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Sub: Petition dated 27-07-2009 of Sh. Jagdish Gandhi, 12, Station Road, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh.

Reference is invited to President's Secretariat's Communication serial No. P1-B/7470 dated 10-8-2009 on the subject mentioned above.

It may be seen that Shri Gandhi has requested H E President to call a meeting of world leaders under her leadership. He has also requested for a message of support and endorsement for being published in a souvenir.

In view of above, the communication received from the President's Secretariat is returned in original, for action as appropriate.

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PMO, ID No. 23/3/2009-PMP-1/87224 Dated 11-09-2009

  
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5. Hon'ble Madam Justice Navanethem Pillay, Judge, International Criminal Court (ICC), represented by Ms Natasha Naidoo, Assistant Legal Officer, International Criminal Court (ICC), NETHERLANDS (2006)
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22. Hon'ble Mr Justice G K Acquah, Chief Justice, Supreme Court, GHANA (2005, 2003)
23. Hon'ble Mr Justice Lic. Ruben Eliu Higueros, President, Supreme Court, GUATEMALA (2006)
24. Hon'ble Mr Justice Carl Ashok Singh, Chief Justice, Supreme Court, GUYANA (2006)
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38. Hon'ble Mr Justice L E Unyolo, Chief Justice of MALAWI (2004)
39. Hon'ble Mr. Justice Y. K. J. Yeung Sik Yuen, Chief Justice, Supreme Court, MAURITIUS (2007)
40. Hon'ble Mr Justice A. G Pillay, Chief Justice, Supreme Court, MAURITIUS (2001)
41. Hon'ble Mr Justice Ch Ganbat, Chief Justice, Supreme Court, MONGOLIA (2003, 2002)
42. Hon'ble Mr Justice Mario Mangaze, Chief Justice, Supreme Court, MOZAMBIQUE (2001)
43. Hon'ble Mr Justice P S Shivute, Chief Justice, Supreme Court, NAMIBIA (2007, 2005, 2004)
44. Hon'ble Mr Justice Victor Nunez Rodriguez, Presidente de la Corte Suprema de Justicia of PARAGUAY (2008)
45. Hon'ble Madam Justice Vida Petrovic Skero, President, Supreme Court, SERBIA (2006, 2005)

46. Hon'ble Madam Justice Leposava Karmarkovic, President, Supreme Court, SERBIA (2002)
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48. Hon'ble Mr Justice Vivekanand Allear, Chief Justice, Supreme Court, SEYCHELLES (2007, 2006, 2001)
49. Hon'ble Mr Justice Ade Renner Thomas, the then Chief Justice, Supreme Court, SIERRA LEONE (2008, 2007, 2006)
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52. Hon'ble Mr Justice Izbillo Khojaev, Chairman, Supreme Court, TAJIKISTAN (2005)
53. Hon'ble Mr Justice Fatkhullaev Salimboy, Chairman, Supreme Court, TAJIKISTAN (2001)
54. Hon'ble Mr Justice A S.L. Ramadhani, Chief Justice, Court of Appeal, TANZANIA (2007)
55. Hon'ble Mr Justice Abderahim Bireme Hamid, President de la Cour Supreme, TCHAD (2008, 2006)
56. Hon'ble Mr Justice Tete Tekoe, President, Supreme Court, TOGO (2008, 2006)
57. Hon'ble Mr Justice Hasan Gerceker, First President, Supreme Court, TURKEY (2008)
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59. Hon'ble Mr Justice G G Chidyasiku, Chief Justice, Supreme Court, ZIMBABWE ( 2004, 2002 )
60. Hon'ble Mr Justice Sajjad Ali Shah, Former Chief Justice, Supreme Court, PAKISTAN (2003, 2001)
61. Hon'ble Dr Justice Nasim Hasan Shah, Former Chief Justice, Supreme Court, PAKISTAN (2001)
62. Hon'ble Mr Justice S. Siddiqui, Former Chief Justice, Supreme Court, PAKISTAN (2005, 2001)

63. Hon'ble Mr Justice Prof. Khalafall El Rasheed, Former Chief Justice, Supreme Court, SUDAN (2004)
64. Hon'ble Mr Justice Hafiz Elsheikh Elzaki, Former Chief Justice, Supreme Court, SUDAN (2003)
65. Hon'ble Mr Justice S.W.W. Wambuzi, Former Chief Justice, UGANDA (2001)
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69. Hon'ble Dr Justice A O Sherif, Deputy Chief Justice, The Supreme Constitutional Court, EGYPT (2008, 2007)
70. Hon'ble Mr Justice A A Abdullahi, Vice President, Federal High Court, ETHIOPIA (2007, 2006)
71. Hon'ble Mr Justice Zaza Meishvili, Deputy Chairman, Supreme Court, GEORGIA (2006)
72. Hon'ble Mr Justice Mikheil Gogishvili, Deputy Chairman, Supreme Court, GEORGIA (2005)
73. Hon'ble Dr Justice Merab Turava, Vice President, Supreme Court, GEORGIA (2004)
74. Hon'ble Dr Justice P Soeparman, Sh, Mh, Deputy Chief Justice, Supreme Court, INDONESIA (2006)
75. Hon'ble Mr Justice Khampha Sengdara, Deputy Chief Justice, Supreme Court, LAO PDR (2008)
76. Hon'ble Mr Justice S Sonthikoummane, Vice President, People Supreme Court, LAO PDR (2007)
77. H.E. Mr Davone Vangvichith, Vice President, People's Supreme Court, LAO PDR (2005)
78. Hon'ble Madam Justice Esmeralda de Troitiño, Vice-President, Supreme Court, PANAMA (2008)
79. Hon'ble Mr Justice Giyoev Saifullo Nematovich, Deputy Chairman, Supreme Court, TAJIKISTAN (2008, 2007)

