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## TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

We are pleased to appreciate and acknowledge that Dr. Raman Kakar, an active member of IMA has produced a film in our National language, Hindi on Tuberculosis "Teen Baatein". Tuberculosis is an International problem and WHO has already declared a global emergency on this issue. Our country bears one-third of the global burden of T.B.

The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India has recently revised its National T.B. Programme and we feel that this film can suitably serve to achieve the goals of the same.

This film is an excellent and unique venture which is not only most informative but also very interesting for the viewers. We find that the general masses will be highly benefitted by this film and this will help us in controlling this dreaded menace to spread. Moreover, this film being in Hindi, shall be understood by one and all across the length and breadth of the country.

It covers many vital aspects of the problem e.g. What is T.B.? How it spreads? How to prevent it? How to suspect it early? and What are the pitfalls of the treatment? and provides answers to them in the most easy manner.

The common man can understand and enjoy it.

It is strongly recommended that this film be screened at different fora to spread the message conveyed and contained in this film.

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