Recognition for ICT Champion 2018

The Department of Information Technology and Telecom (DITT), Ministry of Information and Communications (MoIC) calls for nomination from individual(s) and agency(ies) for outstanding contribution made in the field of ICT. These outstanding nominees (ICT Champion) will be awarded prizes during the World Telecommunications and Information Society Day on 17th May, 2018 under the following three categories:

Category 1: INNOVATION

 1.1 Sub category 1:Applications/Systems

- ❏ Recognize individuals or teams for applications and Systems development.
- ❏ This category excludes websites as they are included in website competitions.
- ❏ If there are more than 10 Nominees/Applications the following short listing criteria will be used:
  - ❏ Nominees shall be shortlisted based on total number of users, downloads, votes, and quality of reviews.
  - ❏ Submitted applications/solutions should not be more than one year old.
- ❏ The criteria(s) that will be used to evaluate the applications/shortlisted applications are as follows:
  - ❏ Novelty: The submitted application/system has to be either completely based on a new idea or it may also be an improved version or a better solution to an already existing application.
  - ❏ Popularity and Social Impact: The popularity of system being used by the end users and cross cutting. The system should have high social impact that have made changes to the people to time, cost, benefits and user friendly. Nominees will have to present or submit his/her application's popularity.
  - ❏ Usability: Usability have several different aspects:
    - ❏ Effectiveness (Can users successfully achieve their objectives)
    - ❏ Efficiency (How much effort and resource is expended in achieving those objectives)
    - ❏ Satisfaction (Was the user's experience satisfactory)
    - ❏ Life of the system.
  - ❏ Development Complexity:
    - ❏ Incorporation of security features will be checked.
    - ❏ Development platforms(Open source/proprietary) used will be checked.
    - ❏ Line of codes and number of modules used will be checked.

❏ Nomination form for Sub category 1:Applications/Systems : https://goo.gl/forms/DEXVDTFsqwk2bTPe2

1.2 Sub category 2: Hardware/Infrastructure

❏ This category is meant for recognizing individuals/teams who have made innovations in hardware/infrastructures.
❏ The criteria(s) that will be used to evaluate are as follows:
  ❏ Cost Saving: The initiative taken by the individual or team to develop/maintain the hardware/infrastructure which is cost effective and cost saving to the organization and to the government.
  ❏ Innovation: Innovation in hardware/infrastructure which is completely based on a new idea or an improved version of existing ideas and provides employment generation opportunities.
  ❏ Impacts (usability): The usability of a hardwares/network solutions can be measured only by taking into account the context of use of the system—i.e., who is using, what they are using it for, and the environment in which they are using it. Furthermore, measurements of usability have several different aspects:
    ❏ Effectiveness (Can users successfully achieve their objectives)
    ❏ Efficiency (How much effort and resource is expended in achieving those objectives)
    ❏ Satisfaction (Was the experience satisfactory)
    ❏ Life of the system
❏ Nomination form for Sub category 2: Hardware/Infrastructure : https://goo.gl/forms/z5FF5Ya4nfDcQfFx2

Category 2: SOCIAL IMPACT

❏ This category is meant for recognizing individuals/teams who are using already existing ICT technologies that have impacted the society at large.
❏ The criteria(s) that will be used to evaluate applications are as follows:
  ❏ Impact on time and cost: Saving time with use of the application
  ❏ Sustainability
  ❏ Business plan/model: Nominees to submit business plan/model on how to sustain their initiative.
  ❏ Service delivery: Types and number of services provided.
❏ Nomination form for Category 2: SOCIAL IMPACT : https://goo.gl/forms/KG9ZkINek0XVJiWA2

Category 3: EXCELLENCE IN MANAGEMENT

- ❏ This category is meant meant for leaders or managers(individuals or teams) who have promoted ICT adoption.
- ❏ The criteria(s) that will be used to evaluate applications are as follows:
    - ❏ Resource optimization:
        - ❏ Share strategies introduced by the nominees for efficient hardware utilization.
        - ❏ Strategies used to optimize the use of currently available resources such as google suite, open source softwares, etc.
    - ❏ New Initiatives
        - ❏ Totally new initiative or initiatives to improve/strengthen the existing initiatives such as
        - ❏ Improving confidentiality, integrity and availability from disaster's point of view.
        - ❏ Resource optimization. (Strategies and plans)
        - ❏ Implementation of new systems.
    - ❏ Impacts of the initiatives taken.
    - ❏ Service Delivery
        - ❏ Service delivery within organization.
        - ❏ Service delivery to public.
- ❏ Nomination form for Category 3: EXCELLENCE IN MANAGEMENT : https://goo.gl/forms/jOdr1CONoNuhXtRf2

The call for nomination will be open from 25/9/2017 to 25/4/2018.