

Govt. of NCT of Delhi
Department of Social Welfare
7th Floor, MSO Building, ITO
I.P.Estate, New Delhi-110002
(Administrative Branch)

F44(79)/2023/DSW/Admn/PartFile/5389-5449

Dated: 21/1/25

CIRCULAR

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of letter No F.No. 17/47/Misc./2001/GAD/1337 dated 09.01.2025 alongwith its enclosures received from Joint Secretary (GAD) regarding Observance of silence on 30th January (Martyrs' Day) in the memory of those who sacrificed their lives during struggle for India's freedom.

The following instructions have been laid down by Under Secretary to the Government of India vide no. GAD/2025/534 for observance of this day:

1. Silence should be observed and work and movement stopped for two minutes throughout the country at 11:00 A.M. on 30th January. Further, it is stated that wherever feasible, the commencement and termination of the two minutes' silence period should be indicated by sound of siren.
2. On hearing the signal (wherever available), all persons would stand up and observe the silence.
3. At places where no signal systems are available, suitable instructions can be issued to all concerned for observing the silence for two minutes at 11:00 A.M.

All the DSWOs, HOOs, DDOs, DDs and Branch Incharges are hereby requested to ensure that the observance is conducted with utmost respect and solemnity.

Encl: As above.



Section Officer (Admin)

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To

1. PS to Secretary (SW), DSW, 7th Floor, MSO Building, ITO, New Delhi-110002.
2. PS to Director (SW), DSW, 7th Floor, MSO Building, ITO, New Delhi-110002
3. All DDs/DSWOs, DSW, GNCTD, Delhi.
4. All Supdts./DDO/HOO of Homes/Institutions, DSW, New Delhi.
5. Sr. System Analyst, DSW for uploading the circular on the departmental website.
6. Guard file.



Section Officer (Admin)

472/CC
21/01/2025

Sh. Vinod P Kavle

Observance of silence on 30th January (Martyrs' Day) in the memory of those who sacrificed their lives during struggle for India's Freedom

From : gad admn <gad.admn@gmail.com>

Fri, Jan 10, 2025 11:29 AM

Subject : Observance of silence on 30th January (Martyrs' Day) in the memory of those who sacrificed their lives during struggle for India's Freedom

1 attachment

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Madam/Sir,

Please find the attachment on the subject cited above for information.

Thanking You

Regards

Jt.. Secretary
General Administration Department



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**GOVERNMENT OF NCT OF DELHI
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT
2ND LEVEL, 'A' WING, DELHI SECRETARIAT
I.P. ESTATE, NEW DELHI-110002**

F.No.17/47/Misc./2001/GAD/ 1337

Dated :- 09/01/2025

To

All Addl. Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries/Secretaries/
Heads of Departments, Heads of Autonomous Bodies/Undertakings/
Local Bodies, Govt. of NCT of Delhi
Delhi/New Delhi

Sub: **Observance of silence on 30th January (Martyrs' Day) in the
memory of those who sacrificed their lives during struggle for
India's freedom**

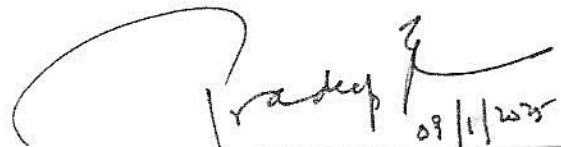
Sir/Madam,

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of letter No.2/10/2024-Public, dt.
01 January, 2025 of the Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India on the subject
cited above, for appropriate action and compliance.

This issues with the approval of Addl. Chief Secretary (GAD).

Yours faithfully,

Encl.: as above.



**(Pradeep Tayal)
Joint Secretary (GAD)**

Delhi Sachivalaya
GAD/R&I Branch
Govt. of NCT of Delhi

No. 2/10/2024-Public

Government of India/Bharat Sarkar
Ministry of Home Affairs/Grih Mantralaya

06 JAN 2025

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North Block, New Delhi.
Dated: 1st January, 2025

To, GAD/2025/534

The Chief Secretaries/ Administrators of all
State Governments/Union Territory Administrations

01 JAN 2025

Subject:- Observance of silence on 30th January (Martyrs' Day) in the memory of those who sacrificed their lives during struggle for India's freedom-

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to say that on 30th January, every year, two minutes' silence is observed at 11.00 AM., throughout the country, in the memory of those who sacrificed their lives during the struggle for India's freedom.

