APPLICATIONS INVITED FOR FOOD STALLS AT LOKOTSAV 2027

Panaji: November 23, 2026

Director of Art and Culture will be organizing the annual 'Lokotsav' National level folk festival from January 8 to 17, 2027 at Darya Sangam, Kala Academy, Panaji. The feature of festival will be live folk dance performance from various states, cultural programmes, handicraft bazaar and food court. The Department invited applications in prescribed formats from Goan artists, craft persons having artisan card or issued by for putting up handicraft stalls in the Lokotsav craft bazaar. Applications are also invited for setting up packed/ stapled food stalls and serving food stalls, Goa.

Applications are also being invited from Goan individual and self help groups for putting up the traditional packed (stapled) and serving food items such as traditional goan/ Indian recipes, goan traditional snacks etc. during the festival. Only handicraft and traditional art forms shall be allowed to exhibit and sale on the handicraft stalls.

Limited numbers of applications forms will be made available at the office of Directorate of Art & Culture, Patto, Panaji on November 26 and 27, 2026 on first come first serve basis from 10.00 a.m to 5.00 p.m., the fees for the application will be @ Rs. 10/- each. Only one application form will be issued to each person subject to he/ she carries artisan card or any other documents as specified along with voting card and aadhar card as address proof.

The duly filled forms shall have to be submit to the department strictly on or before November 30, 2026 during the office hours only. Late applications will not be allowed. The applications forms are only for goan handicraft artisans, goan packed food and serving food stalls.

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