

### कार्यालय रक्षा लेखा महानियंत्रक, उलान बटार रोड, पालम, दिल्ली छावनी-10

#### Office of the CGDA, Ulan Batar Road, Palam, Delhi Cantt-110010

No. AN/III/3012/Circular/Vol. VIII dated 28.10.2019.

To,

All PCsDA/ PCA (Fys.)/ PIFAs, CsDA/ CsFA (Fys.)/ IFAs/ RTCs. (through CGDA website).

Subject: Observance of "Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day)" on 31st October 2019.

In continuation of HQrs. Office circular of even number dated 10.10.2019, please find enclosed Ministry of Defence D(Welfare) ID No.11011/09/D(Welfare)/2019 dated 21.10.2019 and 22.10.2019 alongwith enclosures on the subject matter for information and necessary action.

It is requested to take necessary action for observance of "Rashtriya Ekta Diwas(National Unity Day)" as per details contained therein. A pledge taking ceremony may be organized to mark the occasion. The text of "Rashtriya Ekta Diwas Pledge" is also enclosed.

(KSP Srivastava) Accounts Officer

Enclosures: as above.

1. IT&S Wing: With a request to upload on CGDA's website.

2. AN- IV, Local: for information and necessary action.

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(KSP Srivastava) Accounts Officer

# राष्ट्रीय एकता दिवस शपथ

में सत्यनिष्ठा से शपथ लेता हूँ कि में 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 द्रवर्शिता एवं कार्यो 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.

### MINISTRY OF DEFENCE D(WELFARE)

Subject: Observance of "Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day)" on 31st October, 2019-reg.

Reference is invited towards I.D note of even number dated 30.09.2019 and I.D note dated 21.10.2019 forwarding therewith copy of Hon'ble Home Minister D.O letter dated 07.10.2019 containing detailed instructions in connection with celebration of the Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day) on 31.10.2019. Enclosed herewith is a copy of D.O letter dated 16.10.2019 of Cabinet Secretary re-iterating the instructions contained in Hon'ble Home Minister's aforesaid D.O letter.

- 2. It is again requested that appropriate instructions may be issued to all concerned to celebrate the Rashtriya Ekta Diwas by undertaking suitable activities that may include administering a Pledge, organizing "Run for Unity" and holding a March Past by the uniformed forces or formations on 31<sup>st</sup> October, 2019.
- 3. It is further, re-iterated that the events may also be given adequate publicity, so that the message of national until and awareness about Sardar Patel's steller contricutions to the building of modern India is re-inforced.

Encl: As above.

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MoD ID No.11011/09/D(Welfare)/2019, dated 22.10.2019

Copy for similar action to:

1. Army Hqrs./QMG Branch (ADG Adm & Coord)

2. Naval Hqrs/COP

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4. DGICG, National Stadium, New Delhi

(Sanjai Bajpai)

Deputy Secretary (Parl/Wel)

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# D(WELFARE)

Subject:

Observance of "Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day)" on 31st October.

2019-reg.

Reference is invited towards captioned subject. Enclosed herewith is a copy of Hon'ble Home Minister's D.O letter dated 07.10.2019 addressed to Hon'ble Raksha Mantri. It has, inter-alia, been conveyed that the celebration of the Rashtriya Ekta Diwas has a special significance this year, as it marks the completion of the task of making Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh an intergral part of India by abrogating Article 370. Therefore, it would be in the fitness of things to undertake special events to mark the celebration of the National Unity Day.

- 2. Government of India has instituted a prestigious National Award viz. Sardar Patel National Untiy Award to recognize the tireless and selfless work done by citizens to promote the cause of national unity and integrity and to strengthen the fabric of the country as one nation. It is requested that the nominations / recommendations, if any, for the Award may be sent on the online portal: www. nationalunityawards.mha.gov.in.
- 3. In keeping with the practice of the past years, appropriate directions and guidance may be issued to all the sub-ordinate and attached organizations, under your administrative control for celebrating the National Unity Day on 31.10.2019 in a befitting manner. To celebrate the event with enthusiasm and fervour suitable activities may be undertaken which may include the following:-
  - (a) A pledge taking ceremony may be organized to mark the occasion. A copy of the Rashtriya Ekta Diwas Pledge is enclosed.
  - A "Run for Unity" may also be organized at appropriate locations, involving (b) people from all sections of the society, so that a message of national unity permeates to every corner of the country.
  - A March Past may be organized in the evening of 31st October by uniformed (c) forces or formations wherever feasible.

