahatma Gandhi, and children's books. Many visitors enquired about availability of the NBT's publications in Nepal.

Shri Ravindra Kumar, Assistant and Shri Padam Singh Bhati, Marketing Executive, represented NBT at the Fair.

#### **Indonesia International Book Fair (12-16 September 2018)**

National Book Trust, India participated in the 37th edition of the Indonesia International Book Fair (IIBF) 2018 which was held at Jakarta Convention Center, Senayan, South Jakarta from 12 to 16 September 2018. The theme of the Fair was 'Creative Work Towards the Culture Literacy'. The Fair featured 62 participants from Indonesian publishing industry and thirty-four international participants from 17 countries.

The Trust participated with a collective exhibit of over 100 publications of different genres like science & technology, children's books, literature, social sciences, textbooks and reference books among others of various publishers from across India at the NBT stall. During the inaugural ceremony of the Fair, the Trust was honoured for its remarkable contribution in publishing. Several dignitaries including Shri Prakash Gupta, Deputy Chief of Mission, Embassy of India in Indonesia visited the NBT Stall.

Dr Lalit Kishore Mandora, Hindi Editor represented NBT at the Fair.

#### Beijing International Book Fair (22-26 August 2018)

National Book Trust, India participated in the 25th Beijing International Book Fair held at China International Exhibition Center, Beijing from 22 to 26 August 2018. An exhibition of children's books covering around 20,000 square meters was held for the first time as part of this year's fair. Morocco was the Guest of Honour country at the Fair.

The Trust participated in the Fair with an exhibit of over 200 books from different publishers from across the country. Ms Geetika Srivastava, Counsellor of Indian Embassy in China inaugurated the NBT stall at the Fair. The books ranging from children's books to fiction, non-fiction, biographies, textbooks, books on Indian culture and philosophy caught the attention of large number of visitors at the Fair.

Shri Mayank Surolia, AD (Exhibition) and Shri Karun Kumar, Assistant Director, NRO represented NBT at the Fair.

### World Hindi Conference (18-20 August 2018)

National Book Trust, India participated in the 11th World Hindi Conference organised

at Swami Vivekananda International Convention Centre, Pailles, Mauritius from 18 to 20 August 2018. The conference was organised jointly by the Government of India and the Government of Mauritius. Shri Praveen Kumar Jagannath, Prime Minister of Mauritius inaugurated the conference. Besides, Ms Sushma Swaraj, Minister of External Affairs; Ms Leela Devi Dookun-Luchoomun, Minister of Education and Human Resources, Mauritius; Ms Mridula Sinha, Governor of Goa; Shri Keshari Nath Tripathi, Governor of West Bengal among others were present on the occasion. The theme of the conference was 'Hindi Vishwa Aur Bharatiya Sanskriti' (Global Hindi and Indian Culture). During the conference, several exhibitions focusing on the development of Hindi language and cultural programmes were organised. A book exhibition titled 'Hindi: Kal, Aaj Aur Kal' was also organised in which National Book Trust, India participated. More than 3000 scholars from 20 countries including India participated in the Conference.

On behalf of National Book Trust India, a delegation led by Shri Baldeo Bhai Sharma, Chairman, Shri Imran-ul-Haque, Deputy Director (Exhibition) and Shri Deepak Kumar Gupta, Hindi Editor, NBT participated in the Conference.

#### Frankfurt Book Fair (10-14 October 2018)

National Book Trust, India participated in the Frankfurt Book Fair held at Frankfurt, Germany from 10 to 14 October 2018. With the catch line *Lettresd' Afrique Francfort: Changing the Narrative*, for the first time a multi-day programme of events around the African book market was organised. Publishing houses and collective stands from 19 African countries exhibited titles at the Fair. This year Georgia was the Guest of Honour country at the Fair.

The year 2018 marked 25 years of NBT's participation at the Frankfurt Book Fair. National Book Trust, India participated with a collective exhibit of over 300 books representing 40 publishers from across the country. Several publishers, trade visitors and dignitaries visited the NBT stall who showed keen interest in books on spiritualism, yoga, self-help books, memoirs, autobiographies, travelogues as well as books for children and young adults. Among the dignitaries who visited the stall included Ms Pratibha Parkar, IFS, CGI, Frankfurt, Germany; Maruf Alam-Editor, DPD; Shri Vikram Sahay, JS, MIB; Shri Anindya Sengupta, Director, DPD among others.

#### **Sharjah International Book Fair (31 October-10 November 2018)**

National Book Trust, India participated in the 37th edition of Sharjah International Book Fair held at Expo Centre Sharjah, from 31 October to 10 November 2018. His Highness Sheikh Dr. Sultan Bin Muhammad Al Qasimi, Member of the Supreme Council and Ruler of Sharjah inaugurated the Fair. The theme of the Fair was 'Tale of Letters'. Over 470 authors, poets and artists from 19 countries participated in the literary and cultural programmes. Japan was the Guest of Honour and Azzeldine Mihoubi, Algeria's Minister of Culture, was the Cultural Personality of the Year at the Fair.

National Book Trust, India participated with a collective exhibit of nearly 300 titles of 35 Indian publishers in Hindi, English, Urdu, Malayalam and Tamil languages. To commemorate the 150 years' celebrations of Mahatma Gandhi's birth anniversary, a major focus of the exhibit was books on and by Mahatma Gandhi as well his associates in India's National Movement. NBT books on Gandhiji like Bapu by F.C. Freitas, What is Hinduism by Gandhiji, Gandhi: The Writer by Bhabani Bhattacharya, Gandhi: A Life by Krishna Kripalani, Gandhiji and His Disciples by Jayant Pandya were among the 30 books that were part of special exhibit. Besides, National Book Trust, India was the facilitator to the participation of 25 Indian publishers at the Sharjah International Book Fair. Shri Navdeep Suri, Hon'ble Ambassador of India to UAE, visited the NBT stall. During the Fair, NBT delegation had wide ranging meetings including a meeting on Sharjah as Guest of Honour country at the New Delhi World Book Fair (5-13 January 2019) with Hon'ble Al-Amiri, Chairman of Sharjah Book Authority, a meeting with Ms Smita Pant, Deputy Chief of Mission, Embassy of India, UAE and Shri Kapil Raj, Second Secretary, Embassy of India at Abu Dhabi.

Shri Kumar Vikram, Editor and Shri Imran Ul-Haque, Deputy Director (Exhibition) represented NBT at the Fair.

### **Guadalajara International Book Fair (24 November-2 December 2018)**

National Book Trust, India participated in the Guadalajara International Book Fair (FIL), Mexico held from 24 November to 2 December 2018. In its 2019 edition to be held from 30 November - 8 December India will be the Guest of Honour Country, the Curtain Raiser of which was held in 2018. India's participation will be executed by National Book Trust, India as a nodal agency. Mahatma Gandhi's quote 'Let our

lives be open books for all to study', will be used as a slogan for the presentation by India, The focus areas of the presentation will be exhibitions on Mahatma Gandhi to commemorate his 150th birth anniversary. At the glittering Hand-Over Ceremony, held on 2 December 2018 at the FIL, Guadalajara, the Ambassador of India received the baton of the Guest Country from His Excellency Sr. Antonio Luis Santos da Costa, the Prime Minister of Portugal, this year's Guest Country at the FIL 2018. A logo of the event presented as a run-up to the celebration of the 75 years of India's independence was also unveiled on the occasion. National Book Trust, India had also put up a collective exhibit of books, which attracted a number of local visitors who looked forward to India as the Guest country with a big India Pavilion.

Shri Kumar Vikram, English Editor; Ms Kanchan Wanchoo Sharma, Assistant Director (Exhibition), and Shri Samaresh Chatterjee, Senior Artist represented NBT at the Guadalajara Book Fair.

#### Cairo International Book Fair (22 January-5 February 2019)

National Book Trust, India participated in the Cairo International Book Fair held at Egypt International Exhibitions Center, with Arab League as the Guest of Honour from 22 January to 5 February 2019. The book fair was inaugurated by Mr Abdel Fatah al-Sisi, President, Egypt.

This year the NBT stall was managed by the Embassy of India at Cairo, Egypt. A collective exhibit of about 100 Indian books in Hindi and English was put up on display at the NBT stall at the fair. A lot of people visited the NBT stall and were interested to know about books on learning of the Indian language as well as about the Indian culture in Arabic language.

#### **London Book Fair (12-14 March 2019)**

National Book Trust, India participated in the 48th edition of the London Book Fair held at Olympia, London from 12 to 14 March 2019. This year, over 1700 exhibitors representing 60 countries and as many as 25 international pavilions were at the Fair. Indonesia was the Market Focus country at the Fair.

A collective exhibit of books from India was put up at the NBT stall where more than 150 titles in English and Hindi representing various Indian publishers including NBT were displayed. A special section of the display included 'Books on and by

Mahatma Gandhi' published by NBT and other publishers, such as *Bapu* by F.C. Freitas, *What is Hinduism* by Gandhiji, *Gandhi: The Writer* by Bhabani Bhattacharya and *Gandhi: A Life* by Krishna Kripalani. Besides, posters of Mahatma Gandhi were part of the display. Several publishers, trade visitors and dignitaries visited the NBT stall. They showed keen interest in books on spiritualism, yoga, self-help books memoirs, autobiographies, travelogues as well as books for children and young adults. Underlining the importance of translation, Dr Rita Chowdhury, Director, NBT said that the Trust, as one of the biggest multilingual publishers in India, has been at the forefront of translating works across Indian languages.

She was interacting with a cross section of dignitaries, authors, editors and literary agents at the NBT stall. As the organiser of New Delhi World Book Fair, Dr. Rita Chowdhury discussed about its importance as an opportunity to explore the book markets of Asia and also to source contents from India and other Asian countries.

Dr Rita Chowdhury also had a wide ranging discussion with Ms Marisol Schulz, Director, Guadalajara International Book Fair (FIL) on India's participation as the Guest of Honour country at the forthcoming edition of FIL. Besides, Mr Johan Kollen, International Rights Manager discussed about India's participation at Göteborg Book Fair in Sweden and authors including Ruchir Verma, Ana Nac and Hilda Hermann, Director, Bridge 15 Consulting visited the NBT stall.

Dr Rita Chowdhury, Director and Ms Surekha Sachdeva, Editorial Assistant represented NBT at the Fair.

#### Paris Book Fair (15-18 March 2019)

National Book Trust, India participated in the Paris Book Fair held from 5 to 18 March 2019 at Paris Expo, Porte de Versailles, Paris. India has been designated as the Guest of Honour at Paris Livre (Paris Book Fair) in March 2020. National Book Trust, India (under Ministry of HRD, Govt. of India) is the nodal agency coordinating the Guest Country Presentation at International Book Fairs. On the final day of the fair, in a formal ceremony, Mr. Vincent Montagne, President of 'French Publishers Association' (SNE), the organisers of the Livre Paris, announced the participation of India as Guest Country in the next edition of Livre Paris.

Dr Rita Chowdhury, Director and Shri Kumar Vikram, Editor represented NBT at the Fair.







#### **LITERARY ACTIVITIES DURING 2018-19**

#### **World Book and Copyright Day**

As part of World Book Day celebrations, National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Shri Madhya Bharat Hindi Sahitya Samiti organised a panel discussion on the topic 'Democratic Values in Children's Literature' at Indore. Shri Krishna Kumar Ashthana, editor of *Dev Putra* presided over the function. The other speakers at the discussion included Ms Kshama Sharma, noted children's writer; Shri Vikas Dave, well-known children's author; Shri Anil Verma, well-known author; Ms Renu Chauhan, well-known litterateur and publisher; and Prof. Surya Prakash Chaturvedi of Shri Madhya Bharat Hindi Sahitya Samiti. NBT book in Hindi *Bansuri Ke Sur*, authored by Dr Meenakshi Swami was also released on the occasion.

To mark the World Book Day celebrations, National Book Trust, India organised a panel discussion on 'The Future of Printed Books in the Age of Internet' at PG College, Pithoragarh. The programme was organised in collaboration with Azim Premji Foundation. The panelists on the occasion were: Shri B D Kansyal, senior journalist; Shri Devendra Mewari, well-known journalist; Shri Mahesh Punetha, well-known educationist; Shri Mukul Bhatt, R M Studies Circle; Prof. Dinesh Chamola, State University, Haridwar;

Dr Pangati, Principal, PG College; Shri Lokesh Thakur, coordinator, Azim Premji Foundation among others. Later, a poets' meet was also organized in which well-known poets including Shri Mahesh Punetha, Shri Vikram Negi, Shri Guman, Shri Girish Chandra Pandey, Shri Lokesh Thakur and Ms Arpita Joshi participated. The session was presided over by Shri Devendra Mewari.

#### **Book Release**

A book release function of *Angadh Raste: Media Kshetra Mein Agam...Evam Alvida* published by National Book Trust, India was organised at India International Centre, New Delhi on 7 August 2018. The book is the Hindi translation of original English title *Breaking Ground: Journey into the Media and Out,* authored by Ms Rami Chhabra. Dr. Kapila Vatsyayan, noted scholar and author released the book. The release was followed by a discussion. The other speakers on the occasion included, Dr. Alok Mehta, former President, Editor's Guild; Dr. Neerja Chowdhary, veteran journalist; Dr. Madhu Kishwar, Founder-Editor, Manushi; Ms Anita and Shri Kalyan Paul, Cofounders, Pan Himalayan Grassroots Development Foundation; Ms Rami Chhabra, author of the book and Ms Deepali Brahmi, translator. Dr Rita Chowdhury, Director, NBT was also present on the occasion.

National Book Trust, India organised a book release of NBT title in Punjabi, *Daler Naariyan*, authored by Dr Naresh at Amritsar on 28 September 2018. The release was followed by a discussion on Declining Reading Habit amongst Youth. The speakers on the occasion included Dr Harbhajan Bhatia, Head, Department of Punjabi, Guru Nanak Dev University; Dr Maahal Singh, Principal Khalsa College and Prof. Raminder Kaur, Department of Punjabi, Guru Nanak Dev University.

A book release function of *Mahamana Madan Mohan Malaviya: Vayktitva Evam Vichar* was held at National Museum, New Delhi on 3 October 2018. The book authored by Shri Balmukund, has recently been published by the National Book Trust, India. Shri Mohan Bhagwat was the chief guest on the occasion. Prof. Satish Mittal, noted historian presided over the function. The other speakers on the occasion included Dr B R Mani, Director-General, National Museum; and Shri Ishwar Vishwakarma, General Secretary, Itihas Sankalan Yojna and Shri Baldeo Bhai Sharma, Chairman, NBT.



#### **National Integration Week**

On the occasion of National Integration Week, a lecture on 'National Integration' was organised at NBT Conference Room, Vasant Kunj, New Delhi on 22 November 2018. Ms Kshama Sharma, well-known author and journalist was the special guest on the occasion. Ms Kshama Sharma spoke of the need to understand the reasons for growing conflicts across the world. She also shared her personal experiences, which showed that in the time of crisis, people help each other irrespective of their caste or religion.

#### **Seminars/Workshops**

National Book Trust, India participated in the Kirat Fair organised by All India Pingalwada Charitable Society from 29 July to 2 August 2019. During the Fair, the Trust organised several literary and children's programmes including a seminar on 'Culture of Book Reading' on 30 July 2019. The panelists on the occasion were: Ms Ramandeep Kaur, Dr Inderjeet Kaur and Shri Gurcharan Noorpuri.

National Book Trust, India organised a book exhibition at Mata Sundari Girls College, Mansa District, Punjab from 13 to 18 October 2018. During the exhibition, several literary and cultural programmes were organised by the Trust. A two-day translation workshop was organised in which the participants translated sixteen NBT titles for children including Rahul and His Dream Bat, Water, Prakash Manu ki Chuninda Kahaniyan, Sabzi Mandi, Chitra Mudgal Ki Chuninda Bal Kahaniyan and Bansuri Ke Sur into Punjabi. The participants at the workshop were: Shri Gurpreet Mansa, Shri Tanveer, Shri Rajvinder Mir, Shri Jagdeep Sidhu, Dr Sandeep Singh, Dr Barinder Kaur, Dr Buta Singh Sekhon, Dr Hardeep Sidhu and Shri Darshan Singh Joga. The workshop was conducted by Dr Paramjeet Ramana, noted translator. On 17 October, several activities for children including essay writing, recitation and story writing competitions were organised in which a large number of students from schools and colleges from across the district participated. Besides, a poets' meet, cultural programme and an interaction with young authors were organised by Punjab Art Council, Government of Punjab; Punjabi Akademi, Delhi and Shiksha Vikas Manch respectively.

National Book Trust, India participated in the Patiala Book Fair, organised by



Panjabi University, Patiala from 21 to 25 February 2019. During the Fair, the Trust organised a translation workshop on 21 February 2019, which is also celebrated as the International Mother Language Day. During the workshop, NBT books for children were translated into Puadhi, a dialect of Punjabi language. The workshop was participated by Dr Sarbjinder Singh, Dr Gurpal Sandhu, Prof. Ishwar Dyal Gaur, Dr Sumel Sidhu, Dr Satnaam Singh, Dr Gurbakhsh Singh, Dr Jasbeer Mand and Shri Manmohan Singh Daon.

National Book Trust, India in collaboration with Dr Ram Dayal Munda Tribal Welfare Research Institute organised a translation workshop at Ranchi from 26 to 28 March 2019. During the workshop 35 children's books published by NBT were translated for publication into five tribal languages of Jharkhand including Santali, Ho, Khadish, Mundari and Kudukh. These books included Bastar Ki Amavas, Bastar Ka Moghli-Chendru, Bastar Ke Tyonhaar, Sargi Ka Ped, Ghungru, Chanda Ginti Bhool Gaya, Kya Hua, Mendak aur Saanp, Sari Dunia Pyari Dunia, Hamara Pyara Mor, etc.