80. Hon'ble Mr Justice D.M. Lewanika, Deputy Chief Justice, Supreme Court, ZAMBIA (2001)

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81. Hon'ble Mr Justice M O Babrakzai, Member, Supreme Court and Head, Civil Division, AFGHANISTAN (2007)
82. Hon'ble Ms Justice Evjeni Sinojmeri, Justice, Supreme Court of ALBANIA (2008)
83. Hon'ble Mr Justice Xhezair Zaganzori, Judge, Constitutional Court of ALBANIA (2005)
84. Hon'ble Mr Justice Simao De Sousa Victor, Judge, Tribunal Supremo, ANGOLA (2006)
85. Hon'ble Mr Justice Andre Da Silva, Judge, Tribunal Supremo, ANGOLA (2006)
86. Hon'ble Mr Justice Joao A E Augustin, Judge Municipal, Tribunal Supremo, ANGOLA (2006)
87. Hon'ble Madam Justice Susana Medina de Rizzo, Presidente, N°3 del Trabajo Superior tribunal del Justicia de entre rios of ARGENTINA (2008)
88. Hon'ble Madam Justice Erna Hayriyan, Chairman of the Civil Court of Yerevan, ARMENIA (2008)
89. Hon'ble Mr. Justice Michael Kirby, Judge, High Court of AUSTRALIA and "Laureate (1998) UNESCO Prize for Human Rights Education". (2003, 2001)
90. Hon'ble Mr Justice Marcus Einfeld, AO, QC, Judge, Federal Court of AUSTRALIA (2002, 2001)
91. Hon'ble Mr Justice Bahman Garibov, Judge, Constitutional Court, AZERBAIJAN (2004)
92. Hon'ble Mr Justice Farhad Aliyev, Judge, Supreme Court, AZERBAIJAN (2004, 2002)
93. Hon'ble Mr Justice Hartman Longley, Judge, Court of Appeal, BAHAMAS (2008)
94. Hon'ble Mr Justice Md Abdul Matin, Judge, Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, BANGLADESH (2008)

95. Hon'ble Mr. Justice Md. Awlad Ali, Judge, High Court Division, Supreme Court, BANGLADESH (2005)
96. Hon'ble Mr Justice S. M. D. Husain, Judge, High Court Division, Supreme Court, BANGLADESH (2004)
97. Hon'ble Mr Justice Mirza Hussain Haider, Judge, Supreme Court, BANGLADESH (2003)
98. Hon'ble Mr Justice S. K. Sinha, Judge, High Court, BANGLADESH (2002)
99. Hon'ble Mr Justice Samuel Lungole Awich, Judge, Supreme Court, BELIZE (2006)
100. Hon'ble Mr Justice Kindji Tranquillin, Judge, Administrative Chamber, Supreme Court of BENIN (2008)
101. Hon'ble Madam Justice Ginette Hounsa-Afanwoubo Conseiller a la Chambre Judiciaire de la Cour Supreme du BENIN (2007)
102. Hon'ble Madam Justice Clotilde Medaegan Nougbo, President, Haute Cour de Justice, BENIN (2007, 2006)
103. Hon'ble Mr Justice Arsene K. Capo-Chichi, Judge and Charge de Mission in the Cabinet of Benin Court Supreme President, BENIN (2006, 2005, 2004)
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105. Hon'ble Mr Justice Aboubakar Baparape Judge, Haute Cour de Justice, BENIN (2006)
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111. Hon'ble Mr Justice K Tshering, Senior Judge, Royal Court of Justice, BHUTAN (2006)

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121. Hon'ble Mr Justice K.M.J. Eugene, Judge, Constitution Court, GABON (2003)
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130. Hon'ble Mr Justice Edward Tumimbol Simarmata , Judge, Purwakarta District Court, INDONESIA (2006)
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138. Hon'ble Madam Justice Ajibraimova M. Aijamal, Judge, Supreme Court, KYRGYZ REPUBLIC (2005)
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177. Hon'ble Mr Justice Laxman Aryal, Judge, Supreme Court, NEPAL (2001)
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182. Hon'ble Mr. Justice Conchita C. Morales, Judge, Supreme Court, PHILIPPINES (2003)

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184. Hon'ble Madam Justice Consuelo Y Santiago, Judge, Supreme Court, PHILIPPINES (2001)
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186. Hon'ble Mr Justice B Renaud, Judge, Supreme Court, SEYCHELLES (2004)
187. Hon'ble Mr Justice N. Juddoo, Senior Judge, Supreme Court, SEYCHELLES (2002, 2001)
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199. Hon'ble Mr. Justice Dzhon Muminov, Judge, TAJIKISTAN (2007)
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201. Hon'ble Mr Justice Fakerov Abos, Judge, Supreme Court, TAJIKISTAN (2004)

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204. Hon'ble Mr Justice January Henry Msoffe, Judge, The Court of Appeal, TANZANIA (2005)
205. Hon'ble Madam Justice Romba Nee Yaneko Ruth, Judge, Supreme Court, TCHAD (2007)
206. Hon'ble Madam Justice J Correia da Costa, Judge, Court of Appeal, TIMOR-LESTE (2005)
207. Hon'ble Dr Justice J. M. C. Antunes, Judge, Court of Appeals, TIMOR-LESTE (2004)
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212. Hon'ble Madam Justice R. Makarau, Judge, Supreme Court, ZIMBABWE (2006)
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214. Hon'ble Mr Justice E. E. Chulu, Judge, Supreme Court, ZAMBIA (2002)

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218. Hon'ble Madam Justice Paula Escarameia, Professor of International Law, Member of the International Law Commission, Member of the Permanent Court of Arbitration, PORTUGAL (2008)

