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The 107th edition of "Indian Science Congress" (ISC), India's most prestigious and largest annual scientific event will be held in Bengaluru from 03 to 07 January, 2020. Organized by the Indian Science Congress Association (ISCA), the University of Agricultural Sciences (UAS) will host the event. As per the tradition, 107th edition shall be inaugurated by Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi on 03 January 2020 at UAS, GKVK, Bengaluru. The major highlights of Indian Science Congress are Pride of India (PoI) Expo at Bengaluru, Vigyan Jyot (flame of knowledge) and Special Pavilions.

I am privileged to inform that the Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University (GGSIPU) has been selected for the 'flag off ceremony' of Vigyan Jyot from Delhi and the event shall be held on 20.12.2019 at 02:00 pm onwards at GGSIP University Campus, Sector 16C, Dwarka, New Delhi.

The **Vigyan Jyot** is the Flame of Knowledge and is a novel initiative to popularize science and encourage pure science as career amongst the youth thus preparing scientists and innovators for future. The Vigyan Jyot will travel from Delhi to the venue of the Indian Science Congress by road on a float, spreading the importance of science amongst the youth en-route and remains lit throughout the event, inspiring lakhs of students visiting the Pride of India Expo, to take an oath to contribute to the cause of science.

The Hon'ble Vice Chancellor is desirous to commemorate the prestigious event at the GGSIP University in presence of all Deans, Directors, Branch Heads, Faculty, Staff, Research Scholars and Students of this University at above date and time.

(Alok Sharma) Assistant Registrar

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