

FAQ for C-APS-23-001
PDS - Annual Program Statement 2023

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Query 1:

Is the application open for the Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program (India) (<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=346249>) as the following line mentioned in the word document.

Due to the volume of applicants and inquiries, the Public Diplomacy Section (PDS) does not accept letters of intent, concept papers, or requests for meetings or phone calls prior to application.

Response:

Yes, applicants are invited to submit proposals for Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program through the announced Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for PDS - Annual Program Statement 2023.

Applicants are required to submit applications through www.grants.gov. Please refer to the Section D of the NOFO for further details on Application and Submission information.

Query 2:

I have some question about a grant. Can someone please reach out to me at , xxxxxxxx29 Or xxxxxxxx@xxxxx.com

Response:

Please request you to send your queries to ChennaiPASG@state.gov and we will respond by e-mail.

Query 3:

While finding grants, I just came across your funding opportunity at this link: <https://www.grants.gov/custom/viewOppDetails.jsp?oppld=346249>. And I wondered about its requirements regarding the location of applicants.

Is this funding open for applicants in the US or India? I'd be very grateful if you can address these questions for me. Thanks in advance for your help.

Response:

As mentioned in the announced NOFO - PDS - Annual Program Statement 2023, the opportunity is open to all not-for-profit organizations in the U.S. and India. Please refer to Section C of the NOFO for more details on Eligibility Information.

Indian organizations must be compliant with the Foreign Contribution Regulation Act (FCRA) to apply and receive funding from the U.S. Mission in India.