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To

Members of the Working Committee, Presidents and General Secretaries of State Unions and Special Invitees.

Dear Comrades

The session of the IFWJ working committee will be held at *Viswas Kumar Sharma sabhagar* in Paredu, Visakhapatnam (A.P.) on April 21 to 23, 2017. The conference is being organized by Com. S. Veerbhadra Rao, president of IFWJ state unit, and editor of the Telugu daily the *Vishaka Patrika*.

The agenda :

1. Adoption of the last meeting's minutes of Jaisalmer (Rajasthan).
2. Discussion on the 13th Press Council.
3. Payment of IFWJ subscription and arrears up to 31 December 2016 by State unions.
4. Advertisement support for IFWJ journal "*The Working Journalist*".
5. Finalization of dates of proposals for next sessions of the Working Committee and National Council at Rajgir (Bihar) in June, Varanasi/Gorakhpur in August, Amarkantak (by Chattisgarh Shramjeevi Patrakar Sangh) in October, and Hubli, near Goa, in December, 2017.
6. Preparation for the visit by 380-member IFWJ delegation to Nepal in August.
7. Any other matter with the chair's permission.

Kindly bring your union's report.

Please remember that **only members** of the Working Committee and Special Invitees will be admitted. The venue is a hill station Paredu, 120 kms from the port town of Vizag (Visakhapatnam). Kindly bring light woollens as

evening temperature will be low. You will be shown the famous Araku Valley and water falls.

The accommodation is very limited. Therefore, please do not burden/embarrass the host.

PROGRAM ME DETAILS

- 21 April : Arrival At Visakhapatnam Railway Station
Transit halt at Visakhapatnam till 1 pm.
At 2 pm. Buses will start for Paderu hill station and reach by 4:30 pm.
Camp fire starts at 6 pm. Followed by cultural programme and Dinner.
- 22 April : Working Committee meeting and other programme

WC Meeting Conclusion.

From 2 pm(after lunch) sight-seeing of waterfalls and Araku valley.
- 23 April : Morning session
At 6 pm, leave Araku valley with food packets and reach Visakhapatnam railway station at 9 pm.

Except for those whom IFWJ president, Com. K. Vikram Rao invites specially, the Reception Committee will **not** be able to provide extra rooms.

You should arrive at Vizag railway station on Friday, 21 April 2017. Contact the Reception Counter at the railway retiring room. You will be taken by bus to the conference venue and delegates camp at Paredu. The journey takes about four hours. Your return journey home should be on Sunday night (after 9 p.m.) on 23 April. After a tour of Araku valley and waterfalls you will be dropped at the Vizag railway station around 9 p.m.

With warm regards for Ram Navami.

Please inform Com. S. Veerbhadra Rao your travel programme and arrival train time on no Email : surampudi43@gmail.com

Fraternally yours



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