#### **National Book Week**

To mark the National Book Week celebration, National Book Trust, India organised a two-day literary programme at Sri Ganganagar, Rajasthan from 17 to 18 November 2018. The programme was organised in association with Nosegay Public School and Srijan Seva Sansthan, Sri Ganganagar.

On 17 November 2018, a seminar on the Importance of Books in the Age of Internet was organised. Dr Prem Janmejya, Editor, *Vyang Yatra* was the chief guest and Shri Satyadev Sanvitendra, noted litterateur was the special guest on the occasion. The session was presided over by Shri Mohan Aalok, noted litterateur. The speakers discussed about the different aspects of Internet in context of the reading habits of children and young adults. In the evening, a poets' meet was organised in which well-known poets including Dr Arun Shahriys Taeer, Dr Krishna Kumar Ashu, Shri Surendra Sundaram, Dr Sandesh Tyagi, Dr Bhargay, Shri Madan Arora, Ms Meenaksi Ahuja, Ms Mamta Ahuja, Ms Shamindra Kaur and Ms Ritu Singh participated and mesmerised the audience with their renderings.

On 18 November, a seminar on children's literature was organised. Dr P S Sudan, Chairman, Nosegay Public School was the chief guest on the occasion. The other

speakers at the event were well-known authors and experts of children's literature including Shri Prem Janmejya, Shri Bulaki Sharma, Shri Govind Sharma, Dr Babita Kajal and Dr Gopiram Sharma. The session was presided over by Dr Mangat Badal, renowned litterateur. On this occasion, a skit on creating awareness about traffic rules was also presented by the students of Nosegay Public School.

#### **Other Programmes**

National Book Trust, India organised several literary events during Gwalior Book Fair held from 12 to 20 May 2018. The programmes included discussions on the topics like Women Writings, Culture of Reading in the Age of Internet, Impact of Social Media on Language; Poets' Meet; Storytelling Session and a workshop for children's authors.

National Book Trust, India organised several literary and cultural events during Kullu Book Fair held from 9 to 17 June 2018, including panel discussions on the topics 'Folk Culture and Tribes,' 'Humour in Literature,' 'Culture of Reading and Internet,' 'Role of Poetry in Society,' storytelling sessions, workshops on creative writing, etc.

National Book Trust, India organised several literary and children's programmes during Parvatipuram Book Exhibition held at Parvatipuram, Andhra Pradesh from 13 to 16 July 2018. The programmes included workshop on creative writing, essay and painting competitions and book release of *Kannada Navlekhan Short Stories*, translated into Telugu by Shri L R Swamy.

A lecture on 'Financial Awareness' was organised at NBT Conference Room, Vasant Kunj, New Delhi on 8 August 2018. The session was conducted by Dr Pramod K Verma, professional consultant, SEBI. The lecture was organised in order to make NBT employees aware about the various financial schemes available in the market for investment like mutual funds, SIPs, PPF, etc.

National Book Trust, India observed Hindi Pakhwada at its premises in Vasant Kunj, New Delhi from 1 to 14 September 2018. During the Fortnight, several competitions were organised including Essay Writing, Extempore speech, Quiz and Hindi General Knowledge. The employees of the Trust, particularly from non-Hindi speaking areas, participated in these competitions with enthusiasm. On the concluding day,

a presentation on the topic 'How to Work in Hindi with the Help of Unicode' was also organised.

#### **Advisory Panel Meetings**

National Book Trust, India organised the Bangla Advisory Panel Meeting at Santiniketan, West Bengal on 30 June 2018. The panel members included Prof. Baridbaran Ghosh; Shri Amar Mitra, well-known author; Shri Abhijit Bhowmik, Chief Librarian, State Central Library; Shri Bhagirath Mishra, well-known author; Dr Anathbandhu Chatterjee; Dr Arun Kumar Chakraborty, Director General and Mission Director, National Library & RRRLF; Prof. Sanjoy Mukhopadhyay, well-known author; and Shri Arindam Mukherjee, well-known author. The meeting was presided over by Shri Baldeo Bhai Sharma, Chairman, NBT.

National Book Trust, India organised the Punjabi Advisory Panel Meeting at Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, Punjab on 28 July 2018. The panel members included Dr Surjit Patar, noted poet; Shri Jaswant Zafar, well-known author, Prof. Manjit Singh; Prof. Dhanwant Kaur; Prof. Rana Nayar; Prof. Ishwar Daya Gaur, Punjabi University; Shri Gurbhej Singh Goraya, Secretary, Punjabi Akademi, Delhi; Dr Sarabjinder Singh, Head, Publication Bureau; Prof. Harpal Singh Pannu and Shri Ashwani Gupta, Director, Punjab-Haryana Granth Akademi. The meeting was presided over by Shri Baldeo Bhai Sharma, Chairman, NBT. In the meeting, the participants discussed about the publishing programme in Punjabi language.

National Book Trust, India organised the Telugu Advisory Panel Meeting at Central Court Hotel, Hyderabad on 11 August 2018. The panel members included Prof. Kasireddy Venkat Reddy, Dr N Anantalakshmi, Shri T Hebbar Nageswara Rao, Shri Raka Sudhakar Rao, Dr Bhaskar Yogi, Dr Duggaraju Srinivasa Rao, Shri T Nagabhushanam, Dr Duggirala Raja Kishor, Shri V V Subrahmanyam, Prof. Surya Dananjay, Pro. N R Venkatesham, Shri E R Nandakumar and Dr K Sreenivas Rao. The meeting was presided over by Shri Baldeo Bhai Sharma, Chairman, NBT.

#### INDIA CHINA TRANSLATION PROGRAMME

In a significant initiative in cultural diplomacy, the Government of India and the Government of Republic of China have put forward an ambitious translation programme that includes translation of select 25 classical and contemporary works from Chinese into Hindi and Indian literary works into Chinese. To give effect to this initiative a Memorandum of Understanding was signed between the Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India and the State Administration of Press, Publication, Radio, Film and Television of the People's Republic to China in Cooperation in Mutual Translation and Publication of Classic and Contemporary Works. It was signed during the visit of Premier Li Keqiang to India.

The project of taking forward the programme was given to National Book Trust, India. To implement this project the External Publicity and Public Diplomacy Division of Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India and the National Book Trust, India signed an MoU in December 2015, to translate the 25 Chinese works into Hindi.

About 20 Chinese literary works have been assigned for translation of which six are under various stages of production. Among which the book *Confucius Ke Chaar Granth*, translated by Prof. B R Deepak



and *Dikhne Mein Khubsurat* by Wang Shuo and translated by Shri Madhurendra Jha have since been published.

National Book Trust, India in association with XPD Division, Ministry of External Affairs organised a review-cum-workshop on the ongoing India China Translation Programme' at India International Centre, New Delhi on 25 March 2019.

While welcoming the guests, Dr Rita Chowdhury, Director, NBT said that the India China Translation Programme is a significant government project as it will enhance India's cultural relations with China.

Lt. Col. Rajat Bhatnagar, Officer on Special Duty (Public Diplomacy), XPD Division, Ministry of External Affairs was also present on the occasion. He said that both India and China have a long history of cultural exchange of over 2000 years. He added that India China Translation Programme is a prestigious project of cultural exchange aiming to bring the two cultures together and benefit people of both countries.

The workshop was chaired by Prof. B R Deepak, Centre for Chinese and Southeast Asian Studies (CCSEAS) JNU. Underlining the importance of the project as a government to government initiative. Prof. Deepak said that it is our collective responsibility to complete it in time. When the project is complete, it would be the first time in history that important Chinese works will be published in Hindi.

The workshop was attended by the translators who have been assigned the work of translation of select Chinese works into Hindi. They included Ms Dayawanti, Assistant Professor, CCSEAS, JNU; Ms Tanvi Negi, Assistant Professor, Doon University; Shri Kaushal Kishore, Assistant Professor, CCSEAS, JNU; Ms Arpana Raj, Assistant Professor, Central University of Jharkhand and Shri Swami Kundan Kishore, Assistant Professor, Gujarat Central University.







#### NBT FOUNDATION DAY CELEBRATIONS

"The world is complex than ever before and will become more complex," said Dr K Sreenivasarao, Secretary, Sahitya Akademi, while delivering the seventh NBT Foundation Day Lecture on Books and Reading in Today's India.' The lecture was organised to mark NBT's 61st Foundation Day celebrations in Vasant Kunj, New Delhi on 1 August 2018.

According to Dr K Sreenivasarao, "Today knowledge is at crossroads. While information is available in plenty and on fingertips, yet much of the knowledge that is disseminated through various platforms is lost in the plethora of information we receive." He further said that there are certain issues like rash commercialization of content, which needs to be addressed.

Talking about the challenges in promoting reading habit in India, he said, "When it comes to India, many talk about low literacy rate, inaccessibility of reading material especially for children." However, he added that poverty and malnutrition are also among the causes that need to be looked into as malnourished children cannot think rationally.

Today, we can see a discernible trend in the decline of reading habit. Observers say advances in technology, particularly in the field of entertainment like television, internet, video games, audio-

visual contents, tend to draw the attention of children. At the same time, some of the products of the same technology like ebooks, can be used as a tool for inculcating habit of reading in children. In this regard, Dr Sreenivasarao said that while the role of institutions like Sahitya Akademi and National Book Trust, India is indispensable in promoting books and reading habit, they should also apt to changing trends and connect with young minds. Earlier, Dr Rita Chowdhury, Director, NBT welcomed the guests present on the occasion. She said, "Knowledge is the foundation of civilization and therefore, as individuals working in the field of knowledge, it becomes our duty to provide good content to sustain and nurture our civilization." She observed that NBT has a very wide mandate to promote books and reading habit, and is devoted to its mission of fostering reading habit amongst the people. She also remarked that the well being of an institution and its growth lies in the strength and devotion of its employees, and NBT will continue to make its contribution towards a better society. On this occasion, the employees of the Trust who completed 25 years of their service were also felicitated. They include, Shri Samaresh Chatterjee, Ms Kanti Bisht, Shri K Raman, Shri Rampal, Shri Jagdish Rajput, Shri Rajender Singh K, Shri Debajit Das, Shri Aunp Kumar Das and Shri Devi Dayal.

This is the seventh in the series of NBT Foundation Day Lectures. This annual lecture series was initiated in the year 2013. The lecture series aims to bring about the importance of books and reading in today's context and bring in critical thinking by inviting eminent personality from among women and men of letters, scholars, intellectuals and others who have made significant contributions to the world of publishing. The earlier lectures were delivered by Dr Shashi Tharoor, Prof. Andre Beteille, Ms. Shashi Deshpande, Prof. Kapil Kapoor, Dr N K Singh and Prof. Makarand Paranjape.







#### **ACTIVITIES IN NORTH EAST**

National Book Trust, India, under its Development Project for North Eastern Region, a special scheme for North East, organised several book promotional activities in the year 2018-2019. Like the past few years, the year 2018-2019, has been an eventful and successful year for NBT as far as setting new trends in book promotional activities in the North East is concerned. Publishers, booksellers, authors, NGOs and the booklovers extended their help in NBT's effort of bringing all the stakeholders under one roof thereby giving a new impetus to the ever-growing reading movement in North East. In the process, the Trust has largely been successful in widening its readership in North East.

#### **National Tribal Book Festival**

National Book Trust India in association with Bodo Writers' Academy and KBR Degree College organised a three-day National Tribal Book Festival from 15 – 17 March 2019, at Orang, Udalguri, Bodoland, Assam. The Festival also commemorated the 35th anniversary of the Foundation Day of Bodo Writers' Academy. Held annually, the National Tribal Book Festival attracts a large number of writers, scholars, students, and general reading public, mostly from the Bodo community. Besides creating an awareness of the rich heritage of Bodo language, its literature and culture, the Bodo writers' Academy also plays an exceptional role in the

promotion of books in Bodo language and reading among students. In extending its support and cooperation, the Trust organises translation workshops with the Academy, to provide a diverse set of books for children in Bodo language. As part of the Festival, the Trust, this year, organised a translation workshop from 12 – 14 March 2019 at Bijni, Bodoland, Assam.

The tribal book festival was inaugurated by Dr Mangal Singh Hazowary, novelist, short-story writer and the first Sahitya Akademi award winner in Bodo language. Among the other dignitaries who spoke on the occasion included, Dr Dinanath Basumatary, writer and critic and former faculty at Bodoland University, Shri Rakhao Basumatary, writer and Shri Rajen Basumatary, president, Bodo Writers' Academy.

During the Festival, the Trust organised three literary events including Creative Writing and Illustration Workshop, Bodo Women Poets' Meet, and Tribal Authors and Publishers Meet.

The workshop for children had a participation of over fifty children from across schools in and around Orang. Guided by the writers Shri Umesh Brahma, Shri Barua Kanta Brahma, Shri Biswanath Narzary, Shri Lakhiram Basumatary and the artist, Shri Chilchila Boro, the children picked their fertile imagination rendering them into stories and illustrations. At the women poets' meet, chaired by Ms Bhabani Baglary, poet and vice-president of Bodo Writers' Academy, over thirty poets, both established and emerging voices, read their poetry. The poems addressed a range of topics ranging from the romantic to reflections on life in general and issues concerning women, including their aspirations, joys and sorrows. Chaired by Shri Rajen Basumatary, CEO of Engkhong Publications, the authors and publishers meet discussed and debated on the many challenges facing tribal authors and publishers of Bodo books. While shrinking readership remains a major concern for both authors and publishers, the authors also pointed out that sustained efforts are necessary to create visibility of Bodo writings in English and other Indian languages. Citing the lack of trained editors, and book designers, the publishers were aware that the quality of publications were not up to the mark and more needs to be done in this direction.

#### **Bodo Translation Workshop**

In its endeavour to promote books in Bodo language and literature, National Book

Trust, India in association with Bodo Writers' Academy organised a 3-day translation workshop from 12 to 14 March 2019 at Bijni Town of Chirang district of Assam. The venue was Conference Hall, Engkhong Publications. A total of 31 writers and translators in Bodo language from different parts of Assam participated in the workshop. Dr Mangal Singh Hazowary, eminent writer and the first Sahitya Akademi awardee in Bodo language, Dr Dinanath Basumatary, renowned writer-critic and former Director, CUDC, Bodoland University and Shri Ratneswar Basumatary, veteran Bodo translator and former Academic Officer (Bodo), Assam Text Book Production Corporation were invited as the Resource Persons of the workshop.

The workshop was formally inaugurated by renowned writer and Sahitya Akademi Awardee Ms Pramila Narzary. In her inaugural address she appreciated NBT's continuous push to strengthen Bodo publications in general and children's literature in particular. She hoped that Bodo Writers' Academy would extend all intellectual help to NBT in its effort to serve Bodo language. The Guest of Honour of the inaugural function and President, Dularai Boro Somaj, Shri Rajendra Nath Boro, in his address, exhorted the young writers and translators to explore new areas of writing taking cue from NBT's diverse publications. Shri Rajen Basumatary, President, Bodo Writers' Academy, presided over the Inaugural Function. Dr Ranen Chandra Muchahary, General Secretary, Bodo Writers' Academy anchored the programme.

#### **Book Release**

National Book Trust, India organised a book release function at Book Promotion Centre, Agartala on 16 February 2019. During the function, six NBT titles in Kokborok language and three NBT titles in Bangla languages were released. Shri Bhagirath Mishra, noted author; Shri Rabindra Kishore Debbarma, well-known author; Shri Naresh Chandra Debbarma, Kokborok Advisory Panel member; Akhbar Ahmed, noted poet and Sahitya Akademi General Council member; Bhagirath Mishra, well-known author; Shri Bodhroy Debbarma, Kokborok Advisory Panel member; Shri Subhabrata Deb, publisher among others were present on the occasion.

Besides, the Trust also organised Training Course in Book Publishing in Imphal from 28 May to 4 June 2018 and Imphal Book Fair from 26 May to 3 June 2018. During Imphal Book Fair, several literary and cultural programmes especially for children were also organised.





### **ACTIVITIES IN JAMMU & KASHMIR**

National Book Trust, India has been organising book fairs, mobile exhibitions and other book-related activities like panel discussions, book release functions, seminars etc. across the country to promote book mindedness among people especially among youth and making low-cost books available to book-lovers. To further this objective and keeping in mind the ever-growing demands of the book lovers of Jammu & Kashmir, NBT has been organising such activities in the region for the last many years. The following activities were organised during the period under review:

As part of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel's birth anniversary celebrations, a story writing workshop-cum-seminar on the topic 'Universal Values in Languages of Jammu & Kashmir was organised by the National Centre for Children's Literature on 31 October 2018 at Jammu. The speakers said that *Adab* or being respectful to others has been the distinguishing feature of literature produced in various languages of Jammu & Kashmir. Therefore, budding authors should emphasise the same in their writings. The speakers on the occasion included Shri Mohan Singh, well-known Dogri writer and Sahitya Akademi award winner; Rukhsana Jabeen, former Director, Radio Kashmir; Shri Nisar Rahi, Pahadi Writer; Shri Piyare Hatash, Kashmiri and Urdu expert; and Shehnaz Qadri, Urdu writer.