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221. H.E. Sir James R. Mancham, KBE, Founding President of Seychelles (2003, 2007)
222. H. E. Sir Daniel Williams, Governor General of Grenada (2002)

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223. Hon'ble Mr Justice P. N. Bhagwati, Former Chief Justice of India, Chairman, United Nations Human Rights Committee (Geneva) & Patron-in-Chief of the International Conferences of Chief Justices of the World (2007, 2005)
224. Hon'ble Mr Justice V. N. Khare, Former Chief Justice, Supreme Court of India (2006)
225. Hon'ble Mr Justice R.S. Pathak, Former Chief Justice of India; Former Judge, International Court of Justice; Member Permanent Court of Arbitration (The Hague) & Hony. Member of the Bench, Gray's Inn, London (2001)
226. Hon'ble Mr Justice Ranganath Misra, Former Chief Justice Supreme Court of India & Former Chairman of National Human Rights Commission of India & Former Member Permanent Court of Arbitration, The Hague, Netherlands (2001)
227. Hon'ble Mr Justice A. M. Ahmadi, Former Chief Justice, Supreme Court of India (2008, 2003)
228. Hon'ble Mr Justice J. S. Verma, Former Chief Justice of Supreme Court of India (2007)
229. Hon'ble Mr Justice R. C. Lahoti, Former Chief Justice of Supreme Court of India (2007)
230. Hon'ble Mr Justice Shivaraj V. Patil, Judge, Supreme Court of India (2002)

231. Hon'ble Mr Justice K. T. Thomas, Judge, Supreme Court of India(2001)
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233. Hon'ble Mr Justice P. P. Naolekar, Judge, Supreme Court of India (2006, 2003, 2002)
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235. Hon'ble Mr. Justice A.R. Lakshmanan, Judge, Supreme Court of India (2003)
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245. Hon'ble Mr Justice A P Shah, Chief Justice of Madras High Court, India (2006)
246. Hon'ble Mr Justice M. Karpaga Vinayagam, Chief Justice, Jharkhand High Court, India (2008, 2006)
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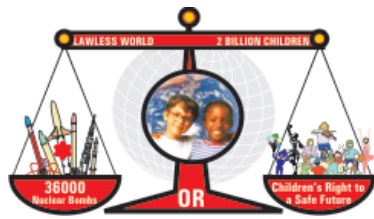
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To,  
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President of The Republic of India  
Rashtrapati Bhawan  
New Delhi

**Subject: Request to ponder over Article 51 of the Constitution of India and to understand its real purpose and implications and act as per the provision in the Constitution and ruling of the Supreme Court of India to ensure a safe future for the 2 billion children of the world and generations yet-to-be-born; and to summon a meeting of Heads of State, Heads of Government, Monarchs and Chief Justices of all countries of the world to achieve the objectives of the said Article, especially in view of the present world scenario.**

Your Excellency,

Kindly permit me to thank Your Excellency for referring my petition dated 27-07-2009 regarding my request to Your Excellency to call a meeting of world leaders under Your Excellency's leadership, to the Prime Minister's Office. Your Excellency's Secretariat sent this petition to the Prime Minister's Office vide communication serial number P1-B/7470 dated 10-08-2009.

I am also very humbled to learn that the petition was considered by the Prime Minister's Office and has now been returned to Your Excellency's Secretariat for "action as appropriate" vide letter PMO, ID No. 23/3/2009-PMP-1/87224 dated 11-09-2009. I too have received a copy of this letter on 23-09-2009 and this is attached as an annexure.

Article 51 of the Constitution of India states:

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Before I make my submission with regards to our request, the following 5 points which are relevant to consideration for action on Article 51 of the Constitution of India, may kindly be noted:

**(i) ARTICLE 51 IS IN PART IV OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA WHICH CONTAINS DIRECTIVE PRINCIPLES OF STATE POLICY. FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS ARTICLE, THE DEFINITION OF 'THE STATE' AS GIVEN IN ARTICLE 36 IN PART IV READ WITH ARTICLE 12 IN PART III, STATES THAT "UNLESS THE CONTEXT OTHERWISE REQUIRES, 'THE STATE' INCLUDES THE GOVERNMENT AND PARLIAMENT OF INDIA AND**

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- THE WORD 'SHALL' HAS BEEN USED IN ARTICLE 51 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA INSTEAD OF 'SHOULD' OR 'MAY', AND, THEREFORE, BINDS THE STATE TO TAKE ACTION ON THE SAID ARTICLE.**
- ARTICLE 31-C, ADDED BY THE CONSTITUTION (25TH AMENDMENT) ACT, 1971, SEEKS TO UPGRADE THE DIRECTIVE PRINCIPLES. IF THE DIRECTIVE PRINCIPLES AIM AT PROMOTING THE LARGER INTEREST OF THE SOCIETY, THE COURTS WILL HAVE TO UPHOLD THE CASE IN FAVOUR OF DIRECTIVE PRINCIPLES IN CASE OF CONFLICT WITH FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS.**
- RULING OF THE SUPREME COURT IN THE KESAVANANDA BHARATI VS. STATE OF KERALA CASE IN WHICH IT IS RULED THAT 'MORAL RIGHTS' EMBODIED IN PART IV ARE AS EQUALLY ESSENTIAL FEATURE OF THE CONSTITUTION AS FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS AND ARE FUNDAMENTAL IN THE GOVERNANCE OF THE COUNTRY AND ALL THE ORGANS OF THE STATE ARE BOUND TO ENFORCE THOSE DIRECTIONS.**
- THE DIRECTIVE PRINCIPLES ACT AS A CHECK ON THE GOVERNMENT; THEORIZED AS A YARDSTICK IN THE HANDS OF THE PEOPLE TO MEASURE THE PERFORMANCE OF THE GOVERNMENT. THEREFORE, THE GOVERNMENT SHOULD KEEP THESE PRINCIPLES IN VIEW WHILE FRAMING LAWS AND PLANNING ITS ACTIVITIES AND ACTIONS AS THESE PRINCIPLES ARE FUNDAMENTAL IN THE GOVERNANCE OF THE COUNTRY AND IT SHALL BE THE DUTY OF THE STATE TO APPLY THESE PRINCIPLES IN MAKING LAWS.**

