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State President/State Gen. Secretary (org.)/Pradesh Prabhari

Dear Friends

Sadar Namaskar!

Subject:- Relating to programme on the occasion of Birth Anniversary of Bharat Ratna Lok Nayak Jayaprakash Narayan on 11 October 2015

Hope you are busy with the party's Training Programme and Sangathan Parv 2015.

You may be aware that 113th birth anniversary of Bharat Ratna Loknayak Jayaprakash Narayanji falls on 11th October. Jayaprakashji had inspired and organised crores of youth to fight the corrupt Congress Government and to safeguard democracy. The agitation that began from Gujarat University canteens and college premises of Bihar University was converted into a national agitation by the great visionary.

During the Black Days of Emergency, then Prime Minister Shrimati Indira Gandhi had converted the entire country into a prison. Even freedom of press and personal freedom were suppressed, and whoever raised any voice against it was put behind the bars. More than 600 popular leaders were sent to jails. At that time of crisis, Shri Jayaprakash Narayan emerged as a saviour of democracy and led the Student agitation and gave a new direction to the country.

The party has decided that the birth anniversary of Loknayak Jayaprakash Narayana, 11 October 2015, will be observed as **Save Democracy Day**.

The Party has decided to organise the following programme to celebrate this occasion:

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- 1. To hold Programme that can be in the nature of seminars/hall meetings etc
- 2. To felicitate in these programmes, those who were arrested under MISA during Emergency (1975-77)
- 3. To recall the life of JP and get inspiration about democracy
- 4. To recall the atrocities perpetrated by the Congress during emergency and also to remember the contribution of senior leaders who participated in anti-Emergency agitation
- 5. To administer oath to those present at the meeting urging them to remain committed to Save Democracy

The following materials/directions shall be made available to you by the Central Office in due course:

- 1. Life Sketch of Loknayak Jayaprakashji and main points of discussion on incidents related to Emergency
- 2. The Pledge
- 3. Design of banner and backdrops

Please ensure participation of all representatives of people, party workers, persons associated with Emergency and Intellectuals. The Programme must be held at the State Capitals and Divisional Levels. Also try to organise programmes at district levels. Those Leaders and party workers from your States who are busy in the campaign in Bihar, will be working in the same state (Bihar).

Hope you will chalk out details of the programmes and will inform the Central Office about them. You must send after conclusion of the programme, photos /videos/press clippings etc to the Central Office for record.

With regards

Yours

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