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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING
SHASTRI BHAWAN, NEW DELHI - 110001

D.O.No. 08/Secy(I&B)2020

25th November, 2020

Dear Secretary,

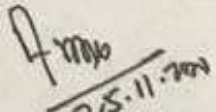
This is to inform that Hon'ble President of India will be leading the Nation at **11.00 AM on 26th November, 2020** in reading the Preamble of the Constitution of India to mark the occasion of "Constitution Day". The event will be live telecast by DD News.

2. I am sure all of you would have made arrangements for reading of the Preamble in your office as well as in all attached and subordinate offices/PSUs/autonomous bodies/ institutions of your Ministry/Departments. In this regard, I would request that :

- i) the Preamble of the Constitution is displayed on the landing page of the official website of your Ministry/Department/PSUs/Autonomous Bodies etc.
- ii) Photographs/short videos of reading of the Preamble is tweeted using #SamvidhanDiwas. Please also tag PIB at @PIB_India, DD News at @DDNewslive and AIR at @airnewsalerts and also at @MIB_India
- iii) Photographs/Short Videos of various activities observed on "Constitution Day" in your Ministry/Department/PSUs/Organisations may also be placed on your website in the Events Section.

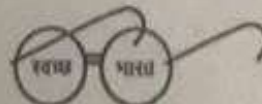
Regards,

Yours sincerely,


25.11.2020
(Amit Khare)

To

All Secretaries to the Government of India



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).