2. The following standing instructions have been laid down for observance of this day:

- (i) Silence should be observed and work and movement stopped for two minutes throughout the country at 11.00 A.M. on 30th January.
- (ii) Wherever feasible, the commencement and termination of the two minutes' silence period should be indicated by sound of siren or Army guns. Sirens should be sounded from 10.59 hours till 11.00 hours and after two minutes, all clear sirens should again be sounded from 11.02 hours till 11.03 hours. This procedure may be adopted where sirens exist.
- (iii) On hearing the signal (wherever available), all persons would stand up and observe the silence.
- (iv) At places where no signal systems is available, suitable instructions can be issued to all concerned for observing the silence for two minutes at 11.00 A.M.

3. In the past, it has been observed that while two minutes' silence is observed in some offices, the general public goes about its occupation in the ordinary course, unmindful of the solemnity of the occasion. The State/Union Territories Governments are requested to ensure that the Martyrs' Day is observed with due solemnity. State/Union Territories Government may issue instructions to all educational institutions and Public Sector Enterprises under their control for observance of the Martyrs' Day, accordingly. Talks/speeches on freedom struggle and national integration may also be organised including in hybrid mode.

Yours faithfully,

(Debobroto Basu)
Under Secretary to the Government of India
☎: 011-23092421



Copy, for information, to the Secretary to the Governors/Lt. Governors of all States/ Union Territory Administrations.


(Debobroto Basu)

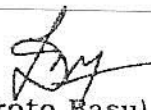
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1. All Ministries/Departments of the Government of India.
2. President's Secretariat
3. Vice-President's Secretariat
4. Prime Minister's Office
5. Registrar, Supreme Court of India
6. Registrar, Delhi High Court
7. Cabinet Secretariat
8. Rajya Sabha Secretariat
9. Lok Sabha Secretariat
10. NITI Aayog
11. Election Commission of India
12. Union Public Service Commission
13. Office of Comptroller and Auditor General of India
14. Central Vigilance Commission
15. University Grants Commission
16. National Commission for SCs
17. National Commission for STs
18. Law Commission
19. National Commission for Minorities
20. National Commission for Women
21. National Human Rights Commission
22. Manager, Reserve Bank of India
23. All attached & subordinate offices of the Ministry of Home Affairs located at Delhi / New Delhi.
24. AD-III Section, Ministry of Home Affairs.
25. Principal Information Officer, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.
26. ADG (Media), Ministry of Home Affairs, North Block.

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(Debobroto Basu)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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सं. 2/10/2024-पब्लिक
भारत सरकार
गृह मंत्रालय

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नॉर्थ ब्लॉक, नई दिल्ली
दिनांक: 01 जनवरी, 2025

सेवा में,

सभी राज्य सरकारों/संघ राज्य क्षेत्र प्रशासनों के मुख्य सचिव/प्रशासक

विषय:- भारत के स्वतंत्रता संग्राम में अपने प्राणों की आहुति देने वाले शहीदों की याद में 30 जनवरी (शहीद दिवस) को मौन धारण करना।

महोदय/महोदया,

मुझे यह कहने का निदेश हुआ है कि भारत के स्वतंत्रता संग्राम में अपने प्राणों की आहुति देने वाले शहीदों की याद में प्रति वर्ष 30 जनवरी को पूरे देश में पूर्वाह्न 11.00 बजे दो मिनट का मौन रखा जाता है।

2. इस दिवस को मनाने के संबंध में निम्नलिखित स्थाई अनुदेश निर्धारित किए गए हैं :