**The world's problems need immediate redressal. India should take the lead as it has done with non-violence! India has to play an important role in uniting the world. The above points are explained below:**

**(i) ARTICLE 51 IS IN PART IV OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA WHICH CONTAINS DIRECTIVE PRINCIPLES OF STATE POLICY.**

For the purpose of this Article, the definition of 'the State' as given in Article 36 in PART IV read with Article 12 in PART III, states that "unless the context otherwise requires, 'the State' includes the Government and Parliament of India and the Government and the Legislature of each of the States and all local or other authorities within the territory of India or under the control of the Government of India." Therefore, it is the responsibility of the 'the State' – the Government of India, to take action to fulfill the responsibility of making 'endeavour' for international peace and security to ensure a safe and secure future for 2 billion children of the world and generations yet-to-be-born.

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### (ii) THE WORD 'SHALL' IN ARTICLE 51 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA

Article 51 of the Constitution of India states:

The State shall endeavour to:

- promote international peace and security,
- maintain just and honourable relations between nations,
- foster respect for international law ...; and,
- encourage settlement of international disputes by arbitration.

The words "The State shall endeavour" leave no room for the Government of India and the State Governments to make any choice, other than the endeavour to achieve the objectives, the purpose and the goal of Article 51 of the Constitution of India.

In the aforementioned Article 51, the word 'shall' is the actual catchword and is very important, as it binds the Government of India, State Governments and Your Excellency, to achieve the goals of Article 51. Besides its mandatory effect, the word 'SHALL', used in Article 51 gives strength to it and places on Government of India and State Governments, a responsibility to make an earnest endeavour to achieve the objectives of the said Article. Had it been 'may' or 'should', the provision would not have been binding, but the catch word 'SHALL' denotes that it is the duty and obligation of Government of India and State Governments to fulfill it. The makers of the Constitution of India deliberately used the term 'SHALL'. The sublime spirit of the Article is to achieve international peace and security for promoting larger interest of the society which is possible only by uniting all the nations of the world in the thread of Enforceable World Law.

### (iii) ARTICLE 31-C, ADDED BY THE CONSTITUTION (25TH AMENDMENT) ACT, 1971, SEEKS TO UPGRADE THE DIRECTIVE PRINCIPLES.

Article 31-C, added by the Constitution (25th Amendment) Act of 1971, seeks to upgrade the Directive Principles. If laws are made to give effect to the Directive Principles over Fundamental Rights, they shall not be invalid on the grounds that they take away the Fundamental Rights. In case of a conflict between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles, if the latter aim at promoting larger interest of the society, the courts will have to uphold the case in favour of Directive Principles.

### (iv) RULING OF THE SUPREME COURT IN THE KESAVANAND BHARATI VS. STATE OF KERALA CASE.

Fundamental Rights are not absolute and are subject to reasonable restrictions as necessary for the protection of national interest. In the Kesavananda Bharati vs. state of Kerala case, the Supreme Court ruled that all provisions of the Constitution, including Fundamental Rights can be amended. It has ruled in Kesavanand Bharati's case that 'moral rights' embodied in Part IV are as equally essential feature of the Constitution as Fundamental Rights and are fundamental in the governance of the country and all the organs of the State are bound to enforce those directions.

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### (v) THE DIRECTIVE PRINCIPLES ACT AS A CHECK ON THE GOVERNMENT; THEORIZED AS A YARDSTICK IN THE HANDS OF THE PEOPLE TO MEASURE THE PERFORMANCE OF THE GOVERNMENT

Article 51 is included in Part IV of the Constitution of India. Part IV pertains to Directive Principles of State Policy, which are directions given by the people of India in the Constitution of India to the central and state governments to nurture and guide the establishment of a just society in the country and in the world. According to the Constitution, the government should keep these principles in mind while framing laws and planning its activities and actions.

The Directive Principles act as a check on the government; theorized as a yardstick by which people can measure performance of the government. Article 31-C, added by the Constitution (25th Amendment) Act, 1971, seeks to upgrade the Directive Principles. If laws are made to give effect to the Directive Principles over Fundamental Rights, they shall not be invalid on the grounds that they take away the Fundamental Rights. In case of a conflict between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles, if the latter aim at promoting larger interest of the society, the courts will have to uphold the case in favour of Directive Principles.

IT, THUS, transpires that Article 51 of the Constitution of India entails endeavour by the State - The Government of India, to promote international peace and security and such an important provision can not be ignored. This Article reflects an earnest desire of the people of India for world peace and security by avoiding wars and conflicts in the interest of entire human race.

### (1) ASPIRATIONS OF UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY PUT DOWN BY A VETO POWER

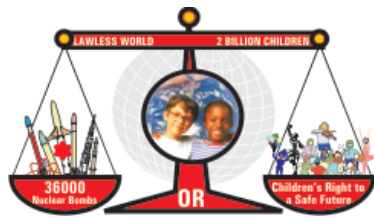
Article 51 acts as a beacon for world peace and security and by drawing inspiration therefrom we, at our end, are propagating the cause. In this connection we wrote to the UN Secretary General in 1999.

