



NATIONAL SCHOOL OF DRAMA, NEW DELHI
25th Bharat Rang Mahotsav- International Theatre Festival of India
(January & February 2026)
Entitlements of Foreign Groups performing in 25th BRM 2026.

a)	Token Honorarium	-	INR 1,50,000/- per show - TDS @ 31.4 % or as per rule of Income Tax Govt. of India will be deducted from your payment, regarding tax deduction as per the rule of Income Tax Authority if, foreign groups provide Indian PAN (Permanent Account Number Card) then only they will consider in e-TDS return (27Q) and they will be eligible to take credit of withholding tax deducted in India in accordance with DTAA against their taxable Income. Moreover, for getting credit of withholding tax, you should have PAN card in India issued by Income Tax Authority of India.
b)	For Solos	-	INR 60,000/-, Terms and conditions will be same as per S.No. 'a'.
c)	Per Diem	-	INR 1100/- per person per day (as per NSD Schedule)
d)	Number of shows	-	2 shows may be scheduled in two different cities
e)	Local transport from airport to the place of stay & back	-	AC bus/car
f)	Local transport from the place of stay	-	AC bus /cars for the group
	to the place of rehearsals/ performance & back	-	One AC car for the group leader
g)	Accommodation as per NSD Schedule	-	Maximum 4 to 5 night's (as per requirement) on Sharing basis
h)	Travel by air, train or road in case the group is participating at 25 th Bharat Rang Mahotsav in more than one city.	-	Air travel- apex fare in economy class. Places not connected by flight, 3 tier AC Rail travel or AC bus within India.
i)	Local transport of the set material to the performance place for 24 th Bharat Rang Mahotsav in Delhi and other cities in India (if required)	-	Local transport will be provided.
j)	Technical support including required manpower	-	Will be provided by the NSD.
k)	Lighting, Sound & Props	-	Will be provided by the NSD as available in the auditorium and NSD. The group to bear the cost of additional lights and sound.
l)	Set and other props	-	NSD will provide normal platforms, flats & other material as per availability.
m)	International Travel		All foreign groups must arrange, book and pay for their international travel to and fro from their own sources budget or sponsorship, whatever suits them best. NSD will not bear cost for International travel.

PLEASE NOTE:

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* *For claiming TDS (Tax Deducted at Source) benefit the groups have to produce a “Tax Exemption Certificate” from the Income Tax Authorities under double taxation relief under Article 14 of DTAA in the name of the group.*

* *The aforesaid information is essential for filling TDS return and foreign remittance to their bank account.*

**NSD will videotape and photograph the whole or part of the performance in India for documentation, archives, educational use, publicity, or report on 25th BRM, 2026, or for use on its homepage. The play will be recorded for official use by NSD and later will also be uploaded in an online digital archive created by NSD.*

* *This Event may be broadcast live.*

* **Note: NSD reserves right to change the schedule of the festival or to cancel the festival.**

NOTE:

1. Above mentioned terms and conditions will be applicable if, the play get selected by the selection committee.
2. Full video of the play with English subtitle is required, play with a duration of less than 60 minutes will not be considered.
3. The play which has been already showcased in the previous BRM, 8th Theatre Olympics, or any other Festival organized by NSD and play less than one hour will not be considered.
4. There will be a screening process for the selection of plays.
5. International travel will be borne by the participating foreign group.
6. Custom clearance applicable will be solely the groups' responsibility.
7. In case of subsequent show in same venue 50% of applicable Honorarium will be paid.
8. Mode of payment and deduction of Tax, if any will be as per provision applicable to foreign groups in India.
9. Application Fee-
 INR 250/- for India and SAARC countries
 INR 500/- for others.