

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATED AT PERNEM

Panaji:- August 15, 2025

Minister for Fisheries, Shri Nilkanth Halarnkar hoisted the National Flag on the occasion of Independence Day celebrations at Deputy Collector & Sub-Divisional Office, Pernem, today. After unfurling the flag he inspected the Guard of Honour from Police contingents.

Speaking on the occasion, Shri Halarnkar greeted the people of Pernem and said August 15th is a day of great joy and pride for us Indians. India was a slave for almost 200 years. We Indians have created a history of struggles, our country has created a history of cultural, ideological, secular, civil equality, independence, sacrifice etc. Our soldiers sacrificed their lives to give us this freedom, he added.

Today, India is developing and progressing in areas like space research, science, health, roads, network etc. and for the said achievements he gave credit to the Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi.

Similarly he applauded the dynamic leadership of Chief Minister Dr. Pramod Sawant, for his sincere efforts for working tirelessly for the betterment of the people of Goa. He further said with the help of Central Government the Chief Minister have made progress in every field such as tourism, health, education, industries, agriculture, animal husbandry and food facilities in the State.

He urged the people to avail the benefits of Government schemes and facilities which Government is trying to get them to their door steps through the policy of antyodaya.

Present on the occasion were the MLA and Chairman of Goa Handicraft Corporation, Shri Pravin Arlekar, Chairman Pernem Municipal Council, Shri Manoj Harmalkar, Deputy Collector & Sub-Divisional Officer, Pernem, Shri. Shivprasad Naik, Mamlatdar Pernem, Shri Ranjeet Salgaonkar, Councillors, Citizens, Government Officials and others were present on the occasion.

The function was commenced and concluded by the patriotic songs presented by the students from various schools and Smt. Pavita Ganpule compered the function.

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