National Book Trust, India and Jammu & Kashmir Academy of Art, Culture & Languages presented some beautiful folk stories and poems on 13 January 2019 at Pragati Maidan during New Delhi World Book Fair. The resource persons included Dr Aziz Hajini, Secretary of the Academy. The Jammu Kashmir Academy also presented few Kashmiri songs as part of cultural presentations at the World Book Fair.

Besides, the Trust organised Training Course in Book Publishing at Central University of Jammu, Samba from 25 to 31 March 2019.







# ACTIVITIES BY NATIONAL CENTRE FOR CHILDREN'S LITERATURE

#### **Seminars**

- 1. A seminar on the topic 'Prachin Bhartiya Sahitya Mai Bhoutkivad Ka Vartamaan Sarokar' was held during Unnao Literature Festival on 28 April 2018.
- 2. A seminar on 'Children's Literature in Punjabi' was organised at Amritsar, Punjab on 31 July 2018.

### **Orientation Programmes**

- 1. An Orientation programme of Reader's Club Movement was organised during Imphal Book Fair on 28 May 2018.
- **2.** An Orientation programme of Reader's Club Movement was organised during Silvassa Book Fair on 3 October 2018.

#### Storytelling

- 1. A storytelling session and meet-the-author programme were held during Gwalior Book Fair on 18 May 2018.
- 2. A storytelling session for children was organised during Imphal Book Fair on 29 May 2018.
- 3. A storytelling session for children was organised at MCD School, Janakpuri, New Delhi on 24 August 2018.

- 4. A storytelling session for children was organised during Silvassa Book Fair on 1 October 2018.
- 5. A session on 'Storytelling through Kathak Dance' was organised during Silvassa Book Fair on 5 October 2018.

#### **Workshops**

- 1. A workshop-cum-interaction on the topic 'What Activities should be organised in Libraries to Increase Reading Habit among Children and Adults' was organised at District Library, Unnao on 29 April 2018.
- 2. Two workshops on 'How to Write for Children' and 'Creative Writing' were organised during Gwalior Book Fair from 16-17 May 2018.
- 3. A workshop on creative writing for children was organised during Imphal Book Fair on 27 May 2018.
- 4. Three workshops for children on storytelling, story writing and illustration were organised during Haldwani Book Fair from 26-28 June 2018.
- 5. A workshop on illustration, creative writing, story writing and Pathak Manch Abhimukhikaran for writers and youth was organised during Silvassa Book Fair from 2-4 October 2018.

#### **Interactive sessions**

- 1. An interactive session on 'How to Enact a Story' was organised during Imphal Book Fair on 30 May 2018.
- 2. An interactive session for children on storytelling, story writing, creative writing and a session on 'Enacting a Story' was held during Kullu Book Fair from 12-15 June 2018.
- 3. An interactive session on 'How to prepare a Children's Magazine' was held during Haldwani Book Fair on 29 June 2018.
- 4. An interactive session of children's author with children and young adults was organised at Amritsar, Punjab on 1 August 2018.



#### **Collaboration**

1. As part of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel birth anniversary celebrations, a story writing workshop on the theme 'Universal Values in Languages of Jammu & Kashmir' for children was organised by NCCL in collaboration with Jammu & Kashmir Academy of Art, Culture and Languages, Jammu on 31 October 2018.

#### **Publications**

- 1. Editing and publication of the bilingual magazine for children, *Readers' Club Bulletin* (4 issues).
- 2. A holding list of NCCL library books: Reference Books and Encyclopedias 2018.

#### **Library Membership**

NCCL Library has enrolled 20 new members.

#### **Visit of Dignitaries to NCCL Library**

Prominent personalities like Dr Udit Soni, TERI University; Ms Tanistha Dansilp, well-known author, Thailand; Shri MV Srinivasan, NCERT; Shri Divik Ramesh, well-known author; Ms Kshama Sharma, author; Shri Aabid Surti, noted illustrator; Shri Tanvir, Rekhta Foundation visited the NCCL Library.

# REGION-WISE LIST OF PARTICIPATION OF THE TRUST IN VARIOUS BOOK FAIRS/EXHIBITIONS

# Western Regional Office, Mumbai

S.No.	Events		Date
		From	То
1	K V Lonavala Exhibition, Lonavala	03.07.18	04.07.18
2	K V Malad, Mumbai	06.07.18	07.07.18
3	K V Colaba Exhibition, Mumbai	05.07.18	06.07.18
4	Mumbai University Exhibition,	20.07.18	20.07.18
5	Gujarat Mobile Exhibition	24.09.18	17.10.18
6	Silvassa Book Festival	30.09.18	07.10.18
7	K V Ambernath	21.10.18	22.10.18
8	Anjuman Urdu School	10.10.18	11.10.18
9	Maharashtra Mobile Exhibition	20.11.18	28.12.18
10	Local Mobile Exhibition	22.10.18	16.11.18
11	Ahmedabad Book Fair	24.11.18	30.11.18
12	Nehru Science Centre Exhibition	12.12.18	15.12.18
13	Nandurbar Exhibition	07.01.19	08.01.19
14	Rajkot Book Fair	09.02.19	13.02.19

# **Southern Regional Office, Bengaluru**

S.No.	Events		Date
		From	То
1	Calicut Library Council Exhibition, Kerala	24.04.18	28.04.18
2	Trivandrum Library Council Exhibition	31.05.18	03.06.18
3	Neyveli Book Fair Tamil Nadu	29.06.18	08.07.18
4	7th Hour Book Festival Tamil Nadu	13.07.18	24.07.18
5	Karu Book Festival Tamil Nadu	13.07.18	24.07.18



S.No.	Events		Date
		From	То
6	Coimbatore Book Festival Tamil Nadu	20.07.18	29.07.18
7	Thrissur SSA Exhibition, Kerala	26.07.18	08.08.18
8	Erode Book Festival, Tamil Nadu	03.08.18	14.08.18
9	13th Madurai Book Fair, Tamil Nadu	31.08.18	10.09.18
10	Mysore Dasara Kannada Book Festival KPP Karnataka	10.10.18	19.10.18
11	Bangalore Book Festival, Karnataka	15.10.18	21.10.18
12	National Children Book Festival, Tamil Nadu	14.11.18	21.11.18
13	Chennai Book Fair 2019	04.1.19	20.01.19
14	Kannada Sahitya Sammelana Dharwad, Bangaluru	04.01.19	06.01.19
15	Kerala Sahitya Academy National Book Festival, Thrissur	02.02.19	11.02.19
16	SPCS International Book Govt. Kochi	08.02.19	17.02.19
17	KPP Bangalore Kannada Book Exhibition Bengaluru	08.02.19	12.02.19
18	Kendriya Vidyalaya School Exhibition Malleswaram Karnataka	04.09.18	06.09.18
19	Kendriya Vidyalaya School Exhibition Chennapatna Karnataka	26.10.18	27.10.18
20	Makkala Habba Book Exhibition	11.11.18	11.11.18
21	NBW Kahavana Book Exhibition. At Patel Munichinappa	15.11.18	
22	NBW Kendriya Vidyalaya School Krihnarajapuram Bangalore	15.11.18	17.11.18
23	NBW Kendriya Vidyalaya School BEML Kolar, Bangalore	14.11.18	15.11.18
24	Podar International School CBSE Chikkakodigehalli	24.01.19	26.01.19
25	Bangalore University College of LAW	14.02.19	14.02.19
26	T John College Gottigere BG Road, Bangaluru	20.02.19	
27	CUSAT Kalamassery Book	09.10.18	22.04.18
28	Kochi International Book Festival 2018	03.11.18	14.11.18
29	Darsana, Kottayam International Book Fair, Kottayam	30.11.18	09.12.18

S.No.	Events		Date
		From	То
30	Kairali International Cultural Carnival Kannur	24.01.19	29.01.19
31	Hyderabad Book Fest	13.04.18	22.04.18
32	Parvathipuram Book Exhibition Andhra Pradesh	13.07.18	16.07.18
33	Slate The School Abids Exhibition, Hyderabad, TS	25.08.18	
34	Gandhi Jayanti Book Exhibition, Nalgonda, Telangana	01.10.18	02.10.18
35	Anantapur Book Exhibition, Anantapur, Andhra Pradesh	06.10.18	14.10.18
36	Slate School, Karmanthat & Goutham School, Vanasthalipuram	26.11.18	03.12.18
37	NBW Ravindrabharti Exhibtion, Hyderabad	14.11.18	20.11.18
38	Kadapa Book Exhibition, Andhra Pradesh	17.11.18	25.11.18
39	Hyderabad Book Fair , Hyderabad, TS	15.12.18	25.12.18
40	Vijayawada Book Festival 2019, Andhra Pradesh	31.01.19	11.01.19
41	Urdu Book Exhibition, Hyderabad	22.03.19	

# Northern Regional Office, New Delhi

S.No.	Events		Date
		From	То
1	Almora Book Exhibition	25.06.18	1.07.18
2	Amritsar Book Exhibition	24.09.18	30.09.18
3	Azamgarh Book Fair	10.12.18	16.12.18
4	Bhatinda Book Exhibition	29.09.18	07.10.18
5	Bhopal Book Fair	06.10.18	12.10.18
6	Faizabad Book Fair	30.10.18	04.11.18
7	Faridkot Book Fair	19.09.18	23.09.18
8	Gwalior Book Fair	12.05.18	20.05.18
9	Gwalior Book Fair	10.10.18	12.10.18
10	Haldwani Book Fair	23.06.18	01.07.18
11	IIC Book Exhibition	27.10.18	31.10.18

S.No.	Events		Date
		From	То
12	Indore Book Exhibition	27.10.18	04.11.18
13	Lucknow Science Exhibition	06.10.18	08.10.18
14	Magadh Book Fair	21.12.18	01.01.19
15	Mansha Book Exhibition	13.10.18	18.10.18
16	Kullu Book Fair	09.06.18	17.06.18
17	Nepal Book Fair	01.06.18	09.06.18
18	Telangana Formation Day	01-06-18	03-06-18
19	Gita Pustak Mahotsava	13.12.18	18.12.18
20	Agra Book Fair	18.02.19	27.02.19
21	Katni Book Fair	21.12.18	26.12.18
22	Akhil Bhartiya Book Exhibition	03.10.18	
23	Deoghar Book Fair	16.01.19	04.02.19
24	Etawah Book Fair	15.12.18	24.12.18
25	Jammu Book Exhibition	12.11.18	22.11.18
26	Pravasi Bharatiya Divas	21.01.18	23.01.18
27	Pustak Kumbh	19.01.19	30.03.19
28	Sahitya Aaj Tak Book Exhibition	16.11.18	18.11.18
29	World Book Fair	05.01.19	13.01.19
30	World Book Fair	05.01.19	13.01.19
31	Delhi Book Fair	25.08.18	02.09.18

# **Eastern Regional Office, Kolkata**

S.No.	Events	Date	
		From	То
1	Agartala Book Fair	02.04.18	13.04.18
2	Nabbarsha Boi Utsav 2018	13.04.18	22.04.18
3	Paradeep Pustak Mela	17.04.18	24.04.18
4	Dolna Day School Book Exhibition	04.05.18 and 07.05.18	
5	Tezpur University Book Exhibition	04.05.18	06.05.18
6	Imphal Book Fair	26.05.18	03.06.18

S.No.	Events		Date	
		From	То	
7	Hong Village Book Exhibition	27.07.18	29.07.18	
8	Arunachal Literary and Art Festival	04.08.18	05.08.18	
9	Delhi Book Fair (Organised by Publishers & Book Sellers Guild, Kolkata)	28.09.18	07.10.18	
10	Tripura University Book fair	05.10.18	06.10.18	
11	Palasi A.D.P High School	10.10.18	12.10.18	
12	Dibrugarh Book Fair	02.10.18	13.10.18	
13	Nagaon Book Fair	31.10.18	07.11.18	
14	Silchar Book Fair	09.11.18	18.11.18	
15	Kalinga Book Fair	09.11.18	18.11.18	
16	North East Book Fair	09.11.18	20.11.18	
17	Suravi State Level Sishu Mohatsav	14.11.18	16.11.18	
18	Bargarh Book Fair	20.11.18	29.11.18	
19	Ganjam Mahanagar Pustak Mela	16.11.18	25.11.18	
20	Golaghat Book Fair	24.11.18	02.12.18	
21	Sonarpur Book Fair	07.12.18	16.12.18	
22	Jorhat Book Fair	06.12.18	16.12.18	
23	Dharamsala Book Fair	06.12.18	12.12.18	
24	Mayurbhanj Book Fair	14.12.18	23.12.18	
25	Guwahati Book Fair	22.12.18	02.01.19	
26	Kharagpur Book Fair	05.01.19	13.01.19	
27	Rajdhani Book Fair	05.01.19	14.01.19	
28	Urdu Book Exhibition	20.01.19	29.01.19	
29	Kolkata Book Fair	31.01.19	11.02.19	
30	Agartala Book Fair	15.02.19	28.02.19	
31	Odisha State Book Fair	20.02.19	28.02.19	
32	National Tribal Book Festival	15.03.19	17.03.19	
33	RMSA Mobile Van Book Exhibition in 24 District of West Bengal	07.08.18	11.09.18	
34	OPEPA Mobile Book Exhibition in 18 districts of Odisha	14.11.18	24.01.19	

#### SALES & MARKETING

The Trust publishes moderately priced books for all segments of the society and for all age groups in Hindi, English and all major Indian languages. The Trust organises various book exhibitions, book fairs and mobile book exhibition vans to ensure the availability of the Trust's publications across the country, especially in remote areas, and in small and medium towns. The NBT books are also being sold from its bookshops located at its office in Vasant Kunj, Kashmere Gate and Vishwavidyalaya Metro stations in New Delhi and at its Regional Offices in Bengaluru, Kolkata and Mumbai. The book shops at Agartala, Chennai, Cuttack, Guwahati, Hyderabad, Kochi and Patna have also become operational.

NBT books are also available online on its webstore www.nbtindia. gov.in. During the year 2018-19, 52 new titles were added, making it one of the largest webstore of vernacular languages having 2780 titles in 24 languages.

The Trust has also extended its reach on the largest online webstore Amazon India by adding 51 titles on its platform and have sold 84 books during the FY 2018-19.

Extending its footprints on digital front, the Trust has uploaded 14 new titles to its ebook platform making it to a total of 114 numbers. Revenue generated from ebook during FY 2018-19 was Rs. 1312.

During the FY 2018-19, 2081 new book club members were added to the existing list of 69,936 book club members.

The trust has developed an excellent network of authorized booksellers as agents and distributors throughout the country. During the year it has added (11+..) new book sellers.

The mobile exhibitions, popularly known as Pustak Parikrama programme is another mode for the promotion of books and reading habit. During the FY 2018-19 the trust organized 38 such mobile exhibitions covering 247 points. Trust also participated in 100 exhibitions and book fairs throughout the country.

During the period under review, Northern Regional Office of the Trust received First prize for Display of Books at Delhi Book Fair and Faizabad Book Fair.

Southern Regional Office organized Gram Panchayat Exhibitions in Tamilnadu.

Special exhibition and promotional activities were organised by the Regional Offices on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti and Hindi Pakhwara and National Book Week.

Western Regional Office extended its reach to Gram Panachayat and anganwadis and supplied a collection of books for Aanganwadis in the UT of Dadra and Nagar Haveli. It also propagated the idea of Gram Panchayat Libraries and supplied collection of books for such libraries in UT of Diu.

### **Region wise Sales Performance**

Region	Net Sales	Gross Sales	Revenue
NRO	2730	1815	1626
ERO	616	390	390
SRO	266	185	187
WRO	108	75	75
TOTAL	3720	2465	2278

#### **Financial Performance**

During the Financial Year 2018-19, the Trust generated Net Sales of Rs. 2465 lakh. The revenue earned during this period was to the tune of Rs. 2278 lakh.



# NATIONAL BOOK TRUST, INDIA FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMME (NBT FAP)

In order to promote and pursue translations of Indian books into foreign languages, the Trust initiated a financial assistance programme to foreign publishers. The programme will provide suitable incentive in the form of financial assistance to foreign publishers for translation of original Indian writings published by Indian publishers in English, Hindi and other Indian languages into foreign languages.

The programme covers broad categories of fiction, non-fiction, science and technology and books for children, except dictionaries, magazines, journals, text books for schools/colleges and professional courses like medicine, engineering, pure & applied sciences, business administration.

In order to give particular focus on writings in Indian languages where an English translation is not available, and to promote such writings abroad, the NBT would facilitate its translation into English, and in such areas the NBT would bear 50% of the translation fee. Open to foreign publishers, the programme has elicited a lot of interest among a cross section of publishers both from India and abroad.

So far financial assistance has been extended for: The Missing Queen

by Samhita Arni (originally published by Zubaan) published by Lit Edizioni SRL in Italian; *My Little India* by Manoj Das (originally published by NBT, India) published by Booksea Publishing in Korean; *Looking Back: India in 20th Century* (originally published by NBT, India) published by Booksea Publishing in Korean and *Stories by Ambai* by Ambai (originally published by Kalachuvadu) published by Editions Zulma in French.

As part of this programme, the Trust organized the sixth Rights Table Forum for publishers during the New Delhi World Book Fair, 2019. The New Delhi Rights Table was a two day event that brought together publishers, rights-agents and editors from India and abroad to network and explore business opportunities together. Organised as B2B match making sessions, it enabled the participants to book their own Rights Table, meet and present their products and ideas.

A successful initiative, the New Delhi Rights Table was a major attraction at the New Delhi World Book Fair. It attracted over 60 publishers from India and abroad. Besides, major publishers from across India, foreign participants included publishers from China, Egypt, France, Iran, Japan, Kenya, Singapore, UAE and United States of America.