The then Secretary-General of the United Nations Dr Kofi Annan in his message of 11th October 1999 sent to me said that the world's 3 biggest problems were:

- "It is shocking** to think that almost half of us – three billion out of the six billion – are entering the new era in abject poverty, with less than two dollars a day, or less, to live on. That is one thing we really must change."
- "It is also shocking** that people in so many places today are exposed to violence and brutality. The twentieth century has been the most murderous in human history. We must make sure the twenty-first is more peaceful, and more humane."
- "And it is worrying** that the world's climate seems to be changing, in a way, which could destroy the homes and livelihood of millions. Controlling and managing this process may yet prove to be the biggest challenge of all."

In this regard, Dr Kofi Annan further said:

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(d) "People all over the world look to the United Nations to protect them – from hunger, disease and violence, and natural disasters – whenever the task seems too big for nations, or regions, to handle alone. But we at the United Nations can do nothing alone, either. Our strength is the strength of our member states, when they agree to act together for the common good."

(e) "Next year, leaders from all over the world will come to New York for the Millennium Summit. They will consider the challenges ahead, and what the United Nations can do to face them. Those leaders will be representing you, the peoples of the United Nations. It is up to you to make sure that they come here firmly resolved to take decisions which can lead to a better life for all of us, and for our children."

Conveying his good wishes to CMS, Dr. Kofi Annan stated that "I am counting on you all", Accordingly, I wrote to all Heads of State and Heads of Government to take positive actions at the Millennium Summit.

However, the leaders of the nations of the world attending the Millennium Summit were not even given an opportunity to discuss or consult on any issue relating to the formation of a "new international political and economic order of the world" which was (1) General Consensus of the 53rd Session of the U.N. General Assembly dated 10th May 1999 and (2) which was also the Declaration of the UN Millennium Forum which was held from 22nd to 26th May 2000. But this issue did not find place in the agenda of the Millennium Summit at the instance of a Veto Power.

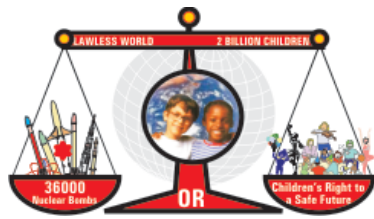
This short-sighted and unthoughtful action of the Veto Power hurt me badly and because of this I decided to approach the World Judiciary, which I think is the last hope of humanity's survival and started organizing International Conferences of Chief Justices of the World (World Judiciary Summits) on Article 51 of the Constitution of India for Uniting the World in order to establish the rule of law in the world.

## (2) A LEGACY OF WARS, VIOLENCE, DESTRUCTION AND DEATH

Since the Second World War, 199 wars have been fought by 81 countries and 69 countries have been the theatres of war (Mr Janez Stanovnik, Paris, UNESCO, 1978). Mr Gil Elliot, who made a valiant attempt to count the man-made deaths in 20th century, has found out that a total of 110 million people died between 1900 and 1970. This figure includes 38 million soldiers. It means that one out of every 30 inhabitants on earth was killed through government criminality (pages 43-44, 'Victims of Politics : The State and Human Rights' by K. Glaser and S. T. Possony, New York, Columbia University Press, 1979).

After 1970 there have been more deaths in wars in Middle East and African countries. India was no exception, as it has been attacked several times and is subject to cross-border terrorism in which thousands have been killed. Terrorist attacks on World Trade Centre, New York, on 11th September 2001, and subsequently, bombing to contain terrorism in Afghanistan have resulted in killings

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of a large number of people, including women and children. We are also witness to the war in Iraq and also of subsequent killings by suicide squads. Thousands have been killed or maimed. Use of depleted uranium dust on missile warheads will have devastating effect not only on the victims but also on future generations. Stockpiling of a large number of nuclear armaments, chemical and biological weapons and degradation of ecology and environment have created a situation in which future of children is not safe. Children the world all over are living in appalling conditions. If huge resources spent on armaments are committed to their welfare instead, the world would become a different place.

### (3) ARTICLE 51 AS A BEACON OF HOPE FOR HUMANITY

In such world scenario, the spirit enshrined in the provisions of Article 51 of the Constitution of India acts as a beacon of hope. It reflects an earnest desire of the people of India for world peace and security by avoiding conflicts and wars in the interest of entire human race. The development of science, technology, transport, communication and information technology, expansion of international trade and commerce have brought the world together as a 'global village'. All these developments call for a new world order which is possible only by maintenance of world peace and security as envisaged in Article 51 of the Constitution of India.

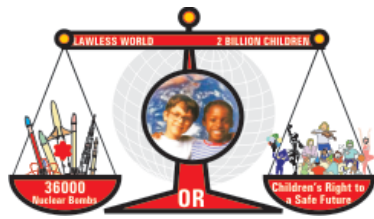
(4) **The present problems of the world**, like the huge stockpile of nuclear armaments, capable of devastating the entire world several times, dangers of low and high intensity wars among nations, terrorism (including cross-border terrorism), boundary-disputes, ethnic disputes, economic and political problems, environmental degradation, pollution, problems of disputes based on religion, etc., which affect the entire humanity, can be solved only by a rational view and awareness, taking into account the enormity of the present situations and by creating an impartial world body, with enough legal powers to implement its directives and decisions for the welfare of the entire society. The said Article 51 gives a new vision and such provisions should not only be adopted by all nations in their respective constitutions but every nation must also adhere to those provisions, in both spirit and action and in dealings with other countries.

### (5) THE PHILOSOPHY OF 'VASUDHAIV KUTUMBAKAM' AND ARTICLE 51 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA

From ancient times Indian philosophy and vision seeks to bring humankind to the path of peace, cooperation, co-existence, non-violence, human dignity and human advancement. India believes in universality of mankind as one human family (Vasudhaiv Kutumbakam). **The provisions of Article 51 of the Constitution of India** embodies an affirmation of that philosophy and ideals. The promotion of international peace and security as a constitutional directive is a declaration made by the people of India not only for the welfare of Indian society but indeed for the welfare of humanity at large. For every declaration that affects International life and International relations, is a declaration made for the welfare of entire world.

