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भारत सरकार
SECRETARY
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
MINISTRY OF LAW & JUSTICE
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

D.O. No. A2J/Events/02/2014

Dated the 16th November, 2019

Dear *Su,*

As you may be aware, 26th November is celebrated every year as Constitution day to commemorate the adoption of the Constitution of India and to honour and pay tribute to the contribution of its Founding Fathers. The current year 2019, marks the 70th year of the adoption of the Constitution. It has been decided by the Government to run an awareness campaign focused on Citizens' Duties including Fundamental Duties as enshrined in the Indian Constitution from 26th November, 2019 to 26th November, 2020. The Campaign will start with functions and events on 26th November, 2019.

- It has been decided to do a reading of the 'Preamble' of the Constitution of India on 26th November, 2019 and on Constitution Day (26th November) every year. You may like to issue suitable instructions for reading of the 'Preamble' by the staff, as may be appropriate, on the Constitution Day. A copy of the 'Preamble' in Hindi and English is attached.
- You may also like to schedule talks/conferences/seminars during the campaign period focused on Citizen's/Fundamental Duties to create awareness about them.
- The soft copies/versions of IEC material such as brochures, flyers, posters, films, logo etc. which could be used during the Campaign would be made available on the websites of the Ministry of Information & Broadcasting (MoI&B) and the Department of Justice (www.doj.gov.in) for downloading and further use.
- You are requested to appoint a senior officer for necessary coordination and share their contact details with designated nodal officers in the Department of Justice viz. Joint Secretary, Smt. Sushma Taishete (jsst-doj@gov.in, 011-23385020) and Shri Shailesh Shrivastava, Director (dirj1-doj@gov.in, 011-23072135).
- You are requested to upload reports of activities alongwith photographs of the Campaign on the website of Department of Justice (www.doj.gov.in).

With regards,

Encl.: As above

Yours sincerely,

(Alok Srivastava)

Director,
All State Judicial Academies.

THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA

WE, THE PEOPLE OF INDIA, having solemnly resolved to constitute India into a ¹[SOVEREIGN SOCIALIST SECULAR DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC] and to secure to all its citizens: Preamble.

JUSTICE, social, economic and political;

LIBERTY of thought, expression, belief, faith and worship;

EQUALITY of status and of opportunity;

and to promote among them all

FRATERNITY assuring the dignity of the individual and the ²[unity and integrity of the Nation];

IN OUR CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY this twenty-sixth day of November, 1949, do HEREBY ADOPT, ENACT AND GIVE TO OURSELVES THIS CONSTITUTION.

¹Subs. by the Constitution (Forty-second Amendment) Act, 1976, s. 2, for "SOVEREIGN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC" (w.e.f. 3-1-1977).

²Subs. by s. 2, *ibid.*, for "unity of the Nation" (w.e.f. 3-1-1977).

भारत का संविधान

हम, भारत के लोग, भारत को एक ¹[सम्पूर्ण प्रभुत्व-सम्पन्न समाजवादी पंथनिरपेक्ष लोकतंत्रात्मक गणराज्य] बनाने के लिए, तथा उसके समस्त नागरिकों को:

सामाजिक, आर्थिक और राजनैतिक न्याय,
विचार, अभिव्यक्ति, विश्वास, धर्म

और उपासना की स्वतंत्रता,
प्रतिष्ठा और अवसर की समता

प्राप्त कराने के लिए,

तथा उन सब में व्यक्ति की गरिमा और ²[राष्ट्र की एकता और अखंडता] सुनिश्चित करने वाली बंधुता

बढ़ाने के लिए

दृढ़संकल्प होकर अपनी इस संविधान सभा में आज तारीख 26 नवम्बर, 1949 ई० (मिति मार्गशीर्ष शुक्ला सप्तमी, संवत् दो हजार छह विक्रमी) को एतद्वारा इस संविधान को अंगीकृत, अधिनियमित और आत्मार्पित करते हैं।

¹संविधान (बयालीसवां संशोधन) अधिनियम, 1976 की धारा 2 द्वारा (3-1-1977 से) "प्रभुत्व-संपन्न लोकतंत्रात्मक गणराज्य" के स्थान पर प्रतिस्थापित।

²संविधान (बयालीसवां संशोधन) अधिनियम, 1976 की धारा 2 द्वारा (3-1-1977 से) "राष्ट्र की एकता" के स्थान पर प्रतिस्थापित।