

**GOVT. OF NCT OF DELHI**  
**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE**  
**GLNS COMPLEX, DELHI GATE**  
**NEW DELHI-110002**  
**[ADMINISTRATION BRANCH]**

F.10 (232)/2015/DSW/Cir./Estt/Pt-I/17253-322

Dated: 12 SEP 2017

**CIRCULAR**

I am directed to enclose a copy of letter No. F.53/118/2017/GAD/CN/2544 dated 31/08/2017 received from Dy. Secretary (GAD/CN), GNCT of Delhi regarding Celebrating Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day) on 31/10/2017 to commemorate the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, along with the bilingual text of the 'Rashtriya Ekta Diwas' Pledge to be organized to mark the occasion.

Encl: As above.

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1. P.S to Secretary, HQ, Department of Social Welfare.
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3. P.A to Spl. Director, HQ, Department of Social Welfare.

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4. Sr. System Analyst, DSW for uploading the circular on the Departmental website.
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Sh. Santosh Singh  
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Sh. Santosh, Asst. A1

**GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI  
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT  
(CO-ORDINATION BRANCH)**

**DELHI SECRETARIAT, I.P. ESTATE, NEW DELHI - 110002**

No.F.53/118/2017/GAD/CN/2544

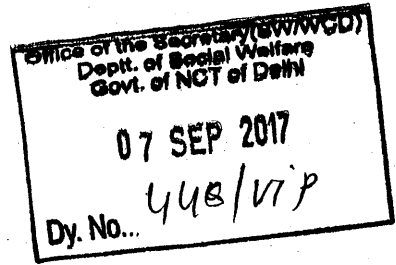
Date: 31/8/2017

To Secy. (SW & W&CD)

All Pr. Secretaries/Secretaries/HODs  
Govt. of NCT of Delhi,

Head of all Autonomous Bodies/Public Sector Undertakings  
Govt. of NCT of Delhi

Head of all Local Bodies  
Govt. of NCT of Delhi



Sub: - Celebrating Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day) on 31.10.2017 to commemorate the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel.

Sir/Madam,

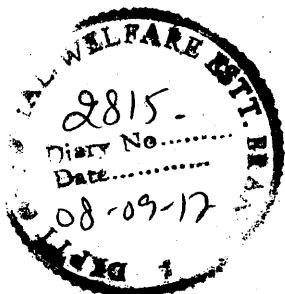
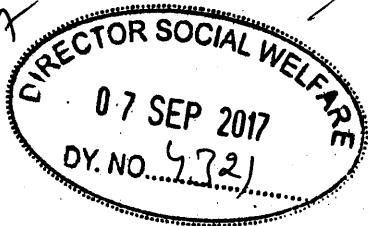
I am directed to forward herewith D.O. letter No. I-19034/01/2017/NI-II dated 20.07.2017 received from Home Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India, communication from Union Home Minister. and the Rashtriya Ekta Diwas Pledge.

It is requested to take appropriate action as mentioned in Para 3 of the D.O letter of Home Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: As above

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



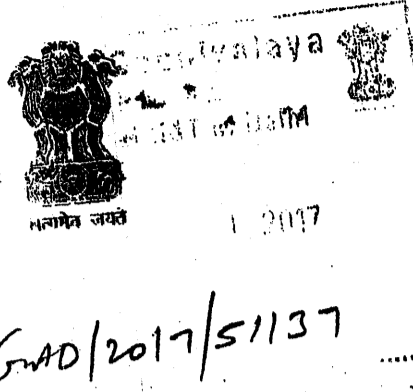
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24/8/2017  
31/8/17

RAJIV MEHRISHI  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SECRETARY  
GOVT. OF NCT OF DELHI  
111, 2017  
D.O. No. L-19032701/2017-NI-II



गृह सचिव  
HOME SECRETARY  
भारत सरकार  
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
North Block,  
New Delhi

20<sup>th</sup> July, 2017

GAD/2017/51137

Dear Chief Secretary,

It has been decided to observe the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbai Patel as "Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day)" on 31<sup>st</sup> October, 2017. This occasion provides us an opportunity to re-affirm the inherent strength and resilience of our nation to withstand the actual and potential threats to the unity, integrity and security of our country.

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2. The Union Home Minister has already written to the Minister/Chief Minister in this regard. A copy of the letter is enclosed herewith.

28.7.17

3. I request you to issue appropriate directions to all concerned to follow the details i.e., Pledge Ceremony, Run for Unity and March Past as advised in the said letter of the Union Home Minister.

Secy (GAD) has seen it

Warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

CSG Encl. as above

(Rajiv Mehrishi)

SS(GAD) 21.8.17

Dr. M M Kutty,  
Chief Secretary,  
Govt. of NCT of Delhi,  
DELHI - 110 002.

02/8/17  
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RAJNATH SINGH



D.O.No.I-19034/01/2017-NI-II

गृह मंत्री  
भारत  
नई दिल्ली-110001  
HOME MINISTER  
INDIA  
NEW DELHI-110001

Dear

The Government observes 31<sup>st</sup> October all over the country as a day of special occasion, to foster and reinforce our dedication to preserve and strengthen unity, integrity and security of our nation, by celebrating it as **Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day)** to commemorate the birth anniversary of **Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel**.

2. The occasion provides us an opportunity to re-affirm the inherent strength and resilience of our nation to withstand the actual and potential threats to the unity, integrity and security of our country.


3. I, therefore, request you to give appropriate directions and guidance to all concerned so that the **Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day)** could be organized and celebrated in a befitting manner on **31<sup>st</sup> October, 2017**. A Pledge taking ceremony may be organized to mark the occasion. The bi-lingual text of the "**Rashtriya Ekta Diwas**" Pledge is enclosed.

4. A "**Run for Unity**" may also be organized at the State/District Headquarters, involving people from all sections of the society, so that a message of national unity permeates to every part of the nation and the society.

5. In order to boost sentiments that our nation will not countenance any force that seeks to threaten the unity, integrity and security of our nation, a **March Past** may be organized in the evening of 31<sup>st</sup> October by the State Police and other agencies.

With regards,

Yours sincerely

  
11.31.17  
(Rajnath Singh)

Encl: as above.

All Ministers in Union Government  
Chief Ministers of all State Governments

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## 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 करूँगा और अपने देशवासियों के बीच यह संदेश फैलाने का भी भरसक प्रयत्न करूँगा। 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.