(6) **The vision given by Article 51 of the Constitution of India** for international peace and security also enjoins us all in its **clause (c) to strive to foster 'respect for**

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international law'. But one can have respect for international law if it is based on justice and equality and is enacted by a duly constituted world body having universal sanction and which is enforceable on all peoples and nation states. The present 'so called' international law has no universal sanction and is not enforceable and, therefore, it has proved to be inadequate in as much as it has not been able to solve problems. The result has been that big and powerful nations, by violent intimidation and imposing sanctions, have only brought misery, hunger, disease and poverty to more people, many problems remain unsolved and are sometimes aggravated.

### (7) ARTICLE 51 ENJOINS RESPECT FOR INTERNATIONAL LAW

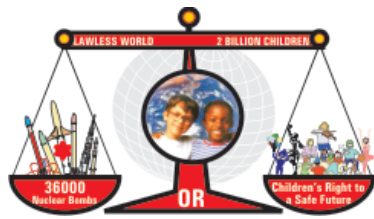
It is obvious therefore, that the provisions of Article 51 of the Constitution of India are unique provisions propounding a great Indian philosophy. They create an awareness and they act as a beacon of hope for the promotion of international peace and security. They serve as a guideline for framing international law based on justice, equality, co-existence and human dignity in this strife-torn world for the ultimate objective of human advancement. Clause(c) of the Article enjoins the state 'to foster respect for international law'. It also follows that international or world law has to have universal sanction. It needs to be applicable to all countries and peoples of the world and it must be enforceable. In order to enforce obedience to such a law, there has to be an executive authority and world judiciary to decide on disputes and for the interpretation of such laws. "Laws not enforced cease to be laws and rights not defended may wither away" Directive Principles for People Welfare (Thomas Moriarty).

### (8) DIRECTIVE PRINCIPLES FOR PEOPLE'S WELFARE

As per the decision of the Supreme Court of India in the *Kesavanand Bharati versus State of Kerala case* and in the context of Article 31-C, the Directive Principles of State Policy are in the wider interest of the people of India and therefore, if the need so arises, the same may override the fundamental rights granted to the citizens in the Constitution of India. It is in this context that we must understand the importance of Article 51 of the Constitution of India. The directive principles of state policy enjoy upon the Government of India to implement them in letter and spirit as they serve the interests of the people of India. Therefore, the courts should uphold the sanctity of Article 51 as it does in case of the fundamental rights of the Indian citizens. Therefore, the Government of India must implement all the provisions laid down in the directive principles of state policy including Article 51 since it seeks the good and the welfare of the people. Not only the government of India but also all the state governments should accept them as the source of its welfare policies. Article 51 is one of the most important provisions laid down in the directive principles of the state policy.

(9) The City Montessori School has raised a lone voice not to keep article 51 in abeyance any longer. When we say this, we do not mean to attribute any fault to the government of India or to the governments of the states. The real purpose of drawing attention to Article 51 is to appeal to both central and state governments to implement its provisions because they seek the larger interests of the people of India. Almost

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a decade ago the City Montessori School convened the First Conference of Chief Justices of the World to see if Article 51 could serve the larger interests of the people. The conference came to the conclusion that Article 51 would very well serve the interests of the people of India and of the world. On the contrary the people of India would stand to lose if the provisions of Article 51 were not implemented according to its spirit.

**(10) Every citizen of the world is deeply concerned about the ever growing threat of nuclear weapons.** A slight provocation on the part of a thoughtless ruler may ignite the whole world into flames of a nuclear holocaust. Therefore, it is imperative to establish peace and harmony among nations. However, establishment of temporary peace would not be enough to prevent a nuclear war in the event of a conflict. Therefore, it is essential that the whole world should unite under one world government. Article 51 of the Constitution of India provides enough food for thought to form a world government and hence City Montessori School is stressing upon the implementation of its provisions not only in the Indian context but in the wider context of the whole world. We believe that even the veto powers will appreciate the relevance of Article 51 in the Constitution of India because it has the power to unite entire humanity and to convince it for the formation of a world government, **if humanity is to be saved from the catastrophe of a possible nuclear war.**

**(11)** Many problems have cropped up around the world due to the thoughtless actions of some leaders who are at the helm of affairs in their respective countries. A united world will ignore such vested interests that are out to destroy this beautiful planet for serving their own selfish ambitions. A world government will not allow such crazy people to resort to mischiefs that are harmful to the unity of mankind. Article 51 of the Constitution of India is thus is an ideal model of human unity and that is the reason why we have been organizing the International Conferences of Chief Justices of the World every year in the month of December in Lucknow, India.

**Victor Hugo said: "There is one thing stronger than all the armies in the world and that is an idea whose time has come." Jan Tinbergen, Nobel laureate said: "Mankind's problems can no longer be solved by national governments. What is needed is a World Government. This can best be achieved by strengthening the United Nations system." We believe that this is the idea whose time has come.**

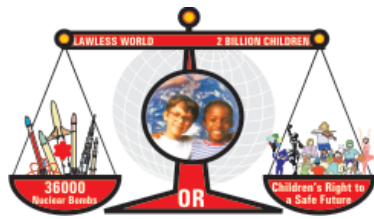
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There is no alternative in the present world scenario other than adherence to the provisions and spirit of Article 51 of the Constitution of India. As per the prevailing global situation, this is the right time to take serious note of the provisions of Article 51 of the Constitution of India and initiate an appropriate endeavour to achieve its goal of World Unity by calling an urgent meeting of the leaders of the world at New Delhi.

