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Dear Friend,

Sahitya Akademi announces its Main Award along with the Translation Prize for the books of outstanding merit in the 24 Indian languages recognized by it. Both the Awards for the year 2017 will be approved by the Executive Board of the Sahitya Akademi at its meeting to be held on Thursday, 21 December 2017 in the Akademi's office. The Award winners' names will be announced at a Press Conference to be held on 21 December 2017 at 2:30 p.m. at Sahitya Akademi's Conference Hall, 3rd Floor, Rabindra Bhavan, 35, Ferozeshah Road, New Delhi – 110 001.

A Press Release declaring the Awards will also be issued. The Award-winning books also will be displayed on this occasion. We would be grateful if it could be published/announced in your esteemed newspaper/channel immediately in view of the national importance of the awards.

Kindly depute your correspondent/reporter to cover it along with the camera unit to the Akademi so that the Award-winning titles can be shot for being telecast/published alongwith the news. We would request your correspondent/reporter to join us at lunch at 1:30 p.m.

With kind regards,

sincerely.

(K. Sreenivasarao)