# PROMOTION AND SALE OF BOOKS THROUGH MOBILE EXHIBITION VANS

# **Southern Regional Office**

S No.	Name of the Pustak Parikrama	Period	Points Covered
1	Mobile Pustak Parikrama	27.04.18 to 29.05.18	8
2	Mobile Pustak Parikrama	28.08.18 to 12.09.18	8
3	Mobile Pustak Parikrama	20.09.18 to 05.10.18	1
4	Mobile Pustak Parikrama	03.11.18 to 26.11.18	12
5	Mobile Pustak Parikrama	27.12.18 to 13.01.19	4
6	Mobile Pustak Parikrama (Chamarajanagar, Mysore, Kadagu)	30.01.19 to 23.02.19	9
7	Mobile Pustak Parikrama (SSA EXH. (Karaikal)	24.02.19 to 08.03.19	1
1	Total		43

# **Northern Regional Office**

S No.	Name of the Pustak Parikrama	Period	Points Covered
1	Himachal Pradesh Pustak Parikrama	22.04.2018 to 9.05.2018	7
2	Haryana Pustak Parikrama	22.04.2018 to 21.05.2018	7
3	Rajasthan Pustak Parikrama	27.04.2018 to 23.05.2018	7
4	Uttar Pradesh Pustak Parikrama	27.04.2018 to 22.05.2018	7
5	Uttar pradesh/Uttarakhand PustakParikrama	06.05.2018 to 11.06.2018	7
6	Madhya Pradesh Pustak Parikrama	08.06.2018 to 09.07.2018	7
7	Delhi /NCR Pustak Parikrama	20.06.2018 to 24.07.2018	7
8	Bihar Pustak Parikrama	28.06.2018 to 14.08.20108	7
9	Jharkhand Pustak Parikrama	09.06.2018 to 13.07.2018	7
10	Punjab Pustak Parikrama	07.06.2018 to 17.08.2018	7
11	Chhattisgarh Pustak Parikrama	03.06.2018 to 11.08.2018	7







#### **Eastern Regional Office**

1	Rmsa Mobile Van Book Exhibition In 24 Dist. West Bengal	07.08.18 TO 11.09.18	24
2	Opepa Mobile Book Exhibition	14.11.18 TO 24.01.19	2
	Total		26

### **Western Regional Office**

S No.	Name of the Pustak Parikrama	Period	Points Covered
1	Gujarat Pustak Parikrama	04.09.18 to 17.10.18	11
2	Mumbai Pustak Parikrama	26.10.18 to 13.11.18	3
3	Maharashtra Pustak Parikrama	20.11.18 to 28.12.18	9
	Total		23









#### TRAINING COURSE IN BOOK PUBLISHING

National Book Trust, India organises Training Course in Book Publishing across the country to help participants take up publishing as a career. The Training Course focuses on various aspects of publishing like developing manuscripts, editorial process, production and marketing of books, techniques of translation, export of books, Copyright and other legal issues of publishing, sale of Rights, exports of books, etc. Members of the faculty drawn from leading universities, institutions and publishing houses give an insight into publishing industry to the participants through interactive sessions.

During the Financial Year 2018-19, seven publishing courses in Dharamshala, Imphal, New Delhi, Puducherry, Patna, Ahmedabad and Jammu were organised by the Trust.

# 1. Training Course in Book Publishing, Dharamshala (8-15 May 2018)

The Trust organised a one-week Training Course in Book Publishing at Central University of Himachal Pradesh, Dharamshala, Himachal Pradesh from 8 to 15 May 2018. Shri Navneet Sharma, Editor, *Dainik Jagran* inaugurated the programme. Shri Baldeo Bhai Sharma, Chairman, NBT presided over the function. Dr Pradeep Nair, Dean, School of Journalism, Mass Communication and News

Media, CUHP and Dr Manoj K Saxena, Dean, School of Education, CUHP were also present on the occasion. The certificates to the participants were also distributed during the Valedictory programme held on 15 May 2018. Shri Baldeo Bhai Sharma, Chairman, NBT, India was chief guest on the occasion. During the programme the experts provided insights into various aspects of book publishing including editing, copyright, production and marketing. The faculty included Shri Sridhar Balan, Consultant, Ratna Sagar, Dr Rajeev Ranjan Giri, Faculty, Delhi University, Shri Kalyan Banerjee, Former CPO, NCERT among others. About 54 participants from various publishing houses from across the country attended the programme.

#### 2. Training Course in Book Publishing, Imphal (28 May to 4 June 2018)

The Trust organised a one-week Training Course in Book Publishing at Tribal Research Institute, Imphal, Manipur from 28 May to 4 June 2018. Shri N. Kayisii, Hon'ble Minister, Tribal Affairs & Hills and Fisheries, Manipur inaugurated the programme. Prof. Ramjeevan Singh Thakur, Director, IGNTU presided over the function. The certificates to the participants were also distributed on Valedictory function held on 4 June 2018. Prof. W. Nabakumar Singh, Department of Anthropology, Manipur University was the Chief Guest and Shri Sougrakpam Bhubol, Secretary, Columnist Forum, Manipur was the Guest of Honour. Seven eminent professionals including Shri Pranav Singh, MD, Ponytale Books; Shri G S Jolly, former Faculty Delhi University; and Shri Joseph Maithai, Head, Books for Change, shared their experience with the participants. Sixty-nine participants including publishers and teachers from various colleges took part in the course.

#### 3. Training Course in Book Publishing, NBT, Delhi (10 July to 6 August 2018)

The Trust organised a one-month Training Course in Book Publishing in NBT Conference Hall, Vassant Kunj, New Delhi from 10 July to 6 August 2018. The course was inaugurated by Dr Sachidanand Joshi, Member Secretary, Indira Gandhi National Center for Arts, Govt. of India. Shri Baldeo Bhai Sharma, Chairman, NBT and Dr Rita Chowdhury, Director, NBT were also present on the occasion. The certificates to the participants were also distributed on Valedictory function held on 6 August 2018. Dr B. D. Mendiratta, former Principal, Pusa Polytechnic, was Chief Guest on the occasion. The course was attended by 27 participants including students and teachers from various colleges and publishers.

#### 4. Training Course in Book Publishing, Puducherry (28 Sept. to 06 Oct. 2018)

The Trust organised a one-week Training Course in Book Publishing at Pondicherry University, Puducherry from 28 September to 6 October 2018. Dr Kiran Bedi, Hon'ble Lt. Governor Puducherry inaugurated the programme. Prof. Gurmeet Singh, Vice Chancellor, Pondicherry University, Puducherry presided over the function. The certificates to the participants were also distributed on Valedictory function held on 6 October 2018. Prof. Gurmeet Singh, Honourable Vice Chancellor, Pondicherry University was the Chief Guest on the occasion. Ten eminent professionals from the publishing industry shared their experience with the participants including Dr Suresh Chand, former Special Officer, MHRD, New Delhi; Shri AK Sinha, former Director, DOP, Government of India, New Delhi; and Ms Lipika Bhushan, Consultant, Market My Book, Noida. Forty-six participants including students and teachers from various institutes and publishers attended the course.

#### 5. Training Course in Book Publishing, Patna (7 to 13 October 2018)

The Trust organised a one-week Training Course in Book Publishing at Patna Law College, Patna University, from 7 to 13 October, 2018. Shri Krishnanadan Prasad Verma, Hon'ble Education Minister, Patna, inaugurated the programme. Prof. Rash Bihari Prasad Singh, Vice Chancellor, Patna University, Patna presided over the function. The certificates to the participants were also distributed on Valedictory function held on 13 October 2018. Dr Nagendra Kumar Jha, Dean (Students & Welfare), Patna University was the Chief Guest on the valedictory function. Seven eminent professionals from the publishing industry shared their experience with the participants including Shri Pranav Singh, CEO, Ponytale Books, New Delhi; Shri G S Jolly; Shri B D Mendiratta, former Prinicpal, Pusa Polytechnic, New Delhi. Thirty-four participants including students and teachers from various institutes and publishers attended the course.

#### 6. Training Course in Book Publishing, Ahmedabad (23 to 31 January 2019)

The Trust organised a one-week Training Course in Book Publishing at Gujarat University, Ahmedabad from 23 to 31 January 2019. Shri Om Prakash Kohli, Hon'ble Governor, Gujarat inaugurated the programme. Prof. Himanshu Pandya, Vice Chancellor, Gujarat University presided over the function. The certificates to the

participants were also distributed on Valedictory function held on 31 January 2019. Dr Ranjana Argade, Director, USL, Gujarat University was the Chief Guest. Eight eminent professionals from the publishing industry shared their experience with the participants including Shri Sanjay Gohel, Lecturer, R C Institute, Solapur, Gujarat; Shri Jayesh Patel, HoD, Printing, RC Institute of Technology, Gujarat; Shri G S Jolly; former Faculty, Delhi University; and Ms Arunima Roy, Consulting Editor, India for Asia Literary Review. Forty-one participants including students, publishers and teachers from various institutes attended the course.

#### 7. Training Course in Book Publishing, Jammu (25 to 31 March 2019)

The Trust organised a one-week Training Course in Book Publishing at Central University of Jammu, Jammu from 25 to 31 March 2019. Prof. Govind Prasad Sharma, Chairman, NBT inaugurated the programme. Prof. Chandra Bhushan Sharma, Chairman, National Institute of Open Schooling, New Delhi was the Guest of Honour. Prof. Ashok Aima, Vice Chancellor, Central University of Jammu, Jammu presided over the function. The certificates to the participants were also distributed on Valedictory function held on 31 March 2019. Eight eminent professionals from the publishing industry shared their experience with the participants including Shri Sridhar Balan, Consultant, Ratna Sagar Pvt. Ltd.; Shri G S Jolly, former Faculty, Delhi University; Shri Kalyan Banerjee, former CPO, NCERT and Shri AK Sinha, former Director, DOP, Government of India, New Delhi. Thirty-one participants including students, publishers, scholars and teachers from various institutes attended the course.



#### ASSISTANCE FOR PUBLICATION OF BOOKS

Financial assistance is provided by the Trust under its Subsidy Scheme for publication of books.

#### Scheme for the Subsidized Publication of Books

Through this Subsidy Scheme, the NBT promotes publication of reasonably priced books for students and teachers of Indian universities and technical institutes by providing royalty to authors and financial assistance to publishers for bringing out books which could serve as textbooks, discipline-oriented reference material or reference books.

During the period under review, no title was published under the Scheme.

# SCHEME OF ASSISTANCE TO VOLUNTARY /PRIVATE ORGANISATIONS FOR ORGANISING SEMINARS/TRAINING COURSES/WORKSHOPS/ANNUAL CONVENTIONS ETC. CONNECTED WITH BOOK PROMOTIONAL ACTIVITIES

This is a Grant-in-Aid (GIA) scheme for organising Book Promotional Activities wherein financial assistance is provided to registered NGOs for one or more of the following purposes:

- (a) To organise Book Fair/Seminars of Indian Authors/Publishers/Booksellers on subjects which have direct bearing on book promotion in India.
- (b) To organise training courses on a subject directly related to book promotion.
- (c) To organise Annual Conventions/Conferences of Writers/Publishers/Printers/Booksellers.
- (d) To conduct research/survey connected with book industry.
- (e) Any other activity which may be found conductive to the development of book industry, etc.

During the year under review, Grants were released to five organisations by the Trust to meet 75% of the approved expenditure of organising book fairs/exhibitions, seminars, workshops, etc. The total amount of Grant given is Rs.1,17,251/-.

#### List of NGOs under Grant-in-Aid Scheme for Book Promotional Activities

S.No.	Name of NGO	State	Amount Paid
1.	Bharari Bahu-Uddeshiya Sevabhavi Sansthai, Hingoli	Maharashtra	25,000.00
2.	Shri Ram Swaroop Singh Shiksha, Bhind	Madhya Pradesh	25,000.00
3.	Om Shri Ganpati Kripa Seva Samiti, Allahabad	Uttar Pradesh	23,931.00
4.	Shri Ganesh Deen Shiksha Samiti, Kaushambi	Uttar Pradesh	18,320.00
5.	Bharatwasi Seva Sansthan, Hathras	Uttar Pradesh	25,000.00
		Total	1,17,251.00





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1617	Munia Rani	Gijubhai Badheka	70.00	
1618	Tansen	Ashok Dawar	REV	70.00
	URI	DU		·
India	1 Literature Series			
1619	Syed Mohammad Ashraf: Selected Stories	Khwaja Md. Ekramuddin (Comp)	OR	285.00
	HIN	DI		
India	China Translation Programme			
1620	Confucious ke Char Granth	Confucious	TR	-
1621	Dikhne Mein Khubsoorat	Wang Shuo	-	
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### AUDITED ANNUAL ACCOUNTS

NEHRU BHAWAN 5, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, PHASE-II VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070 ANNUAL ACCOUNTS – 2018-19

### **BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 2019**

### **Amount in Rupees**

Sources of Funds	Schedule	<b>Current Year</b>	<b>Previous Year</b>
Capital Fund	1A	383691029	432220224
Corpus Fund	1B	17301641	15567652
Designated Earmarked/Endowment Funds	2	945874	906910
Current Liabilities & Provisions	3	331510132	235206205
Total		733448676	683900991
Application of Funds	Schedule	<b>Current Year</b>	<b>Previous Year</b>
Fixed Assets	4		
Tangible Assets		137961712	146384391
Intangible Assets		925252	74680
Capital Works-in-Progress		0	0
Investments From Earmarked/Endowment Funds	5		
Long Term		620834	581870
Short Term		0	0
Investments - Others	6	0	0
Current Assets	7	402316516	298419825
Loans, Advances & Deposits	8	191624362	238440225
Total		733448676	683900991

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(RAMESH KUMAR PATHAK) ACCOUNTS OFFICER (RAKESH KUMAR)
DEPUTY DIRECTOR

(RITA CHOWDHURY)
DIRECTOR

(GOVIND PRASAD SHARMA) CHAIRMAN

Date: 25/06/2019 Place: NEW DELHI





NEHRU BHAWAN 5, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, PHASE-II VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070 ANNUAL ACCOUNTS – 2018-19

### INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2019

Particulars	Schedule	<b>Current Year</b>	<b>Previous Year</b>
INCOME			
Academic Receipts	9	0	0
Grants/Subsidies	10	539584726	508112649
Income from Investments	11	137453	145775
Interest earned	12	2866045	2703532
Other Income	13	3458405	1603870
Prior Period Income	14	0	0
Income from Sale of Books	23	236554406	118079146
Income from New Delhi World Book Fair	24	85182026	88597071
Increase in Stock	25	12103753	14597123
Stall Rentals - State Level Book Fairs	26	8405151	6655762
Book Publishing Course Fee	27	693760	396535
Book Club Membership Fee	28	326421	449760
Input Tax Credit on Goods & Service Tax		22213733	0
Profit on sale of fixed Assets		1383880	0
TOTAL (A)		912909759	741341223
EXPENDITURE			
Staff Payments & Benefits(Establishment expenses)	15	314918876	239264318
Academic Expenses	16	0	0
Administrative and General Expenses	17	47068424	38403287
Transportation Expenses	18	867854	1644041
Repairs & Maintenance	19	3142260	2115479
Finance costs	20	0	0
Other Expenses	21	45520	1160321
Prior Period Expenses	22	135906174	31243204
New Delhi World Book Fair	29	168143404	38955782



Particulars	Schedule	<b>Current Year</b>	<b>Previous Year</b>
Publishing of Books	30	136022047	95308119
Storage & Distribution Expenses	31	11601723	9709617
Promotional Expenses	32	136150565	166765386
Depreciation	4	11568663	12235770
TOTAL (B)		965435510	636805324
Balance being excess of Income over Expenditure (A-B)		0	0
Transfer to / from Designated Fund			
Building fund		0	0
Others (specify)		0	0
Balance Being Surplus (Deficit) Carried to Capital Fund		-52525751	104535899

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### NATIONAL BOOK TRUST, INDIA NEHRU BHAWAN 5, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, PHASE-II VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070

ıs Year	unt							31243204.00 353915854.00				85169.00							
Previous Year	Amount		229180150.00	0.00	93492500.00	0.00	0.00	31243204.00			69878.00	15291.00							
Current Year	nut							355595359.00				38964.00							
Currer	Amount		289220653.00	00.00	49604788.00	0.00	0.00	16769918.00			23562.00	15402.00							
PAYMENTS		Expenses	a) Establishment Expenses	b) Academic Expenses	c) Administrative Expenses	d) Transportation Expenses	e) Repairs & Maintenance	f) Prior Period Expenses		Earmarked/ Endowment Funds	a) K K Birla Foundation	b) Sopan Smarak Nidhi							
		I.					00:		II.										
Previous Year	Amount						00'28216389												
Previo	Amo		0.00		0.00	14538257.00	54053280.00						0.00	255972000.00		00.00	23571000.00		
Current Year	ount						116175342.00							483000000.00 255972000.00			30000000.00		
Curre	Amount		0.00		0.00	38067652.00	78107690.00						9000000.00	482100000.00		100000.00	29900000.00		
RECEIPTS		Opening Balances	a) Cash Balances	b) Bank Balances	i. In Current Accounts	ii. In deposit Accounts	iii. Savings Accounts		Grants Received	a) From Government of India	NON-NER	1. General:	(i) Capital	(ii) Revenue	2. North East:	(i) Capital	(ii) Revenue	3. Special Component Plan for	Welfare of Scheduled Caste:
		I.							П.										

