

Concept Summary & Reference Note

◆ 1 | Background

The linguistic form Namaha represents a complete phonetic structure made of three core alphabets — En Em Ech (N M H).

In Sanskrit and Hindi recitation, this sound unit embodies *breath, resonance and completion*.

Earlier official RTI replies — Ministry of Education / Central Hindi Directorate (CHDIR/R/T/25/00030 dated 09-09-2025, reply 25-09-2025) — have confirmed that visarga is treated as ayogavaha and not as the letter ha.

However, in natural recitation, the visarga produces the breath sound “ha,” showing that the actual spoken form of *Namaha* carries a distinct sound beyond visarga.

◆ 2 | Constitutional & Linguistic Relevance

Article 343 of the Constitution of Bharat declares *Hindi in Devanagari script* as the official language of the Union.

Hence, Devanagari is not merely a script but the constitutional phonetic base of Bharat. Its structure captures the original vibration of sounds such as Om and Namaha with complete precision — something that Latin or IPA transcription cannot replicate (e.g., *En Ea Em Ea Ech Ea*).

This establishes Namaha as a *universal sound identity* rooted in Bharat’s constitutional script system.

◆ 3 | Scope of Research

- Comparative phonetic analysis between Devanagari and Latin scripts for Sanskrit sounds such as Namaha and Om
- Re-examination of visarga (ayogavaha) as a functional consonant producing the ha-breath tone
- Study of sound consciousness and linguistic identity through recitation dynamics (phonetics + vibration + meaning)

- **Institutional coordination between Central Hindi Directorate, Ministry of Culture, Sanskrit Universities, and EFLU for academic validation**

◆ 4 | Objective

To seek clarity, recognition and inclusion of the phonetic identity Namaha (En Em Ech) in

- **Devanagari standardization framework (Education Ministry)**
- **Intangible linguistic heritage records (Culture Ministry)**
- **Sanskrit linguistic and phonetic research programmes (Universities & CIIL)**
- **Comparative phonetic validation (EFLU)**

◆ 5 | References Attached

1. RTI Reply dated 25-09-2025 – Central Hindi Directorate
2. Concept Paper – ***From Namah to Namaha***
3. Trademark & Copyright Certificates of **Namaha (Devanagari)**

◆ 6 | Declaration

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