



AWARD FOR CONSTRUCTIVE WORK

A cash Award of Rs. Five lakh, a trophy and citation to be given annually to an individual / individuals for outstanding contribution in any one or more fields of constructive work.

For the purpose of this Award, Constructive Work may cover Rural Development, Health and Sanitation, Khadi and Village Industries, Go-Seva, Prohibition, Dalit and Tribal welfare, Work with Leprosy patients, Development of Women and Welfare of Children, Spread of Basic Education; Propagation of Hindi and Mother tongues, Strengthening Co-operative and Group Activities in Agriculture, Building up Local Leadership, Encouraging Local Voluntary Effort - all these generally on the pattern of the Constructive Programme initiated by Gandhiji.

RULES REGARDING SENDING NOMINATIONS FOR THE AWARD FOR CONSTRUCTIVE WORK

1. This Award is for an individual / individuals and not for institution.
2. Nominations received from the heads of recognized institutions and other representative bodies and / or from eminent individuals as also those sent by any of them on their own initiative, will be considered for the Awards.
The term 'Institutions and other representative bodies' covers Universities, Research Bodies, Social Welfare Institutions, Khadi and Village Industries Organisations, Chambers of Commerce, Rotary, Inner Wheel and Lions Clubs, concerned Government Departments of the Centre and the States and similar bodies.
The heads of these institutions or bodies-Vice-Chancellors, Presidents, Secretaries and others may send their recommendations in their individual capacity also.
3. Self-nominations will not be entertained.
4. The sponsors should send factual information about the overall work pertaining to the nominees on the basis of the stated criteria.
5. Nominations in respect of any individual who has been the recipient of any of these Awards in the past will not be entertained.
6. The Foundation may defer or withhold conferring of one or more Award / Awards in any year if, in the opinion of the Council of Advisers of the Foundation, no nominee/s is/are found suitable for receiving such Award/Awards.



CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION

In assessing the merits of individuals for the above Award, the overall impact and the spread effect of their work on Gandhian lines and the specific benefits accruing therefrom to the people, will be taken into account. In particular, the following will be considered :

In what way and to what extent:

- (a) The work done has helped the weaker sections of society including landless labour migrant labour, slum dwellers, Dalits and Tribals etc.
- (b) It has promoted increased productivity without displacing labour.
- (c) It has led to fuller employment.
- (d) It has brought about more equitable distribution and social equality.
- (e) It has motivated people towards self-help and self-reliance.
- (f) It has provided training facilities for workers.
- (g) It has removed drudgery and has helped in improvement of the quality of life of the people.
- (h) It has encouraged participation/people/NGOs/other Government and Non-Government organizations.
- (i) The vision and plan of action, if any, for the future is in place.



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NOMINATION FORMAT**

01. Name:
02. Address:
03. Date of Birth (Age):
04. Education:
05. Recommended by:
06. The Dist./State where the work is being carried out:
07. Working since when:
08. Type of work – Rural , Tribal, Village:
09. Details of the kind of work:
10. Nature of work being carried out and brief account of the work done:
11. How the work has fulfilled each of the stated criteria:
12. How has the work impacted the surrounded areas/community: (give specific and quantitative information).
13. Financial Position of the institution (s) with which the individual may be most closely associated and details of grants/financial assistance received during the last 3 years:

(A) Year	Income	Expenditure	If Deficit
Own	Grants/		how met
(source-wise)	Donations		

SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS FOR THE AWARD

The last date for receipt of nominations for the Constructive Work Award for the year 2010 is 28th February, 2010 .