	RECEIPTS	Currei	Current Year	Previous Year	ıs Year		PAYMENTS	Curre	Current Year	Previous Year	ıs Year
		Ame	Amount	Amount	unt			Am	Amount	Amount	unt
	(i) Capital	0.00		0.00							
	(ii) Revenue	0.00	0.00	41814000.00							
	4. Tribal Area Sub Plan (TASP):										
	(i) Capital	00:00		00:00							
	(ii) Revenue	0.00	00.00	23345500.00							
	5. Activity:										
	(i) Capital	0.00		0.00							
	(ii) Revenue	0.00	0.00	211968500.00	556671000.00						
	b) From State Government		0.00		0.00						
	c) From other sources		0.00		00.00						
Ш.	Academic Receipts		0.00		0.00	III.	Payments against	00.00	0.00	00.00	0.00
							Sponsored Projects/ Schemes				
IV.	Receipts against Earmarked/ Endowment Funds		0.00		0.00	IV.	Payments against Sponsored Fellow- ships/ Scholarships	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
>	Receipts against Sponsored Projects/Schemes		00.0		00'0	>	Investments and Deposits made a) Out of Earmarked/ Endowment Funds b) Out of own funds ((Investments -	0.00	0.00	00.0	00.0
VI.	Receipts against Sponsored Fellowships and Scholarships		0.00		00:00	VI.	Ter	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
VII.	Income on Investments from a) Earmarked/Endowment funds					VIII.	VII. Expenditure on Fixed Assets and Capital Works - in - Progress				
	(i) K K Birla Foundation	23562.00		384791.00			a) Purchase of Fixed Assets	27977.00		0.00	
	(ii) Sopan Smarak Nidhi	15402.00		15291.00			b) Purchase of Fixed Assets (General)	645.00		0.00	

	RECEIPTS	Curre	Current Year	Previous Year	s Year		PAYMENTS	Curre	Current Year	Previous Year	s Vear
			THE TARM	POLICE	1	T			THAT HE	POLICE	That o
		Am	Amount	Amount	unt			Amo	Amount	Amount	unt
	b) Other Investments	0.00	38964.00	0.00	400082.00	<u> </u>	c) Purchase of Fixed Assets (NE)	0.00		0.00	
							d) Purchase of Fixed Assets (General- Fur. & Equip.)	0.00		3200.00	
							e) Purchase of Fixed Assets (NE - Fur. & Equip).	110650.00		20000.00	
						Į	f) Purchase of Fixed Assets (Fur. & Equip.)	627052.00		158251.00	
						38	g) Purchase of Fixed Assets (SCP)	0.00		0.00	
							h) Purchase of Fixed Assets (Tribal Area)	0.00		0.00	
						i	<ul><li>i) Purchase of Fixed Assets (Computer)</li></ul>	816872.00		244007.00	
						j	j) Purchase of Fixed Assets (Computer Software)	2413360.00	3996556.00	256650.00	682108.00
VIII.	Interest received on a) Bank Deposits	1733989.00		1029395.00	1	/III.   6	VIII. Other Payments including statutory payments				
	b) Loans and Advances	695941.00		452632.00			Remittance of Re-				
	c) Savings Bank Accounts	2866045.00	5295975.00	2703532.00	4185559.00	) ţ	coveries affected from Pay Bills		40845131.00		38686640.00
X.	Investments encashed		0.00		0.00	X.	Refund of Grants		0.00		0.00
×	Term Deposits with Scheduled Banks encashed		0.00		0.00	×	Deposits and Advances				
						]	Earnest Money/Se- curity Deposits		280400.00		1325606.00
XI.	Other Income (including Prior Period Income)					XI.	Other Payments				

Previous Year
Amount
125808473.00
0.00
893176.00 126701649.00
3647442.00
396535.00
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449760.00
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2988320.00
88597071.00
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20000.00

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	RECEIPTS	Current Year	ľ	Previous Year	ıs Year		PAYMENTS	Curre	Current Year	Previous Year	ıs Year
		Amount		Amount	unt			Am	Amount	Amount	ount
	B. NER	3	391451.00		0.00	ĭ	p) Research &	201695.00	201695.00 335028638.00	2432513.00	2432513.00 273230286.00
							Innovation Cell				
						I	B. NER		21485855.00		17538241.00
XII.	. Deposits and Advances					XII. (	XII. Closing balances				
	a) Earnest Money/Security Deposits	17.	1747316.00		718255.00	-60	a) Cash in Hand	0.00		0.00	
	4					1	b) Bank Balances				
							i. In Current	00.00		0.00	
							Accounts				
						·=	ii. In Savings Accounts	120702215.00		78107690.00	
							iii. In Deposit Accounts	79339637.00	200041852.00	38067652.00 116175342.00	116175342.00
X	I. Miscellaneous Receipts		0.00								
	including Statutory Receipt statutory receipts				38686640.00						
X	XIV. Any Other Receipts	48	4842285.00		1603870.00						
TO	TOTAL	10898	1089853657.00		893657720.00		TOTAL		1089853657.00		893657720.00

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CHAIRMAN

(RAMESH KUMAR PATHAK) ACCOUNTS OFFICER

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DIRECTOR

Place: NEW DELHI Date: 25/06/2019





NEHRU BHAWAN 5, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, PHASE-II VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070 ANNUAL ACCOUNTS – 2018-19

### **SCHEDULE - 1 (A) CAPITAL FUND**

Particulars		Current Year	Previous Year
	Balance at the beginning of the year	432220224	327002217
Add:	Contributions towards Capital Fund	0	0
Add:	Grants from Government of India		
	to the extent utilised for Capital expenditure	3996556	682108
Add:	Assets Purchased out of Earmarked Funds	0	0
Add:	Assets Purchased out of Sponsored Projects,		
	where ownership vests in the institution	0	0
Add:	Assets Donated/Gifts Received	0	0
Add:	Other Additions	0	0
Add:	Excess of Income over expenditure transferred		
	from the Income & Expenditure Account	0	0
	Total	436216780	327684325
(Add)	Surplus transferred from the Income &		
	Expenditure Account	-52525751	104535899
	Balance at the year end	383691029	432220224





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### **SCHEDULE - 1(B) CORPUS FUND**

Particulars	Current Year	Previous Year
As per Last Account	15567652	14538257
Addition during the year (Interest)	1733989	1029395
Total	17301641	15567652



Amount in Rupees

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# SCHEDULE 2 - DESIGNATED/ EARMARKED/ ENDOWMENT FUNDS

Darticulare		Fund wise Breakun	arrivo		Ţ	Total
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	K K Birla	Sopan Smarak	Fund	Endowment	Current	Previous
	Foundation	Nidhi	CCC	Funds	year	year
Α.						
a) Opening balance	667594	239316	0	0	906910	506828
b) Additions during the year(Interest)	23562	15402	0	0	38964	400082
c) Income from investment made of the funds	0	0	0	0	0	0
d) Accrued Interest on investment/Advances	0	0	0	0	0	0
e) Interest on Savings Bank a/c	0	0	0	0	0	0
f) Other additions (Specify nature)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total (A)	691156	254718			945874	906910
B.						
Utillisation/Expenditure towards objectives of funds	nnds					
i) Capital Expenditure	0	0	0	0	0	0
ii) Revenue Expenditure	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total (B)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Closing balance at the year end (A-B)	691156	254718	0	0	945874	906910
Represented by						
Cash and Bank Balances	0	0	0	0	0	0
Investments	691156	254718	0	0	945874	906910
Interest accrued but not due	0	0	0	0		0
Total	691156	254718	0	0	945874	906910



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### **SCHEDULE 3 - CURRENT LIABILITIES & PROVISIONS**

	Current Year	Previous Year
A. Current Liabilities		
Deposits from staff	0	0
2. Deposits from students	0	0
3. Sundry Creditors		
a) For goods & Services	28483266	13801850
b) Others*	905114	100078
c) Royalty	14065395	13146996
4. Deposit-Other (including EMD, Security Deposit)	9792444	8325528
5. Statutory Liabilities (GPF, TDS, WC, TAX, CPF,		
GIS, NPS)		
a) Overdue	0	0
b) Others	0	0
6. Other Current Liabilities		
a) Salaries for the month of March'2019	14533818	12998157
b) Pension for the month of March'2019	5956418	5363868
c) Receipts against sponsored fellowship &	0	0
scholarships d) Untilised Grants	060856425	91437707
e) Grants in advance	000030423	0
f) Other funds	0	0
g) Other Liabilities - Advance against Sales	95424369	10994808
Total (A)	230017249	156168992
B. Provisions		
1. For Taxation	0	0
2. Gratuity	14970291	11283724
3. Superannuation Pension	78639273	62060811
4. Accumulated Leave Encashment	7883319	5692678
5. Trade Warranties/Claims 1	0	0
6. Others (Specify)	0	0
Total (A)	101492883	79037213
Total (A+B)	331510132	235206205

<sup>(\*)</sup> This includes liability on account of New Pension Scheme, the detailed account for this is annexed at page No. 227.





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### SCHEDULE 3 (C) UNUTILISED GRANTS FROM GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

	Current Year	Previous Year
A. NON-NER Grants: Government of India		
Balance B/F	84724689	42881205
Add: Receipts during the year	483000000	533100000
Total (a)	567724689	575981205
Less Refunds	0	0
Less: Utilized for Revenue Expenditure	518098871	490594408
Less: Utilized for Capital Expenditure	3885906	662108
Total (b)	521984777	491256516
Unutilized carried forward (a-b)	45739912	84724689
B. UGC grants:	•	
Balance B/F	0	0
Receipts during the year	0	0
Total (C)		
Less Refunds	0	0
Less: Utilized for Revenue Expenditure	0	0
Less: Utilized for Capital Expenditure	0	0
Total (d)		
Unutilized carried forward (c-d)		
C. NER Grants: Government of India	•	•
Balance B/F	6713018	680259
Receipts during the year	30000000	23571000
Total (e)	36713018	24251259



			Current Year	Previous Year
	Less: Refunds		0	0
	Less: Utilised for Revenue I	Expenditure	21485855	17518241
	Less: Utilised for Capital Ex	spenditure	110650	20000
		Total (f)	21596505	17538241
Unutili	ized carried forward (e-f)		15116513	6713018
D. Grai	nts from State Govt.			
	Balance B/F		0	0
	Add: Receipts during the ye	ear	0	0
		Total (g)	0	0
	Less: Utilized for Revenue l	Expenditure	0	0
	Less: Utilized for Capital Ex	xpenditure	0	0
		Total (h)	0	0
Unutili	zed carried forward (g-h)		0	0
Grand	Total (A+B+C+D)		60856425	91437707

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### SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF THE BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31 MARCH 2019 VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070

## SCHEDULE 4 - (NON-NER & NER - CONSOLIDATED)

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s.	Assets Heads			Gross Block	зk			Depreciation	Depreciation for the Year		Net F	Net Block
Š.		Dep.	Dep. Op. Balance Additions Deductions	Additions	Deduc- tions	CI Balance	Dep Open- ing	Dep Open- Depreciation Deductions/	Deductions/	Total	31.03.2019 31.03.2018	31.03.2018
		Rate	01.04.2019				Balance	for the year	Adjustments	Depreciation		
1	Land	0	24402177	0	0	24402177	0	0	0	0	24402177	24402177
2	Site Development	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
3	Buildings	2	172313594	0	0	172313594	80115379	3446272	0	83561651	88751943	92198215
4	Roads & Bridges	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
5	Tubewells & Water Supply	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
9	Sewerage & Drainage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
7	Electrical Instal- lation and Equip- ment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
8	Plant & Machin- ery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
6	Scientific & Laboratory Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
10	Office Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
11	Audio Visual Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
12	Computers & Peripherals	40	17468268	819922	0	18288190	16594855	778925	0	17373780	914410	873413
13	Furniture, Fixtures & Fittings	7.5	46968006	734652	0	47702658	28236142	3577699	0	31813841	15888817	18731864

s.	Assets Heads			Gross Block	*			Depreciatio	Depreciation for the Year		Net 1	Net Block
Š		Dep.	Dep. Op. Balance Additions Deductions	Additions	Deduc- tions	CI Balance	Dep Opening	CI Balance   Dep Open-   Depreciation   Deductions/	Deductions/	Total	31.03.2019	31.03.2019 31.03.2018
		Rate	01.04.2019				Balance	for the year	Adjustments	Depreciation		
14	Vehicles	10	25713629	0	5581355	20132274	15842718	2013227	5581355	12274590	7857684	9870911
15	Lib. Books & Scientific Journals											
(i)	Purchased	10	4244402	645	0	4245047	4090867	118607	0	4209474	35573	153535
(ii)	Gifted	10	683476	27977	0	711453	529200	71145	0	600345	111108	154276
16	Small Value Assets	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total (A)		291793552	1583196	5581355	287795393	145409161	10005875	5581355	149833681	137961712	146384391
17	Capital Work in Progress (B)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
S.	Intangible Assets		Op. Balance	Additions	Deduc-	CI Balance	Dep	Dep Amortization	Deductions/	Total	31.03.2019	31.03.2018
No.			01.04.2018		tions		Opening Balance	for the year	Adjustments	Adjustments Amortization/ Adjustments		
18	Computer Soft- ware	40	1493610	2413360	0	3906970	1418930	1562788	0	2981718	925252	74680
19	E-Journals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Patents	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total (c )		1493610	2413360	0	3906970	1418930	1562788	0	2981718	925252	74680
	Grand Total (A+B+C)	0	293287162	3996556	5581355	291702363	146828091	11568663	5581355	152815399	138886964	146459071
	Previous Year	0	292605054	682108	0	293287162	134592321	12235770		146828091	146828091 146459071	158012733

## NATIONAL BOOK TRUST, INDIA **NEHRU BHAWAN**

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# SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF THE BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31 MARCH 2019 VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070

## SCHEDULE 4A - NON-NER

										,	Amount in Rupees	n Rupees
s.	S. Assets Heads			Gross Block	ck			Depreciation for the Year	for the Year		Net Block	lock
Š.		Dep.	Op. Balance	Additions	Deductions	CI Balance	Additions   Deductions   CI Balance   Dep Opening	Depreciation	Deductions/	Total	31.03.2019 31.03.2018	31.03.2018
		Rate	01.04.2019				Balance	for the year	Adjustments	Depreciation		
П	Land	0	24402177	0	0	24402177	0	0	0	0	24402177	24402177
2	Site Development	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
3	Buildings	2	172313594	0	0	172313594	80115379	3446272	0	83561651	88751943	92198215
4	Roads & Bridges	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
5	Tubewells & Water Supply	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
9	Sewerage & Drainage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
7	Electrical Installation and Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
8	Plant & Machinery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
6	Scientific & Laboratory Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
10	Office Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
11	Audio Visual Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
12	<ul><li>12 Computers &amp; Peripherals</li></ul>	40	17468268	816872	0	18285140	16594855	776815	0	17371670	913470	873413

No.	Assets Heads			Gross Block	ck			Depreciation for the Year	for the Year		Net Block	lock
		Dep.	Op. Balance	Additions	Deductions	CI Balance	Additions   Deductions   CI Balance   Dep Opening	Depreciation	Deductions/	Total	31.03.2019 31.03.2018	31.03.2018
		Rate	01.04.2019				Balance	for the year	Adjustments	Depreciation		
13 Ft	Furniture, Fix- tures & Fittings	7.5	46968006	627052	0	47595058	28236142	3569629	0	31805771	15789287	18713364
14 V	Vehicles	10	25713629	0	5581355	20132274	15842718	2013227	5581355	12274590	7857684	9870911
15 L e.	Lib. Books & Sci- entific Journals											
(i) P	Purchased	10	4244402	645	0	4245047	4090867	118607	0	4209474	35573	153535
ii) [G	(ii) Gifted	10	683476	27977	0	711453	529200	71145	0	600345	1111108	154276
16 S	Small Value Assets	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
I	Total (A)		291793552	1472546	5581355	287684743	145409161	9995695	5581355	149823501	137861242	146365891
17 C	Capital Work in Progress (B)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
S. In	Intangible Assets		Op. Balance	Additions	Deductions	CI Balance	Dep Opening	Amortization	Deductions/	Total	31.03.2019	31.03.2018
o.			01.04.2018				Balance	for the year	Adjustments	Amortization/		
										Adjustments		
18 C	Computer Soft- ware	40	1493610	2413360	0	3906970	1418930	1562788	0	2981718	925252	74680
19 E	E-Journals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20 P	Patents	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T	Total (c )		1493610	2413360	0	3906970	1418930	1562788	0	2981718	925252	74680
0 0	Grand Total (A+B+C)	0	293287162	3885906	5581355	291591713	146828091	11558483	5581355	152805219	152805219 138786494	146440571

