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Office of the Development Commissioner (Handicrafts)

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: List of selected artisans for Shilp Guru Award, National Award, Design Innovation Award & Startup Venture Award for the year 2025 in Handicrafts sector.

The undersigned is directed to upload the list of selected Shilp Guru Awardees, National Awardees, Design Innovation Awardee & Start-up Venture Awardee for the year 2025 in the Handicraft Sector, as finalized by the Central Level Selection Committee vide meeting held on 18th July 2026.

Encl : as above

Akhilesh Kumar Maurya
Assistant Director (Welfare)

To,

All concerned Awardees

Copy to,

1. The Assistant Director (IT Section) for uploading on official website & MIS portal.
2. The Assistant Director (Hindi) for Hindi version

FINAL LIST OF SHILP GURU AWARDEES FOR THE YEAR 2025

S. NO.	NAME OF AWARDEE	CRAFT	ADDRESS	STATE	HSC
1	JHUNU DUTTA	LEAF, REED & RATTAN CRAFT	VILLAGE BOROR, P.O. ANTILA, P.S. BAGNAN, DISTRICT HOWRAH – 711312	WEST BENGAL	KOLKATA
2	MAHANMA DEVI	MADHUBANI PAINTING – GODNA STYLE	VILLAGE & POST – JITWARPUR, DISTRICT MADHUBANI	BIHAR	MADHUBANI
3	BANOO RAM BAID	BASTAR DHOKRA (BELL METAL)	VILLAGE BARKAI, POST BARKAI, BLOCK MAKDI, DISTRICT KONDAGAON	CHHATTISGARH	JAGDALPUR
4	A. PRATHAP	COCONUT HUSK CRAFT	SREEPADAM, AMBALATHARA, POONTHURA, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM	KERALA	TRIVANDRUM
5	JALALUDDIN	BONE CARVING	456/556, SAJJAD BAGH COLONY-2, DAULATGANJ, LUCKNOW	UTTAR PRADESH	LUCKNOW
6	BHUVNESH PRASAD	TERRACOTTA & POTTERY WORKS	A-44, INDRA PARK, UTTAM NAGAR, WEST DELHI – 110059	DELHI	DELHI

FINAL LIST OF NATIONAL AWARDEES FOR THE YEAR 2025

S. NO	CATEGORY	NAME OF AWARDEE	CRAFT	ADDRESS	STATE	HSC
1	METAL WARE	PRADEEP KUMAR MAHARANA	BELLAGUNTHA FLEXIBLE BRASS FISH CRAFT	JAGANNATH PATANA SAHI, BELLAGUNTHA, GANJAM	ODISHA	BHUBNESHWAR
2	WOOD WORK	PIYAS PRATIM SARKAR	MURSHIDABAD MINIATURE WOOD CARVING	14, GURUDAYAL MITRA LANE, KHAGRA, BERHAMPORE, MURSHIDABAD	WEST BENGAL	BURDWAN
3	CANE & BAMBOO AND OTHER FOREST-BASED PRODUCTS	KRISHNAPRASAD	KERALA MURAL PAINTING	KOTTILINGALPARAMBIL HOUSE, POOTHADI P.O., KENICHIRA, WAYANAD	KERALA	THRISSUR
4	STONEWARE	OINAM ASHOK MEITEI	NINGTHOUKHONG STONE CRAFT	TOUPOKPI MANING LEIKAI, BISHNUPUR DISTRICT	MANIPUR	IMPHAL
5	POTTERY, CERAMICS, AND TERRACOTTA	AMAR LADU SHET	TERRACOTTA & POTTERY WORKS	H. NO. 382, KUMBHARWADA, MAYEM, BICHOLIM, NORTH GOA – 403504	GOA	PANAJI
6	PAINTING	PEMA WANGYAL BHUTIA	THANGKA PAINTING	BURTUK, GANGTOK	SIKKIM	GANGTOK
7	JEWELLERY AND SEMI-PRECIOUS GEMSTONES	SANJAY KUMAR SONI	SILVER METAL / HANDMADE SILVER JEWELLERY	372, GATORE ROAD, BRAHAMPURI, JAIPUR – 302002	RAJASTHAN	JAIPUR
8	PAPER MACHE CRAFTS AND PAPER CRAFTS	ASHA G. KRISHNA	PAPER CRAFT (PAPER QUILLING, ROLLING & WEAVING)	1/372, S.V. BHAVAN, K.S. ROAD, MUTTACADU, KOVALAM P.O., THIRUVANANTHAPURAM – 695527	KERALA	TRIVANDRUM
9	ARTISTIC TEXTILES	UMA BAI	SANDUR LAMBANI EMBROIDERY	HOUSE NO. 1038, WARD NO. 1, NEAR BIG WATER TANK, SUSHEELANAGAR VILLAGE & POST, SANDUR TALUK, BALLARI	KARNATAKA	MANGALURU

