

GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT
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Dated : 16/07/2013

To

1. All Pr. Secretaries / Secretaries / HODs
Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Delhi/New Delhi.
2. Head of all Local / Autonomous Bodies / Public Sector Undertakings
Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Delhi/New Delhi.

**Subject : Observance of "Sadbhavana Diwas" on 20.08.2013 and
"Communal Harmony Fortnight from 20th August 2013 to 3rd
September 2013.**

Sir/Madam,

In respect of the subject stated above, I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of letter NO.F.28-55/2013-NPYAD dated 25/06/2013 (English & Hindi version) alongwith Sadbhavana Diwas Pledge, received from the Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Department of Youth Affairs, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi for information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

(AMITABH KUNDOO)
DY. SECRETARY (GAD/CN.)

Copy to :

The Superintendent (Admn.), GAD, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Delhi Sectt.,
New Delhi for information and necessary action.

(AMITABH KUNDOO)
DY. SECRETARY (GAD/CN.)

Govt. of India
2013 No.F.28-55/2013-NPYAD & 1 Or.
Government of India, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports
Department of Youth Affairs
Dy. No.
Delhi Sachivalaya
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
Dated the 25th June, 2013.
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Observance of "Sadbhavana Diwas" on 20.8.2013.

The birth anniversary of late Prime Minister of India Shri Rajiv Gandhi on 20th August is observed as "Sadbhavana Diwas" nation-wide every year. The theme of Sadbhavana is to promote national integration and communal harmony among people of all religions, languages and regions. The idea behind observance of Sadbhavana Diwas is to eschew violence and to promote goodwill among the people. To promote this idea further, the fortnight beginning from 20th August to 3rd September is observed as "Communal Harmony Fortnight" every year.

2. An appropriate function may be organized on 20th August, 2013, in which all employees of the Ministry/Department/Organizations be associated and "Sadbhavana Pledge" be administered. The text of the Pledge is given on the over-leaf.
3. Further, appropriate events may also be organized during the Communal Harmony Fortnight by the Ministries/Departments including organizations under their administrative control with a view to spreading the message of Sadbhavana and Communal Harmony.
4. It is requested that necessary steps may be initiated immediately and details of the programmes organized in this regard may be intimated to this Ministry.
5. Para 2 of the OM No. .F.28-55/2013-NPYAD, dated 10.6.2013 of this Ministry is superseded.

(Renu Sarin)
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India
Tel: 23387304

Encl: Text of Sadbhavana Pledge (over-leaf)

To

Union Ministries/Departments, State Governments etc.

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Sh. Ram Arora

20/07/2013
Sh. Ram Arora

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सदभावना दिवस प्रतिज्ञा

मैं प्रतिज्ञा करता/करती हूँ कि मैं जाति, सम्प्रदाय, क्षेत्र, धर्म, अथवा भाषा का भेदभाव किए बिना सभी भारतवासियों की भावनात्मक एकता और सदभावना के लिए कार्य करूंगा/करूंगी । मैं पुनः प्रतिज्ञा करता/करती हूँ कि मैं हिंसा का सहारा लिए बिना, सभी प्रकार के मतभेद बातचीत और संवैधानिक माध्यमों से सुलझाऊँ गा/सुलझाऊँगी ।

SADBHAVANA DAY PLEDGE

I take this solemn pledge that I will work for the emotional oneness and harmony of all the people of India regardless of caste, region, religion or language. I further pledge that I shall resolve all differences among us through dialogue and constitutional means without resorting to violence.