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## SCHEDULE 4B - NER

s.	S. Assets Heads			Gross Block	¥			Depreciation for the Year	or the Year		Net Block	Net Block
No.		Dep.	Op. Bal- ance	Additions	Deductions	CI Bal- ance	Dep Opening	Deprecia- tion	Deduc- tions/	Total	31.03.2019	31.03.2018
		Rate	01.04.2019				Balance	for the year	Adjust- ments	Deprecia- tion		
1	Land	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	Site Development	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Buildings	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	Roads & Bridges	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	Tubewells & Water Supply	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Sewerage & Drain- age	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	Electrical Installa- tion and Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	Plant & machinery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Scientific & Laboratory Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	Office Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	11 Audio Visual Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

s.	Assets Heads			Gross Block	k			Depreciation for the Year	for the Year		Net I	Net Block
No.		Dep.	Op. Bal- ance	Additions	Additions Deductions	CI Bal- ance	Dep Opening	Deprecia- tion	Deduc- tions/	Total	31.03.2019	31.03.2019 31.03.2018
		Rate	01.04.2019				Balance	for the year	Adjust- ments	Deprecia- tion		
12	Computer & Peripherals	20	0	3050	0	3050	0	610	0	610	2440	0
13	Furniture, Fixtures & Fittings	7.5	20000	107600	0	127600	1500	9570	0	11070	116530	18500
14	Vehicles	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	Lib. Books & Scientific Journals		0			0	0			0	0	0
(i)	Purchased	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
(ii)	Gifted	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Small Value Assets	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total (A)		20000	110650	0	130650	1500	10180	0	11680	118970	18500
17	Capital Work in Progress (B)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0
S. No.	Intangible Assets		Op. Balance 01.04.2018	Additions	Deductions	CI Bal- ance	Dep Open- ing Balance	Amortization for the year	Deduc- tions/ Adjust- ments	Total Amortiza- tion/ Adjust- ments	31.03.2019	31.03.2018
18	Computer Software	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	E-Journals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Patents	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total (c)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Grand Total (A+B+C)		20000	110650	0	130650	1500	10180	0	11680	118970	18500
	Previous Year	0	0	20000	0	20000	1500	0	0	1500	18500	0



### SCHEDULE 5: INVESTMENTS FROM EARMARKED FUNDS

		Current Year	Previous Year
1	In Central Government Securities	0	0
2	In State Government Securities	0	0
3	Other approved Securities	0	0
4	Shares	0	0
5	Debentures and Bonds	0	0
6	Term Deposits with Banks	620834	581870
7	Others (to be specified)	0	0
	Total	620834	581870





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### SCHEDULE 5 (A) INVESTMENTS FROM EARMARKED FUNDS (FUND-WISE)

	Funds	Current Year	Previous Year
1	KK Birla Foundation	374184	350622
2	Sopan Smarak Nidhi	246650	231248
3	Endowment Fund Investment	0	0
	Total	620834	581870





### **SCHEDULE 6 - INVESTMENTS - OTHERS**

		CURRENT YEAR	PREVIOUS YEAR
1	In Central Government Securities	0	0
2	In State Government Securities	0	0
3	Other approved Securities	0	0
4	Shares	0	0
5	Debentures and Bonds	0	0
6	Others (to be specified)	0	0
	Total	0	0





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### **SCHEDULE 7 - CURRENT ASSETS**

	Current Year	Previous Year
1 Stock:		
a) Store - Printing paper	0	315257
b) Loose Tools	0	0
c) Publications:		
(i) At NBT Godwns/Outlets	165378482	153274729
(ii) At BMC, Mumbai	3510500	3510500
d) Laboratory chemicals, consumables and glass ware	0	0
e) Building Material	0	0
f) Electrical Material	0	0
g) Stationery	0	0
h) Water supply material	0	0
2 Sundry Debtors:		
a) Debts Outstanding for a period exceeding six months	22905399	25143998
b) Others (less than six months)	10480284	0
3 Cash and Bank Balances		
a) With Scheduled banks:		
In Current Accounts	0	0
In Term Deposit Accounts	79339637	38067652
In Savings Accounts	120702215	78107690
b) With non-Scheduled banks:		
In term deposit Accounts	0	0
In Savings Accounts	0	0
4 Post Office- Savings Accounts	0	0
Total	402316516	298419825





### **SCHEDULE 7A - CURRENT ASSETS**

I. Sav	ings Bank Accounts	
1	Grants from UGC A/c.	0.00
2	University Receipts A/c.	0.00
3	Scholarship A/c.	0.00
4	Academic Fee Receipt A/c.	0.00
5	Development (Plan) A/c.	0.00
6	Combined Entrance Exams (CBT) A/c.	0.00
7	UGC Plan Fellowship A/c.	0.00
8	Corpus Fund A/c. (EMF)	0.00
9	Sponsored Projects Fund A/c.	0.00
10	Sponsored Fellowship A/c.	0.00
11	Endowment & Chair A/c. (EMF)	0.00
12	UGC JRF Fellowship A/c. (EMF)	0.00
13	HBA Fund A/c. (EMF)	0.00
14	Conveyance A/c. (EMF)	0.00
15	UGC Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship A/c. (EMF)	0.00
16	Academic Development Fund A/c. (EMF)	0.00
17	Deposit A/c.	0.00
18	Student Fund A/c.	0.00
19	Student Aid Fund A/c.	0.00
20	Plan Grants for specific Schemes	0.00
21	General Fund	120702215.00
II.	Current Account	0.00
III.	Term Deposits with Scheduled Banks	79339637.00
	Total	200041852.00



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### **SCHDEULE - 8 - LOANS, ADVANCES & DEPOSITS**

		Current Year	Previous Year
1	Advances to employees: (Non-interest bearing)		
	a) Salary	0	0
	b) Festival	0	91800
	c) Medical Advance	0	0
	d) Others	0	0
2	Long Term Advances to employees		
	(Interest bearing):		
	a) Vehicle Loan	369629	522637
	b) Home Loan	373348	510354
	c) Computer	228706	315895
3	Advances and other amounts recoverable in		
	cash or in kind or for value to be received:		
	a) On Capital Accounts	6095187	6095187
	b) to Suppliers	0	0
	c) Others	178183468	223998840
4	Prepaid Expenses		
	a) Insurance	0	0
	b) Other Expenses	0	0
5	Deposits		
	a) Telephone	2750	2750
	b) Lease Rent	2200410	2173410
	C) Electricity	898500	898500
	d) AICTE (Not Applicable)	0	0
	e) Others	347000	347000



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		Current Year	Previous Year
6	Income Accured:		
	a) On Investments from Earmarked/		
	Endowment Funds	0	0
	b) On Investments-Others	0	0
	c) On Loans and Advances	2900861	3483852
	d) Others (includes income due unrealized)	24503	0
7	Other - Current assets receivable from UGC/		
	sponsored projects		
	a) Debit balances in Sponsored Projects	0	0
	b) Debit balances in Sponsored Fellowships & Scholarships	0	0
	c) Grants Receivable	0	0
	d) Other receivables from UGC	0	0
8	Claims receivable	0	0
	Total	191624362	238440225



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### **SCHEDULE - 9 ACADEMIC RECEIPTS**

		Current Year	Previous Year	
FEES	S FROM STUDENTS			
Acad	lemic			
1	Tuition fee			
2	Admission fee			
3	Enrolment fee			
4	Library Admission fee	NOT	APPLICABLE	
5	Laboratory fee	NOI	APPLICABLE	
6	Art & Craft fee			
7	Registration fee			
8	Syllabus fee			
	Total(A)			
Exan	ninations			
1	Admission test fee			
2	Annual Examination fee	NOT	A DDI ICA DI E	
3	Mark sheet, certificate fee	NOT	APPLICABLE	
4	Entrance examination fee			
	Total(B)			





### SCHEDULE 10 - GRANTS/SUBSIDIES (IRREVOCABLE GRANTS RECEIVED)

	NO	ON-NER		NON-NER	NER	Current	Previous
Particulars	Govt. of India	U	GC			Year	Year
	NON-NER	NON- NER	Specific Schemes			Total (5+6)	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Balance B/F	84724689	0	0	84724689	6713018	91437707	43561464
Add: Receipts during the year	483000000	0	0	483000000	30000000	513000000	556671000
Total	567724689	0	0	567724689	36713018	604437707	600232464
Less: Refund	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Balance	567724689	0	0	567724689	36713018	604437707	600232464
Less: Utilised for Capital Expenditure (A)	3885906	0	0	3885906	110650	3996556	682108
Balance	563838783	0	0	563838783	36602368	600441151	599550356
Less: Utilised for Revenue Expenditure (B)	518098871	0	0	518098871	21485855	539584726	508112649
Balance C/F ©	45739912	0	0	45739912	15116513	60856425	91437707

- A- Appears as addition to Capital Fund as well as additions to Fixed Assets during the year.
- B- Appears as income in the Income & Expenditure Account.
- C- (i) Appears under Current Liabilities in the Balance Sheet and will become the opening balance next year.
  - (ii) Represented by Bank balances, investments and Advances on the assets side.





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### **SCHEDULE 11 - INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS**

Particulars	Other Investments			
	Current Year	Previous Year		
1. Interest				
a. On Government Securities	0	0		
b. Other Bonds/Debentures	0	0		
2. Interest on Term Deposits	0	0		
3. Income accrued but not due on Term Deposits/	24503			
Interest bearing advances to employees	112950	145775		
4. Interest on Savings Bank Accounts	0	0		
5. Others	0	0		
Total	137453	145775		





### **SCHEDULE 12 - INTEREST RECEIVED**

Particulars	Current Year	Previous Year
1. On Savings Accounts with scheduled banks	2866045	2703532
2. On Loans		
a. Employees/Staffs (Adjusted against Accrued Interest)	0	0
b. Others	0	0
3. On Debtors and Other Receivables	0	0
Total	2866045	2703532





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### **SCHEDULE 13 - OTHER INCOME**

1 invant ii Nu							
A. Income from Land & Buildings			Current Year	Previous Year			
1. Hostel Room Rent			2331928	618326			
2. Licence fee			0	0			
3. Hire Charges of Auditorium/Play ground/Con	ventio	n Cent	re, etc.	0			
4. Electricity charges recovered			0	0			
5. Water charges recovered			0	0			
Total			2331928	618326			
B. Sale of Institute's publications							
C. Income from holding events							
1. Gross Receipts from annual function/sports car	rnival		0	0			
Less: Direct expenditure incurred on the annua	Less: Direct expenditure incurred on the annual function/sports carnival						
2. Gross Receipts from fetes			0	0			
Less: Direct expenditure incurred on the fetes			0	0			
3. Gross Receipts for educational tours			0	0			
Less: Direct expenditure incurred on the tours			0	0			
4. Others			0	0			
Total			0	0			
D. Others							
1. Income from consultancy			0	0			
2. RTI fees			1034	642			
3. Income from Royalty			9700	0			
4. Sale of application form (recruitment)			160840	871631			



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			Current Year	Previous Year	
5. Misc. receipts (Sale of tender form, waste paper	ceipts (Sale of tender form, waste paper, etc.)		141704	12982	
6. Profit on Sale/disposal of Assets					
a) Owned Assets			0	0	
b) Assets received free of cost			0	0	
7. Leave Salary & Pension Contribution			728350		
8. Grants/Donations from Institutions, Welfare Band International Organisations	odies		0	0	
9. CGHS Contribution received from retired empl	oyees		0	0	
10. Others (Penal interest+ Sale of Raddi)			84849	100289	
Total			1126477	985544	
Grand Total (A+B+C+D)			3458405	1603870	



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### **SCHEDULE 14 - PRIOR PERIOD INCOME**

Particulars	Current Year	Previous Year
1. Academic Receipts	0	0
2. Income from Investments	0	0
3. Interest earned	0	0
4. Other Income (Stall Rentals of State Level Book Fairs)	0	0
Total	0	0



### SCHEDULE 15 - STAFF PAYMENTS & BENEFITS (ESTABLISHMENT EXPENSES)

Particulars	Current Year				<b>Year</b>	
	NER	NON-NER	Total	NER	NON-NER	Total
a) Salaries and Wages	0	148375975	148375975	0	143977413	143977413
b) Pension	0	72533806	72533806	0	42259650	42259650
c) Allowances and Bonus	0	1566273	1566273	0	14490	14490
d) Contribution to Provident Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
e) Contribution to Other Fund (NPS)	0	3017826	3017826	0	3125551	3125551
f) Staff Welfare Expenses	0	832457	832457	0	1095103	1095103
g) Retirement and Terminal Benefits	0	54074191	54074191	0	25038019	25038019
h) Leave Salary and Pension Contributions Paid/Received	0	0	0	0	-603516	-603516
i) LTC facility(Leave Encashment)	0	949653	949653	0	542464	542464
j) Medical Facility	0	10776980	10776980	0	3548875	3548875
k) Children Education Allowance	0	1815288	1815288	0	1374227	1374227
l) Honorarium	0	0	0	0	0	0
m) Provision for Salary- March 2019	0	14533818	14533818	0	12998157	12998157
n) Provision for Pension - March 2019	0	5956418	5956418	0	5363868	5363868
o) Others(Training+Newspaper+ Rajbhasha)	0	486191	486191	0	530017	530017
Total	0	314918876	314918876	0	239264318	239264318





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### SCHEDULE 15 A - EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT AND TERMINAL BENEFITS

	Pension	Gratuity	Leave Encashment	Total
Opening Balance as on 01.04.2018	62060811	11283724	5692678	79037213
Addition: Capitalised value of Contributions Received from other Organisations	0	0	0	0
Total (a)	62060811	11283724	5692678	79037213
Less: Actual Payment during the year (b)	10119117	12897300	8602104	31618521
Balance Available on 31.03.2019 c(a-b)	51941694	-1613576	-2909426	47418692
Provision required on 31.03.2019 as per Actuarial Valuation (d)	78639273	14970291	7883319	101492883
A. Provision to be made in the Current year (d - c)	26697579	16583867	10792745	54074191
B. Contribution to New Pension Scheme	0	0	0	0
C. Medical Reimbursement to Retired Employees	0	0	0	0
D. Travel to Hometown on Retirement	0	0	0	0
E. Deposit Linked Insurance Payment	0	0	0	0
Total (A+B+C+D+E)	26697579	16583867	10792745	54074191





### **SCHEDULE 16 - ACADEMIC EXPENSES**

	Current Year			Previous Year		
	NER	NON-NER	Total	NER	NON-NER	Total
a) Laboratory Expenses						
b) Field work/Participation in Conferences						
c) Expenses on Seminars/Workshops						
d) Payment to visiting Faculty						
e) Examination						
f) Student Welfare Expenses						
g) Admission Expenses		NO	T APP	LICAE	BLE	
h) Convocation Expenses						
i) Publications						
j) Stipend/means-cum-merit Scholarship						
k) Subscription Expenses						
l) Others (specify)						
Total						





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### SCHEDULE 17 - ADMINISTRATIVE AND GENERAL EXPENSES

		Current Ye	ar	Previous Year			
	NER	NON-NER	Total	NER	NON- NER	Total	
A. Infrastructure							
a) Electricity and Power	0	7210548	7210548	0	6625702	6625702	
b) Water Charges	0	323029	323029	0	157914	157914	
c) Insurance	0	471579	471579	0	410978	410978	
d) Rent, Rates and Taxes (including Property Tax)	0	27576136	27576136	0	23334344	23334344	
B. Communication							
e) Postage and Stationery	0	80360	80360	0	0	0	
f) Telephone, Fax and Internet Charges	0	1563429	1563429	0	1421124	1421124	
C. Others							
g) Printing and Stationery (Consumption)	0	1408237	1408237	0	2220202	2220202	
h) Travelling and Conveyance Expenses	0	0	0	0	0	0	
i) Hospitality	0	0	0	0	0	0	
j) Auditors Remuneration	0	274210	274210	0	119510	119510	
k) Professional Charges	0	1611084	1611084	0	2270418	2270418	
l) Advertisement and Publicity	0	0	0	0	0	0	
m) Magazines & Journals	0	201087	201087	0	221298	221298	
n) Others	0	6348725	6348725	0	1621797	1621797	
Total	0	47068424	47068424	0	38403287	38403287	





### **SCHEDULE 18 - TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES**

Particulars		Current Year			Previous Ye	ar
	NER	NON-NER	Total	NER	NON-NER	Total
1. Vehicles (owned by NBT)						
a) Running Expenses	0	867854	867854	0	1644041	1644041
b) Repairs & Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0
c) Insurance Expenses	0	0	0	0	0	0
2. Vehicles taken on rent/lease		0	0		0	0
a) Rent/Lease Expenses	0	0	0	0	0	0
3. Vehicle (Taxi) Hiring Expenses	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	867854	867854	0	1644041	1644041





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### **SCHEDULE 19 - REPAIRS & MAINTENANCE**

Particulars		Current Ye	ar		Previous Y	ear
	NER	NON-NER	Total	NER	NON-NER	Total
a) Buildings						
b) Furniture & Fixtures	0	1856210	1856210	0	1769074	1769074
c) Plant & Machinery	0	0	0	0	0	0
d) Office Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0
e) Computers	0	1286050	1286050	0	346405	346405
f) Laboratory & Scientific Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0
g) Audio Visual Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0
h) Cleaning Material & Services	0	0	0	0	0	0
i) Book Binding Charges	0	0	0	0	0	0
j) Gardening	0	0	0	0	0	0
k) Estate Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0
l) Others (specify)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	3142260	3142260	0	2115479	2115479



### **SCHEDULE 20 - FINANCE COSTS**

Particulars	Cu	ırrent Year Previous Year		r		
	NER	NON-NER	Total	NER	NON-NER	Total
a) Bank Charges	0	0	0	0	0	0
b) Others	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0





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### **SCHEDULE 21 - OTHER EXPENSES**

Particulars	Current Year			Previous Year		
	NER	NON-NER	Total	NER	NON- NER	Total
a) Provision for Bad and Doubtful Debts/Advances	0	0	0	0	0	0
b) Irrecoverable Balances Written - off	0	0	0	0	0	0
c) Grants/Subsidies to other Institutions/Organisations	45520	0	45520	1160321	0	1160321
d) Loss on Sale of Fixed Assets	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	45520	0	45520	1160321	0	1160321