10	HANDMADE, CARPETS/FLOOR COVERINGS, RUGS AND DURRIES	RAFIQ AHMAD SOFI	KASHMIRI HAND-KNOTTED CARPET	RATPORA, EIDGAH, SRINAGAR	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	SRINAGAR
11	TOYS AND DOLLS, PUPPETS, GAMES AND KITES	BANGARU SURI BABU	ETIKOPPAKA WOODEN TOYS	3-106, KONDAKOPPAKA VEEDHI, NEAR WATER TANK, ETIKOPPAKA, YELAMANCHILI, ANAKAPALLI DISTRICT	ANDHRA PRADESH	VIJAYWADA
12	MISCELLANEOUS CRAFTS	SUDARSHAN PAREEK	MICRO MINIATURE PAINTING ON RICE	BIHARI POLE, NEW CITY, KISHANGARH, AJMER – 305802	RAJASTHAN	JAIPUR
13	EXCLUSIVELY FOR WOMEN ARTISAN	DROUPADI GEDI	KONARK STONE CARVING	JOKAGADIYA, P.O. – SANTRAGADIA, NILAGIRI, BALESHWAR	ODISHA	BHUBNESHWAR
14	YOUNG ARTISAN BELOW 30 YEARS	DEEPANSHU VERMA	COPPERWARE / COPPER METALWORK	1499, GALI ARYA SAMAJ, SITA RAM BAZAR, CENTRAL DELHI	DELHI	DELHI
15	DIVYANG ARTISANS	LIMO RIBA	GALO CANE & BAMBOO CRAFT	TELAM, EAST SIANG	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	ITANAGAR
16	ENDANGERED	SHARAD KUMAR SONI	WARAK PRINTING (GOLD & SILVER LEAFING/CHAPPAI)	A-3, SHASTRI NAGAR, BHILWARA 311001	RAJASTHAN	UDAIPUR
17	*TRIBAL	SOIGAN PANSA MERY CHAKMA	WANCHO BEAD JEWELLERY / TRADITIONAL BEADED POT DRY FLOWER CRAFT	NGINU VILLAGE, HOUSE NO. E-81(1), LONGDING D/O DAYA MUNI CHAKMA, KAMALANAGAR-II, CHAWNGTE, LAWNGTLAI – 796770	ARUNACHAL PRADESH MIZORAM	ITANAGAR AIZWAL

* FOR TRIBAL CATEGORY THERE IS A JOINT WINNER FROM ARUNACHAL PRADESH AND MIZORAM AS SELECTED BY THE COMMITTEE.

DESIGN INNOVATION AWARD FOR THE YEAR 2025					
S. NO.	NAME OF AWARDEE	CRAFT	ADDRESS	STATE	HSC
18	SARITA RANA (ARTISAN) / ASHWANI SHARMA (DESIGNER)	MOONJ GRASS CRAFT / GRASS WORK	VILLAGE UNCHI MAHUVAT, KHATIMA, UDHAM SINGH NAGAR	UTTARAKHAND	ALMORA

START-UP VENTURE AWARD FOR THE YEAR 2025					
S. NO.	NAME OF AWARDEE	CRAFT	ADDRESS	STATE	HSC
19	SAI KIRAN DHANALAKOTA (ARTISAN) / MEMERAKI (STARTUP)	HANDICRAFTS (CHERIYAL PAINTING)	24-1073/1, PP NAGAR, GAJULARAMARAM, JEEDIMETLA, QUTHBULLAPUR, MEDCHAL MALKAJGIRI, HYDERABAD – 500055	TELANGANA/ DELHI	HYDERABAD