

FOUNDATION for RESTORATION Of NATIONAL VALUES

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SPECIAL NEWSLETTER

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Foundation for Restoration of National Values (FRNV) was incorporated as a Society on 9th June 2009 under the guidance and inspiration of Swami Bhoomananda Thirtha-ji, an enlightened Sage of Kerala, by some of his devotees. The main objective of the Society is to restore the age old values of the Nation to all layers of the Society so that people individually as well as collectively find an abiding inner persuasion to be truthful, ethical, patriotic and societal in their actions and aspirations.

FRNV organised a national seminar in Delhi in Nov. 2008 which was inaugurated by the then Chief justice of Supreme Court, Justice K.G.Balakrishnan and blessed by the presence of Sri L.K. Advani, Late Sri Somnath Chatterjee and many other luminaries. At the end of the seminar we shortlisted four areas for FRNV to concentrate upon.

- 1. Value based education in all schools and colleges.
- 2. Electoral reforms to cleanse the election process.
- 3. Police reforms to make the police more effective and accountable.
- 4. Administrative reforms for improving governance at all level.

Later we added "Swatch Bharath" as one of our objectives.

FRNV's aim is not to work at grass root levels but to bring about the changes and transformation by influencing the policy and decision makers and working with the Govts. In the process we set up our Corporate Office at A-59, Shivalik Malviya Nagar, New Delhi-110 017 and opened two Chapters at Bangalore and Kochi.

We can claim to have achieved a modest share of success in all the above areas.

Whenever instances of assault on dharmic values of the Nation came to our notice, we aggressively took up such issues with the Govts. or to the High Court/Supreme Court through PILs. We were able to register a fair amount of success in our attempts. We continue to be watchful and alert.

Every year, in June, we used to celebrate our Foundation Day inviting a very eminent person as Chief Guest. Last year in 2019, it was Bharat Ratna Pranab Mukherjee, former President of India, who graced the occasion. This year, on account of lock down conditions prevailing in the country due to Covid-19 pandemic FRNV is not organizing a virtual Foundation Day. At the same time, we wish to be in touch with all our members, friends and well wishers on this occasion.

We are sending you this special News Letter to enlist your support and services for FRNV's ongoing programme. Any constructive suggestion in this regard is most welcome.

Our Best Wishes and Greetings to all.

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