

**Consulate General of India  
Vancouver**

**Press Release**

Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi during his “Man Ki Baat” address on 25th July, 2021 urged citizens to sing the national anthem to create a “Rashtra Gaan” record, as part of the celebration of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav. In this regard, a web portal <https://rashtragaan.in> has been created by Ministry of Culture, Government of India. Indian Diaspora members can upload their own video singing the national anthem on the web portal. Please follow the steps below for singing and uploading your video.

- i. Open web portal link: <https://rashtragaan.in>.
- ii. Click on “Proceed” or on the right click at bottom right (in case of mobile devices).
- iii. Enter your name in the box below the headline “Please enter your name here” and select the correct option in “Your Age Group”, Enter the Country name from where the video is being recorded/uploaded. Then click on “Let’s Sing” or on the right click at bottom right (in case of mobile devices).
- iv. Align your face to the screen (at this stage the portal may ask for permission to record audio and video from the device being used).
- v. Once the face is aligned, Press on “Record: - The national anthem music will start playing after a countdown from 3 and the text of the national anthem (in Hindi) will be visible for use of those recording a video.
- vi. Once the video has been recorded, there will be an option to listen to the recording before uploading or Restart (this will initiate the process on the portal ab-initio). If the individual is satisfied with the play back of the recording, press upload to enable the portal to save the video.
- vii. Please download (certificate of participation) and share it in your respective social media platforms with the tag #Rashtragaan.

The Consulate General of India, Vancouver requests all members of Indian diaspora living in British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Yukon & North West Territories to sing the National Anthem as India celebrates the Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav.

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