

RAJYA SABHA SECRETARIAT
(NOTICE OFFICE)

**ADVISORY FOR HEADS OF SCHOOLS/COLLEGES AND
OTHER GOVERNMENT INSTITUTIONS**

**Subject:- Non-availability of Rajya Sabha Galleries for visitors during
the 253rd Session of Rajya Sabha**

In view of the prevailing COVID-19 Situation, and to maintain social distancing norms, seating arrangement of the Members of Rajya Sabha have been made in a staggered manner in the Rajya Sabha Chamber, the Galleries of the Rajya Sabha (except the Press Gallery) and the Lok Sabha Chamber. **Accordingly, no visitors will be allowed to witness the proceedings of the House during the currency of the 253rd Session of the Rajya Sabha and accordingly, no Public Gallery Passes will be issued during the Session.**

2. Heads of School/Colleges and other Government Institutions are therefore requested NOT to submit any requests for issue of Public Gallery Passes for their students/staff during the 253rd Session.
