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SECRETARY'S REPORT AND AUDITED STATEMENT OF ACCOUTS OF 'CENTRAL DEWA' FOR THE PERIOD FROM 01-10-2023 TO 30-09-2024 PRESENTED IN THE 'ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING' (AGM) ON 2nd OCTOBER, 2024 (WEDNESDAY) AT LODHI GARDEN (NEAR LODHI TOMB), NEW DELHI .

Dear Members,

On behalf of the 'Executive Committee of Central DEWA', I have great pleasure in welcoming all of you to the 'Annual General Body Meeting' (AGM) of the Association and place before you the report on the various activities of 'Central DEWA' since the last AGM held on 2nd October, 2023.

1. FAREWELL

We heartily bid good bye and best wishes to those members who have gone on promotion or on better prospects elsewhere in India or abroad.

2. WELCOME

We warmly welcome new members who have been enrolled in 'Central DEWA' during the period under review. We also cordially receive our old members who have come back either on transfer or on promotion from other centres/cities.

3. ACTIVITIES

(i) DEWA organised its AGM on 2nd October, 2023, which was successfully conducted as per its Agenda and the election of new Managing Committee (comprising of 10 posts) were also got conducted in a free, fair & transparent manner .

(ii) During the period of one year (01-10-2023 to 30-09-2024), forty (40) new members have sought the membership of our Association. This shows that the Association has got adequate popularity among the educated people of the community in and outside Delhi.

(iii) During the period of one year , ten (10) Executive Committee Meetings were held in which various issues/matters were taken up for discussions and necessary decisions were taken thereon.

(iv) DEWA organised Sant Gadge Parinirwan Diwas on 20th December, 2023 at 11 am in Shiv Mandir Prangan , VP House , Rafi Marg, New Delhi and heartly tributes (with garlands & flowers on Sant Gadge Statue installed) were paid by the participants (DEWA EC Members and Members of SMPS & others) . Before paying our heartly tributes to Sant Gadge Ji , Swakshata Abhiyan was carried out by the participants at 10 am with in Shiv Mandir Prangan to observe the Swakshata Abhiyan of our Sant ji . At the end of the programme, Snacks (Laddu, Samosa & Tea) were served to all the participants .

(v) Family Get-together of the community was organised by DEWA on 25-12-2023 in Lodhi Garden (near Lodhi Tomb) in which good number of persons along with their family members participated and enjoyed it in a free and delectable mood. The meritorious students (30 nos. plus) of our community, who secured 70% and above marks in class 10th and 12th exams (in 2023), were awarded 'with a Commendable Certificates and a beautiful Mementos & Medals (including pens as a token of prize) on behalf of Central DEWA'. Various types of sports/games for boys & girls including ladies (for different age group) were organised and the boys and girls, getting position in the sports/games held there, were awarded suitable prizes on that day. The Certificates, Mementos & Prizes were got distributed through our Senior Members & 'Executive Committee Members' of Central DEWA. Though all the Participants have given their introductions one by one , yet special introductions of the particular families were got done, who participated (in the DEWA Family Get Together) with their marriageable sons & daughters for getting suitable match / Rishta. The Lunch was also served to all the participants in the mid of the Family Get Together programme.

(vi) DEWA has also organised a 'Sant Gadge Jayanti' on 24th February, 2024 (in lieu of 23rd February) at Shiv Mandir Prangan , VP House , Rafi Marg, New Delhi . Various Community organisations (DEWA, Sant Gadge Mission, Delhi Pradesh Unit of ABDM & VRM etc.) have participated in the Jayanti Programme. Birthday

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celebration of Sant Gadge ji was started by garlanding his Statue (at Shiv Mandir) and by paying hearty respect to 'Sant Gadge Maharaj' by each and every participants. In this Jayanti Programme, various community speakers/persons expressed their views on the life, works and preachings of Sant ji. During the year of this report, DEWA identified 10 students from poor families of our community and accordingly, Monetary/financial help of Rs. 2100/- per students (from DEWA Education Welfare Funds) were disbursed to them in the said Sant Gadge Jayanti Programme. Before the end of the Jayanti Programme, Snacks (Laddu, Samosa & Tea) were served to all the participants .