In this regard, kind attention is also invited towards the directions contained in I.D note dated 30.09.2019 in connection with celebration of Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (copy enclosed for ready reference).

4. It is, therefore, requested that instructions may please be issued as detailed in preceding paragraphs to celebrate the Rashtriya Ekta Diwas in a befitting manner.

Encl: As above

(Sanjai Bajpaj) Deputy Secretary (Parl/Wél)

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MoD ID No.11011/09/D(Welfare)/2019, dated 21.10.2019

Copy for similar action to:

- 1. Army Hqrs./QMG Branch (ADG Adm & Coord)
- 2. Naval Hgrs/COP
- 3. Air Hars/PC-1
- 4. DGICG, National Stadium, New Delhi

# राजींव गीवा Rajiv Gauba



मंत्रिमंडल सचिव भारत सरकार CABINET SECRETARY GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

October 16, 2019

## D.O. No. 281/1/7/2017-TS

As you are aware, the Birth Anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel is observed as Dear Secretary, "Rashtriya Ekta Diwas" (National Unity Day) on 31st October, every year. This is an occasion to remember the multi-faceted contributions of Sardar Patel to nation building and to re-affirm the idea of a strong, untied and resilient India.

- The Union Home Minister has already written to all Union Ministers of the Government of India, for celebrating the occasion in a befitting manner (copy enclosed).
- I would request you to issue appropriate instructions to all concerned to celebrate the "Rashtriya Ekta Diwas" by undertaking suitable activities that may include administering a Pledge (copy enclosed), organizing a "Run for Unity" and holding a March Past by the uniformed forces or formations wherever feasible on 31st October, 2019, as outlined in the letter of the Union Home Minister.
  - Special events to mark the celebrations of the National Unity Day-2019 include the following:
  - 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.
  - A prestigious civilian award viz. Sardar Patel National Unity Award, in the field of national unity and integrity has been instituted by the Government of India. Nominations or www.nationalunityew.sids.mha.gov.in, in the given format.
  - The events may also be given adequate publicity, so that the message of national unity o. The Cookies may also be given adequate pablishy, so that the historia of modern India is read awareness about Sardar Patel's stellar contributions to the building of modern India is reinforced.

With regards,

(Rajiv Gauba)

Dr. Ajay Kumar Secretary, Ministry of Defence New Delhi

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HOME MINISTER INDIA

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

Dated: 7th October, 2019

Respected Rajnath Singh Ji,

The observance of Rashtriya Ekta Diwas or National Unity Day on 31<sup>st</sup> 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.

The celebration of Rashtriya Ekta Diwas has a special significance this year, as it marks the completion of the task of making Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh an integral part of India by abrogating Article 370. In a true sense, this represents the realisation of the dream of Sardar Patel for an integrated India.

It would be in the fitness of things, therefore, to undertake special events to mark the celebration of the National Unity Day. For the first time, The Rashtriya Ekta Diwas Parade, with participation from police forces across the country, is being organized on 31<sup>st</sup> October, 2019 at the Statue of Unity, Kevadiya, Gujarat, which will be held every year thereafter.

Government of India has instituted a prestigious national award viz. Sardar Patel National Unity Award, to recognize the tireless and selfless work done by citizens to promote the cause of national unity and integrity and to strengthen the fabric of the country as one nation. The award seeks to recognize the exemplary and outstanding contribution of such individuals, who work for promoting the unity and integrity of the country, so that they can serve as an inspiration to others, while reinforcing the idea of India as a strong and united nation. The nominations/recommendations for the Sardar Patel National Unity Award may be sent on the online portal www.nationalunityawards.mha.gov.in, in the given

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format. I would urge you to kindly send nominations or recommendations for the Sardar Patel National Unity Award for 2019, at the earliest. A copy of the award scheme is enclosed.

Further, in keeping with the practice of past years, I request you to give appropriate directions and guidance for celebrating the National Unity Day on 31st October, 2019 in a befitting manner. Ministries are expected to undertake suitable activities to observe the occasion, which may include the following:

- a) A Pledge taking ceremony may be organized to mark the occasion; the text of the "Rashtriya Ekta Diwas Pledge" is enclosed.
- b) A "Run for Unity" may also be organized at appropriate locations, involving people from all sections of the society, so that a message of national unity permeates to every corner of the country.
- c) A March Past may be organized in the evening of 31<sup>st</sup> October by uniformed forces or formations wherever feasible.

I would urge you to kindly ensure that the Rashtriya Ekta Diwas is celebrated with enthusiasm and fervour.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Amit Shah)

Shri Rajnath Singh, Minister of Defence, Ministry of Defence, 104, South Block, New Delhi

Encl: as above.