## **(13) THE WORLD IS HELD HOSTAGE BY THE MONSTERS IT HAS CREATED**

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36,000 warheads, assembled by the seven nuclear countries, will one day end all life on our planet either in a deliberate war or by accident. The United Nations has proved utterly incapable of stopping this suicidal arms race. Before the UN came into existence, there was only one country, which is USA, which had the Atom Bomb (a toy bomb in comparison to today's massive thermonuclear devices). Today, we have seven countries with about 36,000 nuclear warheads and the number of nuclear countries is growing steadily.

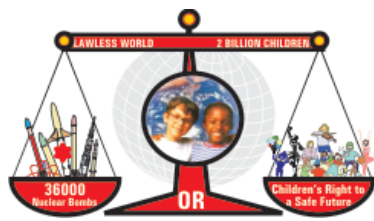
In addition, a very large number of countries have developed and stockpiled deadly chemical and biological weapons. No country has the technical know-how or enough money to destroy these weapons of mass destruction. According to experts, twenty times more money and technology will be required to destroy a bomb than was used in its manufacture and just one percent of the existing nuclear stockpile is sufficient to obliterate all life on earth.

(14) The City Montessori School, Lucknow, popularly known as CMS, is recognized by the Guinness Book of World Records as the world's largest city-school with over 37,000 students on roll. CMS is also the world's first and the only school to receive the year 2002 - UNESCO Prize for Peace Education of US\$ 30,000 (US Dollars Thirty Thousand). It is worthy of note that India has received this prize thrice - General Indarjit Rikhye in 1985, Mother Teresa in 1992 and City Montessori School in 2002. City Montessori School received this prize for World Peace Education it has been imparting for the past fifty years. CMS holds classes from Montessori to Senior Secondary level (Class XII) in its 20 campuses in Lucknow.

(15) CMS upholds that 'School must act as a Lighthouse of Society' and provide meaningful education, spiritual direction, guidance and leadership not only to students but also to the parents and the society at large, and must concern itself with the affairs of the age. The present age has many problems like stockpiling of weapons of mass destruction, terrorism, environmental degradation and climate change, poverty, disease and drugs etc. There is disunity and threat of another world war. We, as the largest school of the world, feel that it is the duty of the present generation to bequeath a safe and secure future and a better inheritance to future generations. CMS is, therefore, trying to create world-wide awareness for the need for world unity and world peace. We believe that Your Excellency can make valuable contribution in this regard.

(16) The vision and mission of City Montessori School, from its very inception 50 years ago, is 'Jai Jagat' which means 'glory to the world'. This is based on the Indian philosophy of 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam' (The entire world is one family). In pursuance thereof, CMS is imparting, besides a value-based quality education, education of unity and peace to its students. Efforts are continually being made to inculcate the message of World Unity and World Peace to other students of India and abroad who come to participate in various academic events organized by CMS annually. Every year 22 international academic events are organized by CMS, in addition to 3 events for principals and teachers of India and abroad for deliberations about new teaching methods and innovations in the field of education up to senior secondary level.

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## (17) THE CHILDREN OF CITY MONTESSORI SCHOOL SEND THEIR PETITION TO THE UNITED NATIONS TO SAFEGUARD THE FUTURE OF 2 BILLION CHILDREN OF THE WORLD AND GENERATIONS YET-TO-BE-BORN

In 1999, CMS students collected nearly 100,000 appeals on behalf of children of the world, requesting the Secretary-General of the United Nations, Dr Kofi A. Annan, to safeguard the future of the world's two billion children by initiating steps to form a World Government capable of ensuring world peace, eliminating all weapons of mass destruction, protecting the people from international terrorism and safeguarding the ecology and the environment. The appeal also drew the attention of the UN Secretary-General to Article 51 of the Indian Constitution and urged him to request all governments to add a similar provision in their respective constitutions. This appeal was presented on behalf of the children of the world.

## (18) UNITED NATIONS MILLENNIUM SUMMIT OF WORLD LEADERS 2000

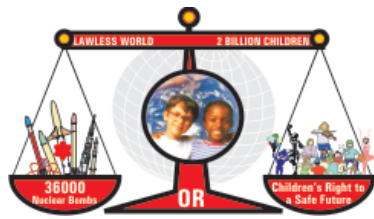
In the **53rd session of the UN General Assembly (A/53/948)**, while announcing the thematic framework for the Millennium Summit, the UN Secretary General's Report in Agenda item 30, dated 10th May 1999 in Clause 8 in relation to various suggestions relating to development and peace put forth by some of the countries said, 'the view was also repeatedly expressed that the themes suggested were effectively interconnected, and that, therefore, the dimension of a specific theme should be taken into consideration in the discussion of another topic. In particular, it was felt that the selected theme or themes should emphasize the relationship between development on one hand, and peace and security on the other. These reflect a common aspiration for world unity and the promotion of development and peace and establishment of a new international political and economic order'.

## (19) PREPARING FOR THE MILLENNIUM SUMMIT: DRAFTING THE AGENDA FOR A BETTER TOMORROW FOR HUMANITY

As a prelude to the Millennium Summit of the leaders of the world, the United Nations organized:

- A Millennium Assembly** - for drafting the Official Agenda of the Millennium Summit of World leaders.
  - A Millennium Forum** - a meeting of NGOs and Civil Society organisations of the world to give their suggestions to be included in the Official Agenda of the Millennium Summit of World Leaders.
- (i) **The Millennium Assembly** was a meeting of the UN General Assembly explicitly devoted to discussing the challenges before the United Nations in the 21st century. Its recommendations were to be a part of the agenda for the Millennium Summit. As stated in the previous paragraph, the UN General Assembly's agenda item 30 of the 53rd session dated 10th May 1999 (clause 8) supported the formation of a '**New International Political and Economic Order**'.
- (ii) **The Millennium Forum** was a meeting of Civil Society and Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) held from 22nd May to 26th May, 2000 at the UN Headquarters in New York. Its 'declaration' too was to be a part of the Agenda

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for the First Millennium Summit of World Leaders. I was also invited to present my views at the UN's Millennium Forum before the NGOs and Civil Societies of all nations of the world.

