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To: President/Secretary GURDWARA SAHIB	Date: 19 th Sept 2016
Waheguru Ji Ka Khalsa Waheguru Ji Ki Fateh,	

Re: "EK GRANTH EK PANTH EK MARYADA"
PARCHAAR YEAR from 20/10/2016 – 20/10/2017

At a Meeting held on 7th August 2016 and attended by Representatives from MGC, KDM SNSM, Sant Sohan Singh Ji Melaka Memorial Society Malaysia and Tatt Khalsa Diwan, it was unanimously decided to organise a Sikh Parchaar Year on the theme "Ek Granth Ek Panth Ek Maryada".

The above theme is based on Gurbani from Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji (SGGS Ji – Page 646)

" ਇਕਾ ਬਾਣੀ ਇਕੁ ਗੁਰੂ ਇਕੋ ਸਬਦੂ ਵੀਚਾਰਿ॥"

The Gurdwaras are therefore requested to organise Sikhi Parchaar in their respective Gurdwaras from 20/10/2016 to 20/10/2017. The Parchaar to be done must be based on Gurbani from SGGS Ji and as per Sikh Reht Maryada.

The Gurdwaras Committees must take the initiative to organise regular Parchaar on the above theme. In the event Speakers are required from the National Body, then kindly contact the MGC office.

The MGC Representatives in the States are requested to prepare a list of speakers from their states, who could assist MGC in carrying out Parchaar in the State. This list must be submitted by the State Representatives to the MGC Office by 18/10/2016.

The MGC will then organise regional briefings for the chosen State Speakers and brief them on the approach to be taken. If there are not many speakers from States, then all may be jointly briefed at one centre.

The MGC Representatives should take the first initiative in organising the Parchaar in their own Gurdwaras, as soon as possible.

Booklets on SRM, MP3 CD's & DVD copies are being made and they will be distributed to Gurdwaras in due course.

Banners & Pamplets are also being printed and will be distributed to gurdwaras soon.

Sikhi Parchaar should be an ongoing thing in the Gurdwaras at all times. But for the Sikhi Parchaar year, the Gurdwaras must make a special effort to organise as many Semagams as possible. For a start, the Gurdwaras can identify suitable local Parcharaks and ask them to do Katha from Gurbani in the Gurdwaras on a weekly or fortnightly basis, etc.

The MGC on its own will organise major programmes in States capitals in collaboration with Gurdwaras.

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