

**Consulate General of India
Birgunj (Nepal)**

Handloom sector is a symbol of our country's rich and varied cultural heritage. In 2015, the Government of India decided to designate the 7th August every year, as the National Handloom Day.

2. **The 8th National Handloom Day is being celebrated on 7th August, 2022** by the Ministry of Textiles in honour of the handloom weavers/workers and their unique contribution to the socio-cultural development of the country. The 7th August was chosen as National Handloom Day to commemorate the Swadeshi Movement which was launched on this day in 1905. The National Handloom Day is observed annually to honour our handloom weavers and provide impetus to the handloom industry.

3. The following material relating to handloom sector for disseminating the richness of our handloom sector.

I. Tweets: Please find below the link of posts (tweets & contents)

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/11ipa-5z8-Xmle7XIFsXvPyopl595dIAU>

II. Various films on handloom: Film content being heavy, Please find attached the link containing various films on handloom sector:

A) 8 films link on Handloom

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1fTd2FORr2mPs5sMjcecxklcvWpbGC_3?usp=sharing

B) 3 Documentary films on handloom by Sh Muzzarfar Ali:

Documentary on Bhagalpur Hindi, Documentary on Maheshwar Saree and Fabrics Hindi and Documentary on Muga Silk of Assam Hindi)

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1kariiwVh6TtyQeShRjuf3FgTNCLgoFmy?usp=sharing>

C) 3 Documentary films on handloom by Sh Muzzarfar Ali:

Documentary on Pashmina kashmir Hindi, Documentary on Pochampally Ikat and Documentary on TANGALIYA Shawl Hindi)

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1Z2qbIXNh9amsqzGMw6evNn1wOIk7upzU?usp=sharing>

D) Films on handloom in Hindi and English:

Link for films in English:

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1iNo6nINZTAzppAG9VTWapRIMa5uzTtDH?usp=sharing>

Link for films in Hindi:

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1MAzjwiVJWtCG21xebJuTkTvga21Ibn0Q?usp=sharing>

III. Weavers success Stories:

The Link of Various weavers Success stories is as under:

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1kFhy4_pkoe0VpaF9CjLeINr4_hq9VEZs?usp=sharing