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HOME MINISTER INDIA

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दिनांक: 07 अक्तूबर, 2019

### आदरणीय राजनाथ सिंह जी,

31 अक्तूबर, 2019 को राष्ट्रीय एकता दिवस मनाने का उद्देश्य, भारत की सुरक्षा, एकता और अखण्डता को मजबूत बनाने की हमारी प्रतिबद्धता को और अधिक सुदृढ़ करना है। यह दिवस न केवल स्वतंत्र भारत के राष्ट्रीय एकीकरण के शिल्पकार, सरदार वल्लभभाई पटेल की जयंती मनाने का अवसर प्रदान करता है बल्कि देश की सुरक्षा, एकता और अखण्डता के लिए खतरों से निपटने की हमारे देशवासियों की निहित शिक एवं सामर्थ्य की भी पृष्टि करता है।

इस वर्ष राष्ट्रीय एकता दिवस का विशेष महत्व है क्योंकि इस वर्ष जम्मू एवं कश्मीर तथा लद्दाख को धारा 370 हटाकर भारत का अभिन्न अंग बनाने का कार्य पूरा हुआ है, जिससे सही मायने में, सरदार पटेल के अखण्ड भारत का सपना साकार हुआ है।

इसलिए, राष्ट्रीय एकता दिवस के अवसर पर विशेष कार्यक्रम आयोजित करना अत्यंत उपयुक्त होगा। पहली बार, पूरे देश के पुलिस बलों की भागीदारी से 31 अक्तूबर, 2019 को स्टेच्यू ऑफ यूनिटी, केवडिया, गुजरात में राष्ट्रीय एकता दिवस परेड आयोजित की जा रही है जो इसके बाद प्रत्येक वर्ष आयोजित की जाएगी।

नागरिकों द्वारा राष्ट्रीय एकता और अखंडता को बढ़ावा देने वाले और एक राष्ट्र के रूप में देश के ताने-बाने को मजबूत करने वाले अथक और निःस्वार्थ कार्यों का सम्मान करने के लिए भारत सरकार ने एक सर्वश्रेष्ठ नागरिक सम्मान, सरदार पटेल राष्ट्रीय एकता सम्मान शुरू किया है । इस सम्मान का उद्देश्य देश की एकता और अखंडता को बढ़ावा देने के लिए कार्य कर रहे लोगों के अनुकरणीय और उत्कृष्ट योगदान का सम्मान करना है, तािक वे एक मजबूत और एकजुट राष्ट्र के रूप में भारत की संकल्पना को प्रबल बनाते हुए, दूसरे लोगों के लिए प्रेरणा बन सकें। सरदार पटेल राष्ट्रीय एकता सम्मान के लिए नामांकन अथवा सिफ़ारिशें, ऑनलाइन पोर्टल <u>www.nationalunityawards.mha.gov.in</u> पर दिए गए प्रारूप में भेजी जा सकती हैं। मेरा आपसे आग्रह है कि 2019 के सरदार पटेल राष्ट्रीय एकता सम्मान के लिए यथाशीघ्र नामांकन या सिफ़ारिशें भेजें। योजना की प्रति सलंग्न है।

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इसके अतिरिक्त, मेरा आपसे यह भी अनुरोध है कि विगत वर्षों की ही तरह आप 31 अक्तूबर, 2019 को यथोचित तरीके से राष्ट्रीय एकता दिवस मनाने के बारे में समुचित सलाह दें और मार्गदर्शन करें। मंत्रालयों से अपेक्षा है कि वे इस अवसर से जुड़े कार्यक्रम आयोजित करें, जिनमें निम्नलिखित शामिल हों:

- (क) राष्ट्रीय एकता दिवस शपथ ग्रहण कार्यक्रम; ''राष्ट्रीय एकता दिवस शपथ'' का पाठ संलग्न है।
- (ख) उपयुक्त स्थानों पर ''रन फॉर यूनिटी'' का आयोजन जिसमें समाज के सभी वर्ग के लोग शामिल हों, ताकि राष्ट्रीय एकता का संदेश देश के कोने-कोने तक पहुंचे।
- (ग) 31 अक्तूबर की शाम को वर्दीधारी बलों तथा संगठनों द्वारा जहाँ संभव हो, मार्च पास्ट का आयोजन।

मेरा आपसे यह सुनिश्चित करनें का आग्रह है कि राष्ट्रीय एकता दिवस को उत्साह और उमंग से मनाएं।

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(अमिर्त शाह)

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