(vii) DEWA participated in a joint meeting of 11 Organisations of our community (held in January ,2024 including on 26th Jan., 2024 at Sant Gadge Mandir, Bindapur, New Delhi) and named it as 'Rashtreeya Dhobi Samaj Parisangh' (RDSP) and pursued the Agenda for getting representation of our Community in the 18th Lok Sabha.

(viii) DEWA along with Sant Gadge Mission and VRM (Delhi Unit) participated in the programme for handing over the Memorandum to Delhi Administration on 11th August, 2024 for non-implementation of the Hon'ble Supreme Court's Decision/advice (dated 1st Aug., 2024) for classification /sub-classification and Crème Layer within Reservations of SCs & STs.

(ix) DEWA also participated in the Meeting of Sant Gadge Gyan Deep Society, Ghaziabad (UP) on 7th December, 2023 and also in the Annual Meeting of VRM held on 15th April, 2024 at Gandhi Shanti Pratishthan at DDU Marg (near ITO Chowk), New Delhi.

(x) With the help and sincere efforts of Executive Committee Members {particularly, Shri Jugal Kishore Kanojia, Sh. Madan Lal (Ggm), Sh. Kamla Prasad, Sh. Ram Pal Singh & Sh. Swami Charan Diwakar including myself } more than 25 matrimonial relations have been successfully coupled during the year.

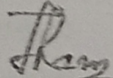
(xi) There is no denying that our 'Managing Committee' is getting full co-operation and support from all members and the community people and therefore, it is doing its duty diligently and honestly without any favour. Despite our best welfare services to the community, we are fully receptive to the valid suggestion from the community persons. As regards expenditure, we spend DEWA's fund very thriftily and are always wary of austerity in expenditure of the Association, which is evident from 'Statement of Accounts' submitted before the AGM.

4. Thanks:

Before, I conclude, I heartily thank to all Patrons of Central DEWA (Prof. Chhotey Lal Sahab, Sh. Manohar Lal Kashyap & Sh. Madan Lal ,Hngr.) & all office bearers : Sh. S. Lal Sahab (President), Sh. Jugal Kishore Kanojia (Sr. Vice President), Sh. Madan Lal Chauhan (Vice President), Sh. Vijay Kumar Kanojia (Joint Secretary), Sh. Ramesh Kumar Kanojia (Asstt. Secretary), Sh. Kamla Prasad (Treasurer), Sh. Swami Charan Diwakar (Asstt. Treasurer), Sh. Kishan Lal Chauhan (Org. Secretary) & Sh. Madan Lal, Ggm (Cultrl. Secretary) and all remaining DEWA Executive Committee Members: Sh. HR Bharti (Advisor), Sh. Awaran Singh (Auditor), Sh. Shri Chand Diwakar, Sh. S. S. Rajan, Sh. Om Prakash Kanojia, Sh. Ravi Karan, Sh. Ram Avtar Verma, Sh. Naresh Kumar Karan, Sh. Ram Sewak Diwakar, Sh. Vijay Pal Singh, Sh. Raman Kumar, Sh. Ashok Kanojia, Sh. Bulaki Lal Chaudhary, Sh. Hari Singh, Sh. Gopal Rajwani, Sh. Nathu Ram, Sh. Sonu, Sh. Sanjeev Diwakar & Sh. Dinesh Kumar Baitha for their whole hearted co-operation extended to me in discharging my duties as 'Secretary General' of the Association.

5. OBITUARY

We are profoundly grieved at the sad demises of our community persons, who have left for their heavenly abode during the period under review. May god grant their souls eternal peace in heaven.


(Lekha Ram Diwakar)
Secretary General,
Central DEWA.