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No. F/1316/11/CTB/DUSIB/2018/D-834 Dated:- 30/10/2019

Sub:- Celebrating Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day) on 31' October, 2019 to commemorate the birth Anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel.

The enclosed copy is forwarded for information and necessary action please.


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No. I-19034/04-2019-NI-II
Government of India
Ministry of Home Affairs
(IS-I Division)

North Block, New Delhi
Dated: October 16, 2019

To

The Chief Secretaries of all States/ UTs

Subject: Rashtriya Ekta Diwas-2019

Sir/ Madam,

As you are kindly aware, Rashtriya Ekta Diwas is celebrated on 31st October to commemorate the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel and to re-affirm our commitment to uphold the security, unity and integrity of the country.

2. In the above context, Union Home Minister has requested Chief Ministers of States and Administrators of UTs on 07.10.2019 to celebrate the occasion with enthusiasm and fervour. On similar lines, Union Home Secretary has written on 07.10.2019 to Chief Secretaries of States/ UTs. Copies of both letters are enclosed.

3. States/ UTs have been requested to undertake inter alia the following activities:

- i) *Nomination for Sardar Patel National Unity Award*, the highest civilian award in the field of national unity and integrity, on the online portal www.nationalunityawards.mha.gov.in.
- ii) *Display of photo of Sardar Patel*, along with his message, in all police stations and police offices to inspire police personnel and public. Soft copy of the photo was sent by email on 14.10.2019.
- iii) *Taking of pledge* on 31.10.2019 to mark the occasion, as per past practice.
- iv) *Run for Unity* on 31.10.2019 at State/ UT and District Headquarters, involving people from all sections of society, as per past practice.
- v) *March Past* in the evening of 31.10.2019 by State/ UT Police and other uniformed formations, as per past practice.

4. It is requested to take necessary action in the matter, on the above lines.

Encl: As above

Yours faithfully,

(S.C.L. Das)

Joint Secretary (IS-I)

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AJAY BHALLA, IAS



गृह सचिव
Home Secretary
भारत सरकार
Government of India
North Block,
New Delhi

D.O. No. I-19034/04/2019-NI-II

07th October, 2019

Dear Chief Secretary,

The observance of Rashtriya Ekta Diwas or National Unity Day on 31st October serves to reinforce our commitment to strengthen the security, unity and integrity of our country. It not only commemorates the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, the architect of national integration of independent India, but also re-affirms the inherent strength and resilience of our people to withstand threats to the security, unity and integrity of the country.

2. The Union Home Minister has already written to the Chief Ministers of all States and Administrators of UTs to celebrate Rashtriya Ekta Diwas-2019 with enthusiasm and fervour (copy enclosed).

3. This year, celebration of Rashtriya Ekta Diwas has a special significance as it marks the completion of the task of making Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh an integral part of India by abrogating Article 370. Special events being undertaken to mark the celebration of the National Unity Day -2019 include the following:

i) For the first time, the Rashtriya Ekta Diwas Parade, with participation from police forces across the country, is being organized on 31st October, 2019 at the Statue of Unity, Kevadiya, Gujarat, which will be held every year thereafter. The guidelines in this regard have already been issued separately on 04.10.2019.

ii) I have already written to you on 30th September, 2019 regarding institution of the Sardar Patel National Unity Award, the highest civilian award in the field of national unity and integrity, and have requested for nominations or recommendations for the same. I look forward to receiving them at an early date.

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iii) On this occasion, to recognise the historical contribution of Sardar Patel, as the first Union Home Minister, in laying firm foundations of the Indian Police, giving it identity, character and direction, it would be an apt gesture to display the portrait of Sardar Patel along with his message in all police stations and police offices of the country, to inspire people and police personnel alike. I am enclosing a copy of his photograph along with his message with the request to issue appropriate instructions to all concerned to display the portrait at all police stations and police offices.

4. Further, in keeping with the practice of past years, I request you to give appropriate directions and guidance for organizing a Pledge taking ceremony (copy of Rashtriya Ekta Diwas Pledge enclosed), Run for Unity and March Past on 31st October, 2019, in a befitting manner, as advised in the letter of Union Home Minister.

With regards,

Encl. as above

Yours sincerely,


(Ajay Bhalla)

To

Chief Secretaries of all States/UTs

राष्ट्रीय एकता दिवस शपथ

मैं सत्यनिष्ठा से शपथ लेता हूँ कि मैं राष्ट्र की एकता, अखंडता और सुरक्षा को बनाए रखने के लिए स्वयं को समर्पित करूंगा और अपने देशवासियों के बीच यह संदेश फैलाने का भी भरसक प्रयत्न करूंगा। मैं यह शपथ अपने देश की एकता की भावना से ले रहा हूँ जिसे सरदार वल्लभभाई पटेल की दूरदर्शिता एवं कार्यों द्वारा संभव बनाया जा सका। मैं अपने देश की आंतरिक सुरक्षा सुनिश्चित करने के लिए अपना योगदान करने का भी सत्यनिष्ठा से संकल्प करता हूँ।

RASHTRIYA EKTA DIWAS PLEDGE

I solemnly pledge that I dedicate myself to preserve the unity, integrity and security of the nation and also strive hard to spread this message among my fellow countrymen. I take this pledge in the spirit of unification of my country which was made possible by the vision and actions of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. I also solemnly resolve to make my own contribution to ensure internal security of my country.