F. No. 23G002042024/CC Government of India Ministry of Home Affairs (Foreigners-I Division) (Computer Cell)

> Major Dhyan Chand National Stadium, New Delhi-110001, Dated: 04.09.2024

To

Survey Of India, Surveyor General Office, Hathibarkala Estate, Uttarakhand, Dehradun - 248001

Subject:- Plenary Session and Seminar Of United Nations Committee of experts on Global Geospatial Information Management - Asia Pacific (UNGGIM-AP) from 25th to 29th November, 2024 at Bharat Mandapam, Pragati Maidan, New Delhi.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to your online event Id. No. 23G002042024 on the above mentioned subject and to convey this Ministry's 'no objection' in principle for obtaining Conference Visa for foreign participants in the above mentioned event(s) subject to usual checks as prescribed.

- The organisers are also requested to obtain Political clearance from Ministry of External Affairs and necessary clearance from various other authorities including state police authorities from Law & Order point of view in connection with the event. The movement of participants to prohibited areas, sensitive and defence locations is restricted.
- at application visa for should submit online foreign participant www.indianvisaonline.gov.in immediately.
- Indian Missions abroad are authorized to issue Conference Visa to delegates on production of an invitation letter from the organizer(s), a copy of this letter and a copy of the communication from the Ministry of External Affairs conveying political clearance, re-verification relating to Blacklist/LOC and subject to usual checks & no local objection.
- However, Visa for participants from (1)Afghanistan (2)Iraq (3)Pakistan (4)Sudan (5) Foreigners of Pakistani origin and (6) Stateless persons can be issued only after MHA Clearance (for each participant/individual). Therefore, online application for Visa must be made at least 60 days in advance.

Yours sincerely

4/9/24 (Raj Kumar Sah) Section Officer (CC)