The proposals should be sent to the Secretary of the Foundation on the following address :
Jamnalal Bajaj Foundation Bajaj Bhawan, 2nd floor, Jamnalal Bajaj Marg, 226 Nariman Point,
Mumbai 400 021 India



EARLIER RECIPIENTS OF JAMNALAL BAJAJ AWARD FOR CONSTRUCTIVE WORK

- 1978 Shri Jugatram Dave, Gandhi Vidyapith, Vedchhi, Dt. Surat (Gujrat)
- 1979 Jointly to :
(i)Smt. Sarla Devi, Kasturba Mahila Uthan Mandal, Kausani (U.P.)
(ii)Shri Baba Amte, Maharogi Seva Samiti, Anandwan, Warora (Maharashtra)
- 1980 Gandhi Niketan Ashram, Kallupatti, Madurai Dist. (Tamil Nadu)
- 1981 Smt. Amalprava Das, Sarania Ashram, Gauhati (Assam)
- 1982 Shri Gokulbhai Daulatram Bhatt, Jaipur (Rajasthan)
- 1983 Shri Tagadur Ramachandra Rao, Satyagraha Ashram, Tagadur Village, Mysore District (Karnataka)
- 1984 Shri Popatlal Ramchand Shah, Kasba Peth, Pune (Maharashtra)
- 1985 Shri T.S. Avinashilingam, Shri Ramakrishna Mission Vidyalaya, Perianaickenpalayam, Coimbatore (Tamil Nadu)
- 1986 Shri Sunder Lal Bahuguna, Silyara, Tehri Garhwal Dist. (Uttar Pradesh)
- 1987 Shri Natwar Thakkar, Chuchuyimlang, Nagaland.
- 1988 Jointly to :
(i)Shri S. Jagannathan, T.N. Sarvodaya Mandal, Valivalam, Thanjavur Dist. (Tamil Nadu)
and (ii)Smt. Krishnammal Jagannathan, Land for the Tillers' Freedom (LAFTI), Kilvelur, Thanjavur Dist. (Tamil Nadu)
- 1989 Shri K. Janardhanan Pillai, Kerala Gandhi Smarak Nidhi, Trivandrum (Kerala)
- 1990 Shri Tirath Ram, Village & P.O. Oel, Dist. Una (H.P.)
- 1991 Shri Dwarko Sundrani, Samanvay Ashram, Bodhgaya (Bihar)
- 1992 Prof. Thakurdas Bang, Gopuri, Wardha, (Maharashtra)
- 1993 Shri Vichitra Narain Sharma, Shri Gandhi Ashram, Lucknow, (U.P.)
- 1994 Shri L.N. Gopalaswami, No.18, Conran Smith Rd., Gopalapuram, Madras 600086 (Tamil Nadu)
- 1995 Shri Kashinath Trivedi, Bholaram Ustad Marg, Village Pipalya Rao, Indore - 452 001 (M.P.)
- 1996 Shri Manubhai Pancholi, Lok Bharati, Post Sanosra, Dist. Bhavnagar (Gujrat)
- 1997 Shri R.K.Patil, Civil Lines, Nagpur (Maharashtra)
- 1998 Acharya Ramamurti, Shrambharati, P.O. Khadigram, Dist. Jammui (Bihar)
- 1999 Shri Narayan Desai, Sampoorna Kranti Vidyalaya, Vedchi, Dist. Surat 394 641 (Gujarat)
- 2000 Shri Som Dutt Vedalankar, Khadi Ashram, G.T. Road, Panipath 132 103 (Haryana)
- 2001 Shri Sisir Sanyal, Gandhi Vichar Parisad, Bankura (School Danga) 722 101 (W.B.)
- 2002 Shri Siddharaj Dhadda, Chaura Rasta, Jaipur 302 003 (Rajasthan)
- 2003 Shri Rabindra Nath Upadhyay, Tamulpur Anchalik Gramdan Sangha At & Po. Kumarikata-781 360, Dist. Nalbari, Assam
- 2004 Shri Radhakrishna Bajaj, Akhil Bharat Krishi-Goseva Sangh Gopuri, Wardha-442 001 (Maharashtra)
- 2005 Shri P. Gopinathan Nair, T.B. Junction, Neyyattinkara, Dist. Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala - 695 121
- 2006 Dr. S. N. Subba Rao, Director, National Youth Project, 221 D.D. Upadhyaya Marg, New Delhi 110 002
- 2007 Shri Yashpal Mittal, Prasthan Ashram, Post Khanpur, Pathankot, Punjab-145 001
- 2008 Shri Biswanath Pattnaik, Banabasi Seva Samiti, Balliguda 762 103. PO : Balliguda, District Kandhmal, Orissa