

## INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATED AT VASCO

Panaji: August 15, 2019  
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The command and respect enjoyed by our great country India has been unprecedented. The progress that being made and to give vivid example, has been Chandrayan II is landing on the moon in a sphere where others did not go to that particular part. Research being made is again unprecedented, said Minister for Transport Shri. Mauvin Godinho who was speaking at a function after unfurling tri colour to mark celebration of 73<sup>rd</sup> Independence day organized at Tilak Maidan Vasco today.

Shri Godinho said there are only four countries and we are one among them which shows our scientific temperament and development and this also shows the talent in abundance our youth have.

Shri Godinho expressed happiness over decision of Union Government to revoke of Article 370 and 35 ( A ) from Kashmir. The aggregation of said Article in the constitution was incidentally a temporary measure for all times to come which made the people of Kashmir aloof from national main stream. Lack of development, poverty, unemployment were the major problems developed in Kashmir. With the revoke of the said Article on August 5, 2019 the Minister said isolation and misery of Kashmiris will end now to open new avenues of progress and prosperity.

Shri Godinho also said that he is hopeful of resuming mining activity in the state from October and November with the export of mining dump.

Shri Godinho further said Government intends to have environment friendly industries to generate employment opportunities for Goan youth. To protect Goa is not only responsibility of Government but it is also the responsibility people, He said if we love our state or nation we have to be positive towards development. Like other problem we have a problem of garbage which needs to tackle properly.

He said `let us rededicate ourselves to the development and prosperity of Goa.` Deputy Collector Shri Paresh Phaldesai, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Smt. Sunita Sawant, Mamlatdar, Shri Satish Prabhu, T.S.O Dept of Sports, Shri Manguesh Laad, Officials of various Government Department like Electricity, Fire & Emergency Services, Public Works Department, Water Resources, Students from various schools from surrounding areas, prominent citizens and others attended the function.

Earlier the Deputy Collector Shri Paresh Phaldesai received the Minister Shri Godinho at the venue.

Shri Umesh Dicholkar Ex-APEO compered the function

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