### **SCHEDULE 22: PRIOR PERIOD EXPENSES**

Particulars	Current Year		P	revious Year		
	NER	NON- NER	Total	NER	NON-NER	Total
1. Establishment Expenses	0	0	0	0	0	0
2. Academic Expenses	0	0	0	0	0	0
3. Administrative Expenses	0	0	0	0	0	0
4. Transportation Expenses	0	0	0	0	0	0
5. Repairs & Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0
6. Other Expenses - New Delhi World Book Fair, 2018	135906174	0	135906174	31243204	0	31243204
Total	135906174	0	135906174	31243204	0	31243204





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### SCHEDULE 23 - INCOME FROM SALES/SERVICES

Income from Sales/Services	Current Year		Previo	ous Year
1. Income from Sales				
Sale of Finished Goods				
a) Cash Sales	54295292		47857519	
b) Credit Sales	182259114		70221627	
Total		236554406		118079146
Less: Sale Return/Overriding Discount		0		0
Total		236554406		118079146





### SCHEDULE 24 - INCOME FROM WORLD BOOK FAIR

Income from New Delhi World Book Fair	Current Year	Previous Year
1. Rent of Stall/Stand	83456758	84711531
2. Sale of Fair Directory	123470	157250
3. Others	1601798	3728290
Total	85182026	88597071





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### SCHEDULE 25 - INCREASE IN STOCK OF FINISHED GOODS

Increase in Stock of Finished Goods	Current Year	Previous Year
a) Closing Stock		
Finished Goods	168888982	156785229
b) Opening Stock		
Finished Goods	156785229	142188106
INCREASE/ (a - b)	12103753	14597123





### SCHEDULE 26 - STALL RENTALS - STATE LEVEL BOOK FAIRS

Stall Rentals - State Level Book Fairs					
	Current Year	Previous Year			
1) Normal Promotional Activities	7230717	3647442			
2) Development Projects-North Eastern Region	322451	0			
3) Special Component Plan for Welfare of					
Scheduled Castes	495000	2988320			
4) Scheduled Tribes	356983	20000			
Total	8405151	6655762			





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### SCHEDULE 27 - TRAINING COURSES IN BOOK PUBLISHING

Training Courses in Book Publishing					
	Current Y	ear	Previou	ıs Year	
Course Fee	693760			396535	
Total		693760		396535	





### **SCHEDULE 28 - SALES PROMOTION MEASURES**

Sales Promotion Measures				
	Current Year	<b>Previous Year</b>		
Book Club Membership Fee	326421	449760		
Total	326421	449760		





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### SCHEDULE 29 - EXPENDITURE FOR WORLD BOOK FAIR, 2019

Expenditure for New Delhi World Book Fair, 2019	Current Year		<b>Previous Year</b>
1. License Fee to ITPO	119981418		0
2. Construction of Stalls	7517826		11422038
3. Electrification & Installation of PA System	9000		0
4. Packing & Forwarding	0		0
5. Contractual Staff & Guides	1059759		4234513
6. Hiring of Vehicles/Conveyance	518639		2161695
7. TA/DA	734508		1734178
8. Stationery	1943029		315699
9. Refreshment	1844011		1354345
10. Publicity	32995890		13678130
11. Kit Bag & Memento	204664		1424845
12. Telephone	227395		281149
12. Postage	0		323399
13 Printing of Folders & Catalogue	541920		628801
14. Hospitality	0		0
15. Thematic Display Board	0		0
16. Floral Decoration	126236		191745
17. Inaugural Function	32281		12800
18. Insurance	115813		105026
19. Hiring of IT Equipment	0		169921
20. Hiring of Fire Fighting Equipment	0		521320
21. Literary Programmes	19000		345762
22. Uniform	32715		50416
23. Honorarium	239300		0
24. Miscellaneous	0		0
Total		168143404	38955782





### SCHEDULE 30 - EXPENDITURE ON PUBLISHING ACTIVITIES

<b>Expenditure on Publishing Activities</b>	Cur	Current Year		ous Year
a) Cost of Paper consumed				
- Opening Balance	315257		1684753	
- Add Purchased	0		0	
	315257		1684753	
- Less: Closing Stock	0	315257	315257	1369496
b) Printing Charges & Others		107616164		56290658
c) Editorial Expenses		2104026		1566667
d) Advertisement & Publicity		280324		17222379
e) Royalty		9176759		7685011
f) Chemical Testing		37030		34520
g) Packing & Forwarding		1796070		0
h) PPC Meeting		15000		12900
i) Provision for Printers' Bills 2018-19		23627845		10321578
j) Creditors for the year 2018-19		4855421		3480271
k) Royalty Payable for the year 2018-19		0		0
l) Provision for previous year bills		-3480271		-1996826
m) Creditors for previous year		-10321578		-678536
Total		136022047		95308119





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### **SCHEDULE 31 - STORAGE & DISTRIBUTION EXPENSES**

Storage & Distribution Expenses	Current Year	Previous Year
a) Handling charges	2253758	3003370
b) Packing & forwarding	9347965	6706247
Total	11601723	9709617





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### **SCHEDULE 32 - PROMOTIONAL EXPENSES**

### **Amount in Rupees**

Promotional Expenses	Curre	nt Year	Prev	ious Year
A. NON-NER				
a) Regional Offices	33727838		24150289	
b) Normal Promotional Activities	26580360		44928260	
c) Sales Promotion Measures	24652899		21532740	
d) National Centre for Children's Literature	1459703		2192340	
e) Organising of Short-Term Training Courses in Publishing	1558018		1122492	
f) Promotion of Indian Books Abroad	8882445		6691636	
g) Moderanisation of Office Building	0		250633	
h) Subsidy	0		0	
i) Punjabi Language Project	0		0	
<ul><li>j) Special Component Programme for welfare of SC</li></ul>	10639145		32782272	
k) Tribal Level Activities	6962607		13143970	
l) Research & Innovation Cell	201695	114664710	2432513	149227145
B. NER		21485855		17538241
Total		136150565		166765386



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SCHEDULE – 33
SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### 1. BASIS FOR PREPARATION OF ACCOUNTS

The Accounts are prepared under the Historical Cost Convention unless otherwise stated and generally on the Accrual method of Accounting.

### 2. REVENUE RECOGNITION

- 2.1 Interest on Savings Bank Account is accounted on cash basis.
- 2.2 Income from Land, Building and other property and Interest on Investments are accounted on accrual basis.
- 2.3 Interest on Interest Bearing Advances to staff for House Building, Purchase of Vehicles and Computers is accounted on accrual basis every year, though the actual recovery of interest starts after the full repayment of the Principal.
- 2.4 Revenue from sale of books is recognized only when the books have been dispatched from NBT Godowns and the purchaser has become legally liable to pay.

### 3. FIXED ASSETS AND DEPRECIATION

- 3.1 Fixed assets are stated at cost of acquisition including inward freight, duties and taxes and incidental and direct expenses related to acquisition, installation and commissioning.
- 3.2 Gifted/Donated assets are valued at the declared value where available; if not available, the value is estimated based on the present market value adjusted with reference to the physical condition of the asset. They are set-up by credit to Capital Fund and merged with the Fixed Assets of the Institution. Depreciation is charged at the rates applicable to the respective assets.
- 3.3 Books received as gifts, are valued at selling prices printed on the books. Where



they are not printed, the value is based on assessment.

3.4 Fixed Assets are valued at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation on Fixed Assets is provided on Straight Line Method, at the following rates:

### **Tangible Assets**

1.	Land	0%
2.	Site Development	0%
3.	Buildings	2%
4.	Roads & Bridges	2%
5.	Tube Wells & Water Supply	2%
6.	Sewerage & Drainage	2%
7.	Electrical Installation and Equipment	5%
8.	Plant & Machinery	5%
9.	Scientific & Laboratory Equipment	7.5%
10.	Office Equipment	7.5%
11.	Audio Visual Equipment	7.5%
12.	Computers & Peripherals	20%
13.	Furniture, Fixtures & Fittings	7.5%
14.	Vehicles	10%
15.	Library Books & Scientific Journals	10%
Inta	angible Assets (amortization)	
1.	E-Journals	40%
2.	Computer Software	40%
3.	Patents and Copyrights	10 years

- 3.5 Depreciation is provided for the whole year on additions and deletions during the year.
- 3.6 Where an Asset is fully depreciated, it will be carried at a residual value of Re.1 in the Balance Sheet and will not be further depreciated. Thereafter, depreciation is calculated on the additions of each year separately at the rate of depreciation applicable for that Asset head and where an Asset value is negative after depreciation then 5% on value of closing balance of such Assets and same amount shown in assets value.

3.7 Assets, the individual value of each of which is Rs.5,000.00 or less (except Library Books) have been treated as Small Value Assets, 100% depreciation has been provided in respect of such Assets at the time of their acquisition. However, physical accounting and control are continued by the holders of such assets.

### 4. Intangible Assets

Patents and copyrights, E-Journals and Computer Software are grouped under Intangible Assets.

- 4.1 Electronic Journals (E-Journals) are separated from Library Books in view of the limited benefit that could be derived from the on-line access provided. E-journals are not in a tangible form, but temporarily capitalized and in view of the magnitude of expenditure and the benefit derived in terms of perpetual knowledge acquired by the Academic and Research Staff; Depreciation is provided in respect of E-journals at a higher rate of 40% as against depreciation of 10% provided in respect of Library Books.
- 4.2 Expenditure on acquisition of software has been separated from computers and peripherals, as apart from being intangible assets, the rate of obsolescence in respect of these is very high. Depreciation is provided in respect of software at a higher rate of 40% as against depreciation of 20% provided in respect of Computers & Peripherals.

### 5. STOCKS

Expenditure on purchase of chemicals, glassware, publications and other stores is accounted as revenue expenditure, except that the value of closing stocks held on 31<sup>st</sup> March is set up as inventories by reducing the corresponding Revenue Expenditure on the basis of information obtained from Departments. They are valued at cost.

### **6. RETIREMENT BENEFITS**

Retirement Benefits i.e. Pension, Gratuity and Leave Encashment are provided on the basis of Actuarial Valuation. Capitalized Value of Pension and Gratuity received from previous employers of the Institution's employees, who have been absorbed in



the Institution, is credited to the respective Provision Accounts. Pension contribution received in respect of employees on deputation is also credited to the Provision for Pension Account. The Actual payments of Pension, Gratuity and Leave Encashment are debited in the Accounts to the respective provisions. Other Retirement Benefits viz. Deposit Linked Insurance, Contribution to New Pension Scheme, Medical Reimbursement to retired employees and Travel to Home Town on retirement are accounted on accrual basis (actual payments plus outstanding bills at the end of the year).

### 7. INVESTMENTS

Long term Investments are carried at their cost or face value whichever is lower. However, any permanent diminution in their value as on the date of the Balance Sheet is provided for.

Short term Investments are carried at their cost or market value (if quoted) whichever is lower.

### 8. EARMARKED/ENDOWMENT FUNDS

The balance in the respective funds is carried forward and is represented on the Assets side by the Balance at Bank, Investments and Accrued Interest.

### 9. CORPUS FUND

Corpus Fund was established in the year 2009-10. Income from investments of the fund is added to the Fund. The Corpus Fund may be utilized for Revenue expenditure. The balance in the Corpus Fund which is carried forward is represented by Investment in Fixed Deposits with the Bank and Accrued Interest on Investments.

### **10. GOVERNMENT GRANTS**

10.1 Government Grants are accounted on realization basis. However, where a sanction for release of grant pertaining to the financial year is received before 31st March and the grant is actually received in the next financial year, the grant is accounted on accrual basis and an equal amount is shown as recoverable from the Grantor.

- 10.2 To the extent utilized towards capital expenditure, (on accrual basis) Government Grants are transferred to the Capital Fund.
- 10.3 Government and UGC Grants for meeting Revenue Expenditure (on accrual basis) are treated, to the extent utilized, as income of the year in which they are realized.
- 10.4 Unutilised Grants (including advances paid out of such grants) are carried forward and exhibited as a liability in the Balance Sheet.

### 11. INVESTMENT OF EARMRKED FUNDS AND INTEREST INCOME ACCRUED ON SUCH INVESTMENTS

To the extent not immediately required for expenditure, the amounts available against such funds are invested in approved Securities & Bonds or deposited for fixed term with Banks, leaving the balance in Savings Bank Accounts.

Interest received, Interest accrued and due and Interest accrued but not due on such Investments are added to the respective funds and not treated as income of the Institution.

### 12. INVENTORY VALUATION

Raw material and finished goods are valued at lower of cost and net realizable value.

### 13. ACCOUNTING FOR SALES

Sales are net of Sales Returns, Rebate and Trade Discount.

### 14. ACCOUNTING FOR ROYALTY PAYMENTS

The Trust publishes books in various languages and under various series. As per the approved policy of Royalty, the Trust pays 50% of the total Royalty due to the Author immediately on publication of a title. This payment is treated as an Advance Royalty and is adjusted against the Royalty accruing annually to the Author against sale in the subsequent years. After this advance is fully adjusted against Sales Royalty, the balance 50% Royalty is released based on the annual quantum of sale of the title.

### 15. INCOME TAX

The income of NBT is exempt from Income Tax under Section 10(23c) of the Income Tax Act. No provision for tax is therefore made in the Accounts.

### NATIONAL BOOK TRUST, INDIA

NEHRU BHAWAN 5, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, PHASE-II VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070 SCHEDULE – 34

### CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND NOTES TO ACCOUNTS

### 1. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

- 1.1 As on 31.3.2019, 12 (twelve) Court Cases filed against the Institution by former/present employees, tenants and contractors and arbitration cases with contractors, were pending for decisions. The suits filed by employees were establishment related viz. promotions, increments, pay scales, termination etc. the quantum of the claims is not ascertainable. The claim in the suits and arbitration cases by contractors amounted to Rs.0 lac (Previous Year Rs.0 lac).
- 1.2 Letters of Credit established by the Bank on behalf of the Institution and outstanding on 31.3.2019 Rs.0 (Previous Year Rs.0).
- 1.3 Disputed demands in respect of Sales Tax Re.0 (Previous Year Re.0).
  Municipal Taxes Re.0 (Previous Year Re.0).

### 2. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

The value of contracts remaining to be executed on Capital Account and not provided for (Net of Advances) amounted to Rs.60,95,187.00 as on 31.3.2019 (Previous Year Rs.60,95,187.00).

### 3. FIXED ASSETS

3.1 Additions in the year to Fixed Assets in Schedule 4 include Assets purchased out of Non-NER funds (Rs.38,85,906.30, NER funds Rs.1,10,650.00, A.D. Fund (Rs.NIL), Sponsored Projects (Rs.NIL) and Library Books of the value of Rs.0.00 gifted to the Institution. The Assets have been set up by credit to Capital Fund.

### 4. DEPOSIT LIABILITIES

The amount outstanding as Earnest Money Deposit & Security Deposits of Rs. NIL towards unclaimed deposits, prior to the Financial Year 2014-15 was transferred to Revenue Account and accounted as Miscellaneous Income for the year 2014-15.

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a. Travel Rs. 88.82.00 Lakhs

b. Foreign Drafts for import of chemicals etc. Rs. NIL

c. Others Rs. NIL

### 6. CURRENT ASSETS, LOANS, ADVANCES AND DEPOSITS

- i) In the opinion of the Management, the Current Assets, Loans, Advances and Deposits have a value on realization in the ordinary course, equal at least to the aggregate amount shown in the Balance Sheet.
- ii) As shown under item 1c(ii) in Schedule-7, Stock of Books valued at Rs.35,10,500.00 is in the custody of Brihan Mumbai Municipal Corporation under litigation. The matter is sub-judice as on 31.03.2019.
- 7. The details of balances in Saving Bank Accounts and Fixed Deposit Accounts with Banks are enclosed as attachment 'A' to the Schedule of Current Assets.
- 8. Previous year's figures have been regrouped, rearranged wherever necessary.
- 9. Figures in the Final Accounts have been rounded off to the nearest rupee.
- 10. Schedules 1 to 34 are annexed to and form an integral part of the Balance Sheet at 31 March 2019 and the Income & Expenditure Account for the year ended on that date.
- 11. As the Provident Fund Accounts and the New Pension Scheme Account are owned by the members of those funds and not by the Institution, these Accounts were separated from the Institution's Accounts from 2014-15. A Receipts & Payments Account, an Income & Expenditure Account (on Accrual basis) and a Balance Sheet of the Provident Fund Accounts for the year 2018-19 have been attached to the Institution's Accounts. A large portion of the New Pension Scheme Funds (Rs.2.52 crore) in respect of 63 employees who have been allotted PRA numbers has been transferred up to 2018-19 to National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) Central Record Keeping Agency (CRA). The balance held in New Pension Scheme in the Institution in respect of about NIL members will be transferred in Not Applicable once the PRA numbers are allotted by the agency.