- (i) 30 जनवरी को पूर्वाह्न 11.00 बजे पूरे देश में मौन रखा जाना चाहिए और काम तथा गतिविधियों को रोक दिया जाना चाहिए।
- (ii) जहां कहीं संभव हो, दो मिनट के मौन की अवधि शुरू होने तथा समाप्त होने की सूचना सायरन बजाकर या आर्मी गन से दी जानी चाहिए। सायरन 10.59 बजे से 11.00 बजे तक बजाए जाने चाहिए और दो मिनट के बाद 11.02 बजे से 11.03 बजे तक पुनः क्लियर सायरन बजाए जाने चाहिए। जहां सायरन उपलब्ध हो वहां यह कार्यविधि अपनाई जाए।
- (iii) सिगनल (जहां उपलब्ध हो), सुनकर सभी व्यक्ति खड़े हो जाएं और मौन धारण करें।
- (iv) जिन स्थानों पर सिगनल की कोई व्यवस्था न हो, वहां पूर्वाह्न 11.00 बजे दो मिनट का मौन रखने के लिए सभी संबंधितों को उपयुक्त अनुदेश दिए जा सकते हैं।

3. विगत में यह देखा गया है कि यद्यपि कुछ कार्यालयों में दो मिनट का मौन रखा जाता है, परंतु आम जनता इस अवसर की गंभीरता पर ध्यान दिए बिना सामान्य रूप से अपने काम में लगी रहती है। राज्यों/संघ राज्य क्षेत्र सरकारों से अनुरोध है कि शहीद दिवस को पूरी गंभीरता के साथ मनाया जाए। राज्य/संघ राज्य क्षेत्र सरकारें, तदनुसार, शहीद दिवस को मनाने के संबंध में अपने नियंत्रणाधीन सभी शैक्षिक संस्थाओं और सार्वजनिक क्षेत्र के उपक्रमों को अनुदेश जारी कर सकती हैं। स्वतंत्रता संग्राम और राष्ट्रीय एकता के बारे में वार्ताएं / भाषण हाइब्रिड मोड में भी आयोजित किए जाएं।

भवदीय,

6.1.25

(देबोब्रतो बासु)

अवरसचिव, भारत सरकार

दूरभाष: 011-23092421

प्रतिलिपि, सभी राज्यों के राज्यपालों/उप-राज्यपालों के सचिवों/संघ राज्य क्षेत्र प्रशासकों को सूचना एवं आवश्यक कार्रवाई हेतु प्रेषित।

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प्रतिलिपि सूचनार्थ एवं आवश्यक कार्रवाई हेतु अग्रेषित :-

1. भारत सरकार के सभी मंत्रालय/विभाग
2. राष्ट्रपति सचिवालय
3. उपराष्ट्रपति का सचिवालय
4. प्रधान मंत्री कार्यालय
5. रजिस्ट्रार, भारत का उच्चतम न्यायालय
6. रजिस्ट्रार, दिल्ली उच्च न्यायालय
7. मंत्रिमंडल सचिवालय
8. राज्य सभा सचिवालय
9. लोक सभा सचिवालय
10. नीति आयोग
11. भारत का निर्वाचन आयोग
12. संघ लोक सेवा आयोग
13. भारत के नियंत्रक एवं महालेखा परीक्षक का कार्यालय
14. केंद्रीय सतर्कता आयोग
15. विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग
16. राष्ट्रीय अनुसूचित जाति आयोग
17. राष्ट्रीय अनुसूचित जनजाति आयोग
18. विधि आयोग
19. राष्ट्रीय अल्पसंख्यक आयोग
20. राष्ट्रीय महिला आयोग
21. राष्ट्रीय मानवाधिकार आयोग
22. प्रबंधक, भारतीय रिजर्व बैंक
23. दिल्ली/नई दिल्ली में स्थित गृह मंत्रालय के सभी संबद्ध और अधीनस्थ कार्यालय
24. प्रशासन-III अनुभाग, गृह मंत्रालय
25. प्रधान सूचना अधिकारी, शास्त्री भवन, नई दिल्ली -110001
26. एडीजी (मीडिया), गृह मंत्रालय, नॉर्थ ब्लॉक.

5. अतिरिक्त प्रतियां

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