

GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL & ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS
(PERSONNEL WING)

No.F.16016/1/2000/DPAR/SS-I(3)

Puducherry, dated: 21.01.2021

C I R C U L A R

Sub: Observance of death anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi as
Martyrs' Day on 30.01.2021.

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The death anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, Father of the Nation, will be observed as "**Martyrs' Day**" on **30th January, 2021**.

2. Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor, Hon'ble Chief Minister, Hon'ble Speaker, Hon'ble Ministers, Hon'ble Deputy Speaker and other dignitaries will pay floral tributes/ garland the statue of Mahatma Gandhi at Goubert Avenue, Puducherry on 30th January, 2021 at 10.30 A.M. Garlanding of statue, Bhajans and two minutes silence will be observed between 11.00 A.M. and 11.02 A.M. in memory of those who sacrificed their lives in the freedom struggle.

3. The Director of Information & Publicity, Puducherry is requested to take necessary steps to ensure that the Martyrs' Day is observed with due solemnity.

4. All Secretaries to Government/ Heads of Departments/ Offices are requested to be present at the said Gandhi statue premises at 10.30 A.M. on 30.01.2021 without fail by observing social distancing and other precautionary measures against the spread of COVID-19.

5. All Government offices, Public Sector Undertakings/ Corporations/ Boards/ Autonomous Bodies, etc., shall observe two minutes silence in their respective offices from 11.00 A.M. to 11.02 A.M. and observe Martyrs' Day with due solemnity and in a manner befitting this important occasion duly observing necessary precautionary measures against the spread of COVID-19.

/ BY ORDER OF THE CHIEF SECRETARY /



(V. JAISANKAR)

UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

1. The Commissioner-cum-Secretaries/ Secretaries/ Special Secretaries to Govt., Puducherry.
2. All Secretariat Departments/ Heads of Departments.
3. The Collector, Puducherry/ Karaikal.
4. The Regional Administrator, Mahe/ Yanam.
5. The Under Secretary to Govt. (Estt.), Chief Secretariat, Puducherry.
6. All Public Sector Undertakings/ Corporations/ Boards/ Autonomous Bodies.

Copy to:

1. The Spl Secretary to LG/ Secretary to CM, Puducherry.
2. The Private Secretary to Chief Minister/ All Ministers, Puducherry.
3. The Private Secretary to Speaker/ Sr. P.A. to Deputy Speaker, Puducherry.
4. The Director of Information & Publicity, Puducherry.
5. The Secretary, Legislative Assembly Department, Puducherry.
6. The Private Secretary to Chief Secretary, Puducherry.