# NATIONAL BOOK TRUST, INDIA NEHRU BHAWAN 5, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, PHASE-II VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070 DETAILS OF GRANTS RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR 2018-19 AND UNSPENT BALANCE AS ON 31.3.2019

Head	Opening Balance	Grants received during the year	Total Grants	Revenue Expenses	Capital Expenses	Total Expenses	Shortfall met from own Receipts	Unspent Balance as on 31.3.2019
1	2	3	4	5	9	2	8	6
Non-NER (Salary)	5850340	212100000	217950340 172210428	172210428	0	172210428	0	45739912
Non-NER (Activity)	78671457	27000000	348671457	650954471	0	650954471	302283014	0
Non-NER (Capital)	202892	000006	1102892	0	3885906	3885906	2783014	0
NER (Salary)	1081294	13900000	14981294	5792355	0	5792355	0	9188939
NER (Activity)	5600724	16000000	21600724	15693500	0	15693500	0	5907224
NER (Capital)	31000	100000	131000	0	110650	110650	0	20350
Total	91437707	513000000	604437707	844650754	3996556	848647310	305066028	60856425



### NATIONAL BOOK TRUST, INDIA

### NEHRU BHAWAN 5, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, PHASE-II VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070 GENERAL PROVIDENT FUND ACCOUNT RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNTS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2018-19

### Amount in Rupees

Receipts	Schedule	Amount	Payments	Schedule	Amount
Opening Balance as on 01.04.2018			GPF Advances		570000.00
State Bank of India		878776.08	Withdrawals/Final Payments		30838582.00
Canara Bank		12918284.00			
			Investment during the year	E	5017760.00
GPF Subscription	A	22773483.00	Bank Charges		567.00
Refund of Advances	В	234808.00	Closing Balance:		
Investment Encashed	С	0.00	State Bank of India		1039858.86
Interest Received	D	6706186.78	Canara Bank		6044770.00
Total		43511537.86			43511537.86

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### NEHRU BHAWAN 5, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, PHASE-II VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070 GENERAL PROVIDENT FUND ACCOUNT

### INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2019

### **Amount in Rupees**

Amount	Expenditure		Amount	Income	
31-Mar-18			31-Mar-18		
	Interest Credited to		6441542.95	Interest Earned on Investment	6706186.78
7537795.00	GPF Account	7747575.00	1304289.00	Add: Interest accrued on 03/19	1233730.60
	Less: Interest accrued but not	-47912.00		Add: Tax recovered on Interest -	
0.00	to be paid to Mr. G Ravi		0.00	Refund to be obtained	0.00
1046.00	Bank Charges	567.00	-1037306.47	Less: Interest accrued for March 2018	-1304289.00
0.00	Excess of Income Over Expenditure	0.00	830315.52	Excess of Expenditure over Income	1064601.62
7538841.00	Total	7700230.00	7538841.00	Total	7700230.00

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### NATIONAL BOOK TRUST, INDIA

NEHRU BHAWAN 5, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, PHASE-II VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070 GENERAL PROVIDENT FUND ACCOUNT

### **SCHEDULE 'A'**

SUBSCRIPTION	
From pay bills	22478483.00
Sunita Narotra	15000.00
Mohd. Shams Iqbal	50000.00
Manas Ranjan Mahapatra	230000.00
Total	22773483.00
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SCHEDULE 'B'	
REFUND OF ADVANCES	
From pay bills	234808.00
Total	234808.00
SCHEDULE 'C'	
GENERAL PROVIDENT FUND ACC	COUNT
ENCASHMENT OF INVESTMEN	ITS
CANARA BANK	0.00
Total	0.00
SCHEDULE 'D'	
GENERAL PROVIDENT FUND ACC	COUNT
INTEREST	
Industrial Development Bank of India (IDBI)	101250.00
Canara Bank Saving Account	483266.00
Canara Bank FDs	5017760.00
State Bank of India	34789.00
CAN Bank Mutual Funds	25043.78
Canara Bank (Special Deposit Scheme)	1044078.00
(Rs.119179.00 + Rs.924899.00)	
Total	6706186.78





		S	CHEDULE 'F'		
	DE	TAILS OF IN	VESTMENTS AS O	N 31.3.2019	
	Opening Balance as on	1.4.2018	Additions during the year	Encashments during the year	Closing Balance as on 31.3.2019
1	Canara Bank (SDS)	13558021.00			13558021.00
2	Canara Bank	73260739.00	5017760.00	0.00	78278499.00
3	Can Bank Mutual Fund	129000.00			129000.00
4	IDBI Bonds	1500000.00			1500000.00
Tot	al	88447760.00	5017760.00	0.00	93465520.00



# NATIONAL BOOK TRUST, INDIA NEHRU BHAWAN 5, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, PHASE-II VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070 CENEPAI PROVIDENT FIIND ACCOUNT

### DETAILS OF INTEREST ACCRUED ON GPF INVESTMENTS AS ON 31/03/2019 GENERAL PROVIDENT FUND ACCOUNT

S. No.	Particulars	FD No.	Invested Amount	Account Number	Period	No. of Days	Rate of Interest	Accrued
1	IDBI		1,500,000.00		28/05/2004 to 24/04/2019			95,702.00
2	CANARA BANK (SDS)		1,547,617.00		21/01/1995 to UNLIMITED			33,581.00
3	CANARA BANK (SDS)		12,010,404.00		04/08/1976 to UNLIMITED			260,609.00
4	CANARA BANK	550662	10,727,787.00	3159401000245/9	28/03/2019 to 31/03/2019	3	%06'9	6,258.00
2	CANARA BANK	550663	6,037,899.00	3159401000104/34	29/03/2019 to 31/03/2019	2	%06'9	2,348.00
9	CANARA BANK	550664	7,116,366.00	3159401000104/35	29/03/2019 to 31/03/2019	2	%06'9	2,767.00
7	CANARA BANK	550665	6,037,899.00	3159401000104/36	29/03/2019 to 31/03/2019	2	%06.9	2,348.00
8	CANARA BANK	550666	7,116,366.00	3159401000104/37	29/03/2019 to 31/03/2019	2	%06.9	2,767.00
6	CANARA BANK	250667	6,037,899.00	3159401000104/38	29/03/2019 to 31/03/2019	2	%06'9	2,348.00
10	CANARA BANK	250668	6,037,899.00	3159401000104/39	29/03/2019 to 31/03/2019	2	%06'9	2,348.00
11	CANARA BANK	699055	7,116,366.00	3159401000104/40	29/03/2019 to 31/03/2019	2	%06'9	2,767.00
12	CANARA BANK	550670	7,116,366.00	3159401000104/41	29/03/2019 to 31/03/2019	2	%06'9	2,767.00
13	CANARA BANK	550644	6,819,924.00	3159401000454/2	21/03/2019 to 31/03/2019	10	%05.7	13,261.00
14	CANARA BANK	550406	8,113,728.00	3159401000463/2	24/05/2018 to 31/03/2019		%59.7	458,897.00
15	CANBANK MU- TUAL FUND		129,000.00		04/05/1995			344,962.60
Grai	Grand Total		93,465,520.00					1,233,730.60

## NATIONAL BOOK TRUST, INDIA NEHRU BHAWAN 5, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, PHASE-II VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070 GENERAL PROVIDENT FUND ACCOUNT

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 2019

Amount in Rupees

Amount	LIABILITIES	tunom A	1111	Amount	ACETC	γmγ	A mount
monne		OIIIV	unt	Amount	CITCON	IIIV	ount
31-Mar-18		31-Mar-19	ır-19	31-Mar-18		31-M	31-Mar-19
98341214.43	Opening Balance		104535079.43	88447760.00	Investment		93465520.00
0.00	Less:		-2559229.43	1304289.00	Interest ac-		1233730.60
	Adjustment of				crued as on		
	Previous Year				31/03/2019		
-1434684.00	Less:		-1805545.00	1805545.00	Subscription		1881555.00
	Subscription				Due for March		
	for March				2019		
	2018						
18613095.00	Add:		22773483.00	-1434684.00	Less: Sub-		-1805545.00
	Subscriptions				scription for		
	in the year				March 2018		
1805545.00	Add:		1881555.00	-89742.00	Add: Previous		281119.00
	Subscription				year subscrip-		
	for March				tion		
	2019						
7537795.00	Add: Interest		7747575.00		GPF Advances		
	Credited				Recoverable		



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	102613949.46	Total	106527206.51		102613949.46	Total	106527206.51 Total
	/084628.86	Closing bai- ance			92/323.40	Closing Balance	
						Over miconne	
						Expenditure	
6044770.00		Canara Bank	12918284.00	-1064601.62		Less: Excess of	-830315.52
		of India				Balance	
1039858.86		State Bank	878776.08	1992127.08		Opening	2822442.60
						Reserve	
		Cash at Bank				Interest	
					101686424.00		
						subscription	
	95529320.60			0.00		Less: Old	0.00
		previous years				Withdrawal	
		Adjustment of				Advance/	
-13113.00		iii. Less:	-13113.00	-30838582.00		Less:	-20327886.00
		years					
		of previous					
0.00		2559229.43 ii. Adjustment	2559229.43	-47912.00		to Mr. G.Ravi	0.00
						not to be paid	
		rent Year				accrued but	
486054.00		150862.00 i. For the Cur-	150862.00			Less: Interest	

(DR. RITA CHOWDHURY)

(RAKESH KUMAR) DEPUTY DIRECTOR

(SHYAM LAL KORI) ACCOUNTS OFFICER

DIRECTOR

Prepared By SUNITA MADAN (ACCOUNTANT)

Place: NEW DELHI Date: 17 May, 2019





### NEHRU BHAWAN 5, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, PHASE-II VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070 NEW PENSION SCHEME ACCOUNT BALANCE SHEET FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2018-19

### **Amount in Rupees**

LIABILITIES		Amount	ASSETS		Amount
Shashi Bala	460700.00		Investment		
Rinki	246510.00		Shashi Bala	491383.00	
		707210.00	Rinki	246510.00	
					737893.00
NPS Corpus Fund		55186.00	Interest		
			Accrued		
				13071.00	
				11432.00	
					24503.00
Total		762396.00			762396.00

(SHYAM LAL KORI) ACCOUNTS OFFICER (RAKESH KUMAR)
DEPUTY DIRECTOR

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### NATIONAL BOOK TRUST, INDIA

NEHRU BHAWAN 5, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, PHASE-II VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070

### FINAL SEPARATE AUDIT REPORT OF THE COMPTROLLER AND AUDITOR GENERAL OF INDIA ON THE ACCOUNTS OF THE NATIONAL BOOK TRUST FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2019 AND REPLIES OF NBT THEREON

S. No.	Audit Observations	Replies of NBT
1.	INTRODUCTION: We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of the National Book Trust (NBT) as at 31 March 2019, the Income & Expenditure Account and Receipts & Payments Account for the year ended on that date under Section 20(1) of the Comptroller and Auditor General's (Duties, Powers & Conditions of Service) Act, 1971. The audit has been entrusted for the period upto 2022-23. These financial statements include the accounts of four regional offices of the NBT. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Trust's Management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.	Statement of fact, needs no comments from NBT.
2.	This Separate Audit Report contains the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India (CAG) on the accounting treatment only with regard to classification, conformity with the best accounting practices, accounting standards and disclosure norms, etc. Audit observations on financial transactions with regard to compliance with the Law, Rules & Regulations (Propriety and Regularity) and efficiency-cumperformance aspects, etc., if any are reported through Inspection Reports/CAG's Audit Reports separately.	
3.	We have conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in India. These standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material mis-statements. An audit includes examining on a test basis, evidences supporting the amounts and disclosure in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management as well as evaluating the overall presentation of financial statements. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.	



4.	Based on our audit, we report that:	
i.	We have obtained all the information and explanations, which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of our audit.	
ii.	The Balance Sheet, Income & Expenditure Account and Receipts & Payments Account dealt with by this report have been drawn up in the format prescribed by the Ministry of Human Resource Development except as stated in the report.	Statement of fact, needs no comments from NBT.
iii.	In our opinion, proper books of accounts and other relevant records have been maintained by the National Book Trust in so far as it appears from our examination of such books.	Statement of fact, needs no comments from NBT.
iv.	We further report that:	
A. A.1 A.1.1	Balance Sheet Liabilities Current Liabilities & Provisions (Schedule 3) - Rs.33.15 crore The above does not include liabilities for expenses amounting to Rs.71.63 lakh pertaining to the year 2018-19 but not paid resulting in understatement of Current Liabilities & Provisions and overstatement of Capital Fund by Rs.71.63 lakh.	will be rectified in the next
В.	Grants-in-aid During the year 2018-19, National Book Trust received grants-in aid of Rs.51.30 crore (Non-NER: Rs.48.30 crore and NER: Rs.3.00 crore) from the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of Higher Education. It also generated its own income, utilised to meet excess expenditure of Rs.30.51 crore (Non-NER). The trust had an unspent balance of Rs.9.14 crore (Non-NER: Rs.847.25 lakh and NER: Rs.67.13 lakh) of the previous year also. It utilized Rs. 84.86 crore (Non-NER: Rs.82.71 crore and NER: Rs.2.15 crore) leaving an unspent balance of Rs.6.09 crore (Non-NER Rs.4.57 crore and NER Rs.1.51 crore) as on 31.03.2019.  NBT also received grants of Rs.1.20 crore from the Ministry of External Affairs during 2015-16 for translation work of 25 contemporary Chinese Books to Hindi. Out of this grant NBT had an unspent balance of Rs.48.26 lakh as on 1/4/2018. It also received Rs.1.70 lakh as bank interest during the year. Out of total available funds of Rs.49.96 lakh as on 01.04.2018 it utilized Rs.4.08 lakh leaving an unspent balance of Rs.45.88 lakh as on 31.03.2019.	Statement of fact, needs no comments from NBT.



C.	Management Letter: Deficiencies which have not been included in the Audit Report have been brought to the notice of the Chairman, NBT through a management letter issued separately for remedial/corrective action.	Statement of fact, needs no comments from NBT.
v.	Subject to our observation in the preceding paragraphs, we report that the Balance Sheet, Income and Expenditure Account and Receipts and Payments Account dealt with by this report are in agreement with the books of accounts.	
vi.	In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanation given to us, the said financial statements, read together with the Accounting Policies and Notes on Accounts, and subject to the significant matters stated above and other matters mentioned in Annexure to this Audit Report, give a true and fair view in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in India:	
a.	In so far as they relate to the Balance sheet of the state of affairs of the National Book Trust as at 31 March 2019 and In so far as they relate to the Income and Expenditure Account	Statement of fact, needs no comments from NBT.
b.	of the deficit for the year ended on that date.	comments from NBT.

Date: 31 October, 2019

Place: NEW DELHI

Director General of Audit
(Central Expenditure)





NEHRU BHAWAN 5, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, PHASE-II VASANT KUNJ, NEW DELHI-110070

### ANNEXURE TO SEPARATE AUDIT REPORT OF NATIONAL BOOK TRUST FOR THE YEAR ENDED ON 31.3.2019

S.No.	Audit Observations	Replies of NBT
1. Adequacy of internal audit system	No separate internal audit cell has been set up by NBT. However, internal audit of Regional Offices is conducted by a team/deputed from NBT Hqrs. For the year 2018-19 internal audit of three Regional offices viz. Western Regional Office, Southern Regional Office and Eastern Regional Office was planned but audit was not done.	Internal Audit of two out of three Regional Offices of NBT at Mumbai and Bangalore for the Financial Year 2018-19 has been completed after the 2018-19 Certification Audit by the C&AG Audit Team. The Internal Audit work could not be taken up earlier due to pre-occupation of personnel with annual closing of Accounts, compilation of Annual Accounts and thereafter with Audit of Accounts by the C&AG team. Internal Audit of Eastern Regional Office at Kolkata will also be taken up shortly. The Audit Team deputed for Internal Audit of Regional Offices is treated as the Internal Audit cell. This is also to inform that engagement of a C&AG empanelled firm of Chartered Accountants to conduct Internal Audit from the current Financial Year 2019-20 has been approved by the Competent Authority of NBT.
	The internal audit of NBT Hqrs. and Northern Regional Office is being conducted by Pr. AO of MHRD. However, the internal audit by Pr. AO of MHRD has been conducted for the period 2007-08 to 2011-12 only.	The Internal Audit has to be planned by the Pr. AO of MHRD. NBT cannot intervene in this matter.  Hence, the above observations may please be dropped.

2. Adequacy of internal control system	The internal control system of NBT is inadequate as:  Internal Audit of NBT Hqrs. and all four Regional Offices was not conducted.	Already replied under S.No.1 above.
	• 44 external audit paras were outstanding as on 31.03.2019.	Two Audit committees have been constituted vide Office Order No.550/2019 dated 16.07.2019 to monitor settlement of Audit Paras. Action to compile replies with key documents will be completed during the current Financial Year. Therefore, this para may please be dropped.
	• NBT provides grant-in-aid to various NGOs for holding book fairs, seminars etc. The Utilisation Certificates for grants amounting to Rs.12.84 lakh (2015-16: Rs.7.17 lakh and 2016-17: Rs.5.68 lakh) were outstanding as on March 2019. This was pointed out in last year SAR but no action has been taken so far.	Utilisation Certificates to the tune of Rs.2.87 lakh have been obtained. Further follow-up with the concerned organizations is being made for submission of pending Utilisation Certificates.
	<ul> <li>Advances of Rs.33.47 lakh were outstanding since 2011-12.</li> <li>Outstanding debtors of Rs.98.99 lakh pertaining to the year prior to</li> </ul>	The matter is being persued.  Action to recover the realizable amounts and to write off the irrecoverable Debts is
2 0 1	2010.	being taken in phases.
3. System of physical verification of fixed assets	Physical Verification of fixed assets has been conducted upto 2018-19.	Statement of fact, needs no comments from NBT.
4. System of physical verification of inventory	Physical Verification of inventory such as stationery and consumables has been conducted upto 2018-19 except Books & Publications.	Statement of fact. Approval to defer Physical Verification of Books and Publications was provided during the course of Audit.
5. Regularity in payment of statutory dues	As per accounts, no payment over six months in respect of statutory dues was outstanding as on 31.03.2019.	Statement of fact, needs no comments from NBT.





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