Announcement of Winners of Short Film Contest on Patriotism

August 21, 2020: As part of Independence Day Celebrations 2020, the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting along with National Film Development Corporation (NFDC) had organized an Online Short Film Contest to create a patriotic mood surrounding this year's Independence Day.

The contest went live on 14th July, 2020 on the MyGov portal and ended on 7th August, 2020. The contest was hosted on the MyGov.in website for receiving the entries.

The theme for the entries was 'Patriotism – Marching towards *Atmanirbharta*' meant to encapsulate patriotism, equating it to *Atmanirbharta* (self-reliance) as the new mantra of progress for the nation.

The competition was opened to entries from Citizens of India and all parts of India and in any Indian Regional Language besides Hindi & English.

There were 800+ responses received from all over the country of which 250+ valid entries were accepted for shortlisting. Eminent personalities formed the Jury and arrived at the Winners shortlist after careful scrutiny and the 3 winners and 8 other films deserving Special Mention were selected in the Final Round.

The winners will be awarded with Certificates and Prize money for the first 3 position holders. Special Jury Certificates will be awarded to 8 other participants for their commendable efforts.

Please find below the list of winners, to be declared also on https://www.mygov.in/

Sl. No.	Short Film Title	Name of Director	Link	Language	Prize				
WINNERS									
1	Am I?	Abhijit Paul	https://vimeo.com/444504417	Bengali	1st Prize				
2	Ab India Banega Bharat	Debojo Sanjiv	https://www.youtube.com/watc h?v=9arZB8N0jyo	Hindi/English	2nd Prize				
3	10 Rupees	Yuvraj Gokul	https://youtu.be/BFz76e1CCcE	Malayalam	3rd Prize				
SPECIAL MENTION CERTIFICATES (In No Specific Order)									
4	Respect (Samman)	Shiva C Biradar	https://youtu.be/o3CRpDUh2t0	Hindi	Special Mention				
5	बीज आत्मनिर्भरतेचे (The Seed of Self- sufficiency)	Sameera Prabhu	https://youtu.be/Myn6bCM8to U	Marathi	Special Mention				
6	Made In India	Puru Priyam	https://youtu.be/o0mTt0G7peI	Hindi	Special Mention				

7	Mind (Y)our Business	Sivaraj	https://youtu.be/me5mx29VtCk	English	Special Mention
8	Hum Kar Sakte Hain	Madhya Pradesh Madhyam	https://youtu.be/UwYXgDtTu8 g	Hindi	Special Mention
9	Kaanada Kaigalu	Pramod R	https://youtu.be/NuJavV1VeHg	Kannada	Special Mention
10	Soldier	Ram Kishore	https://youtu.be/qfr5Cjdoy28	Telugu	Special Mention
11	Athma Vandan for Nation	Rajesha B	https://youtu.be/eoQ6fLn3mEo	Kannada	Special Mention