

GOVERNMENT COMMITTED TOWARDS EFFECTIVE GOVERNANCE – CM

Panaji : August 15, 2019

Chief Minister Dr. Pramod Sawant today on the occasion of Independence Day expressed that, his Government is committed towards transparent and effective governance thereby benefitting every deprived citizen in the State. Dr. Sawant addressed the citizen as he unfurled the National flag at Old Secretariat, Panaji and inspected guard of honour.

Chief Minister in his speech urged the Goan youth to contribute and support for the movement of making the nation `Nav Bharat`. ``Although I am Chief Minister I believe in serving the people as `Mukhya Sevak` and heading the State towards development, he added.

Dr. Sawant lauded the leadership of Prime Minister Shri. Narendra Modi and his vision towards development of the Country. He expressed gladness over the decision of Union Government to revoke article 370 and reorganisation of Jammu and Kashmir. This historical move has resulted into making the Nation sovereign in its true sense, Chief Minister said.

Chief Minister speaking further recalled huge contribution of former Chief Minister late Manohar Parrikar in infrastructural and social development of the Goa.

He also urged the citizens to contribute towards making the country free from corruption, garbage, terrorism. Positive mind set among the youths is significant to attain success in every aspect of development and prosperity Dr. Sawant further said.

Chief Minister Dr. Sawant presented awards to those who have excelled in varied field. President`s medals for meritorious service declared in 2018 were presented today. Police Superintendent (HQ) Shri. Shekhar Prabhudessai received President`s police medal for meritorious service. Police Sub-Inspector Smt. Suvarna Talgaonkar awarded President`s police medal for meritorious service. Police Constable Shri. Avinash Naik received Uttam Jeevan Raksha Padak medal. Forest guard Shri. Gaurish Gaonkar awarded certificate and shield for outstanding performance.

Chief Minister Dr. Sawant congratulated Superintendent of Police Shri. Arvind Gawas, Deputy Superintendent of Police Shri. Dharmesh Angle, Assistant Sub Inspector Shri. Dattaram Naik, Head Constable Shri. Sunil Falkar Sub Officer, Old Goa Fire Station Shri. Rohidas Parab and Leading Fire Fighter Shri. Prakash Kannaik who will be receiving President`s medal-2019 for meritorious service.

Marathon races for children organised by Directorate of Sports and Youth Affairs were flagged off by Chief Minister Dr. Sawant on the occasion. Children from Bal Bhavan presented patriotic song.

The function was attended by Speaker, Goa Legislative Assembly Shri. Rajesh Patnekar, Leader of Opposition Shri. Digamber Kamat, Minister for Health Shri. Vishwajeet Rane, Minister for Revenue Smt. Jenifer Monserrate, MLA Shri. Sudin Dhavlikar, MLA Shri. Francis Silvera, MLA Shri. Antonio (Tony) Fernandes, Mayor of Panaji Shri. Uday Madkaikar, Chief Secretary Shri. Parimal Rai, Advocate General Shri. Devidas Pangam, Collector, North Smt. R.Meneka and others.

Dr. Dayanand Rao compered the function.

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