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Sub: Invitation to the Regional Workshops for VIPNET Science Club members (North East and West Bengal States)

Dear VIPNET Members,

It is our pleasure to inform you that, on the basis of the your report as well as nomination form for regional workshops, your club has been selected to participate in Regional Workshops on the above subject at Guwahati, being organised by Assam Science Technology & Environment Council(ASTEC), from 11 - 13 September, 2012 at Guwahati (Assam).

The workshops will be focused on understanding the importance of VIPNET Science Club and how to run a science club in a sustained way. Some demonstrations of suggestive activities and on how to maintain record and write report of the club's activities special session will also be organized. A few prominent science communicator, resource person and experts will be invited for conducting various session of the workshop. On last day, based on your feedbacks, recommendation will be finalized, and selection of clubs will be made to designate them as lead club of VP. The lead clubs would be acting as a extended arms of VP to nurture and facilitates the working of newly formed clubs in a district.

For this meet VP would provide travel support (with upper limit to3rd AC Train by shortest route) along with accommodation and other hospitality during the period of workshop. Please book your tickets so that you can reach at Guwahati in time and report for registration at 9 a.m. on 11^{th} September, 2012 and report the same to us at the earliest. You can send you registration enclosed sheet on email/by post to undersigned with a copy to Shri. Jaideep Baruah, Head i/c, Environment Div., ASTEC, Bigyan Bhawan, GS Road, Guwahati – 781005, Phone – 09435102089.

In addition, we request you to please bring your club report along with one poster for display, highlighting the activities of your club. Each participants will receive participation certificate at the end of the programme.

We look forward to receive you and to have a meaningful programme and outreach activities of the VIPNET Science Club for efficient & effective popularisation of science in country.

Thanking you and with best regards.

Yours sincerely,

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