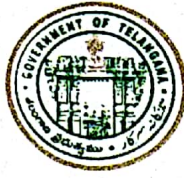


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Dear Marathon Runners,

On behalf of Telangana State and Hyderabad Runners Society, I take great pride in welcoming you to the Airtel Hyderabad Marathon 2018, organized by Hyderabad Runners Society.

Hyderabad, the esteemed capital city of Telangana State, is delighted to host you on this occasion. I am thrilled to notice how Airtel Hyderabad Marathon is a shining example of change that can be realised about when citizens, corporates and the government work together for upliftment of society. Each year, the sight of thousands of runners being cheered by countless citizens on the streets of our city has not inspired repeat runners but also motivated so many more to participate in this impressive event.

Over the past years, Airtel Hyderabad Marathon has become an integral part of Brand Hyderabad and symbolises all that is cherished about our lovely city. Entrepreneurship, innovation, ambition and collective strength all brought out in an atmosphere of fun and camaraderie. This tremendously inspiring effort to get people up and running cannot go unappreciated in the fight against lack of fitness. I congratulate Hyderabad Runners Society for their efforts in reminding the importance of physical wellbeing with the multiple events through the year culminating in the city's biggest marathon.

Airtel Hyderabad Marathon provides a platform to unite all sections of the society and to participate in the event together. The Government of Telangana has always taken the lead in promoting such initiatives and is pleased to be associated with this prestigious event. Telangana Government extends its unstinted support to ensure that event will be safe, sound and memorable for everyone. We will leave no stone unturned to make this event a resounding success.

On this occasion, I invite you to cherish the cultural & heritage legacy of Hyderabad and to reminisce the experiences gained and feel the warm hospitality of the city of Nizams, complete with the finest cuisine in the region.

I, once again, extend a warm welcome to you and your family to the cosmopolitan city of Hyderabad and cheer for each of you to achieve your personal bests in this wonderful event.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,


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To
All the Runners of AHM 2018