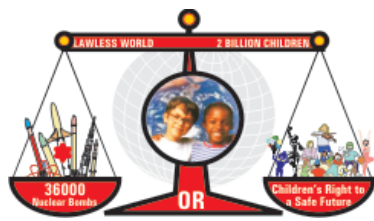
### (20) CLAUSE-8 RELATING TO ESTABLISHMENT OF 'NEW INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC ORDER' WAS DELETED FROM THE AGENDA

While attending a dinner for the Indian participants at the Permanent Indian Mission in New York, I came to know that the said clause 8 of Agenda item 30 of 53rd UN General Assembly which was also named as the UN Millennium Assembly to draft the official Agenda of Millennium Summit of World Leaders, recommended by General Consensus, the establishment of a 'New International Political and Economic Order,' was later on deleted from the agenda of the Millennium Summit of the World Leaders at the behest of a veto power. This was an unfortunate outcome. Disappointed, I decided to join the Thematic Drafting Group VI on 'Strengthening and Democratizing the United Nations and International Institutions'. I proposed the inclusion of the same Clause 8 of the 53rd UN General Assembly for the establishment of a 'New International Political and Economic Order' in the Declaration of the 'Millennium Forum'. At this Millennium Forum, 1350 representatives of over 1000 NGOs and Civil Society organizations of more than 100 nations came together to make a declaration to be put before the Millennium Summit of world leaders to be held from 6th to 8th September 2000. My proposal was placed before the UN Millennium Forum Conference. It was passed unanimously. The said declaration was to be a part of the agenda of the UN's Millennium Summit of World Leaders to be held from 6th to 8th September 2000 at UN Headquarters in New York.

### (21) RESOLUTION OF THE MILLENNIUM FORUM IGNORED THUS DAMPENING THE HOPES OF HUMANITY

I feel sad to state that this unanimous resolution of the UN Millennium Forum of NGOs & Civil Society organisation was also again deleted from the Agenda of the Millennium Summit of world leaders at the behest of the same veto power during the 54th session of the UN General Assembly held on 8th August 2000, that is, 4 weeks before the First UN Millennium Summit of World Leaders held from 6th to 8th September 2000. The issue of giving to the world a 'New World Order', or a 'New International Political and Economic Order' and Strengthening and Democratizing the UNO did not come up before the U.N. Millennium Summit of World Leaders held from 6th to 8th September, 2000 at UN Headquarters. The resolution of the Millennium Forum of NGOs held from 22nd to 26th May 2000 at UN Head Quarters was ignored and with it the expectations of the people of the world were belied. The expectations of the humanity of the world represented by (1) UN General Assembly in its 53rd Session and, (2) in the first ever UN Millennium Forum, represented by world's most prominent NGOs & Civil Society organizations, were belied by just one Veto Power for selfish ends to maintain its hegemony over all the nations of the world. It is a paradox that the Charter of the United Nations is in the name of 'The Peoples of the United Nations' but every Declaration and Resolution passed by the General Assembly and the Security Council does not have the sanctity of being inviolable. This is because of the Veto Power System

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and history has time and again proved that there is only one veto power that uses its veto to subvert the aspiration and hope of the people of the world. This veto power has never been in favour of the establishment of a 'New Political and Economic order of the World' which can only happen by the formation of a World Parliament, World Government and World Court of Justice. The United Nations too realizes that it needs to be democratized and strengthened but its hands are tied by the veto powers. H.E. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, the then President of India, had on a visit to Tanzania, said on 11th September 2004, that **"there is an urgent need for both India and Tanzania to work for the democratization in the functioning of the United Nations and that there should be no veto - power."**

## (22) I BELIEVE THAT INDIA IS THE ONLY COUNTRY WHICH CAN UNITE & SAVE THE WORLD

I, as a conscientious citizen of India believe that the future of all the nations of the world is inter-linked. No nation or people can exist in isolation. Mankind's problems can longer be solved by national governments alone and only united action on a global scale can provide any hope to this beleaguered world. No nation, however militarily or economically strong, can remain untouched by global problems of international terrorism, global warming, irreversible environmental degradation and world-wide global economic depression and the fear of a possible Third World War. It is only India which can guide and inspire the world to come together.

India, the world's largest democracy, is culturally rich and morally strong. The struggle for India's independence, the challenges India has faced and the successes it has achieved over the last six decades, in the light of its colonial legacy and century-long struggle for freedom is an inspiration for the rest of the world. India has contributed immensely to the development of the Third World by its concept of democracy and civil liberties.

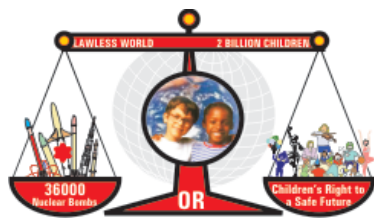
Successive Indian prime ministers and their governments have ensured that there always was consistency in India's foreign policy over the years and now India's growing international influence have given it a more prominent voice in global affairs.

## (23) DEFINING INDIA'S CONTRIBUTION

India has a long history of collaboration with several countries and is considered a leader of the developing world. India was one of the founding members of several international organizations, most notably the United Nations, the Non-Aligned Movement, the Asian Development Bank and the G20 industrial nations. India has also played an important and influential role in other international organizations like East Asia Summit, World Trade Organization, IMF, G8+5 and IBSA Dialogue Forum and regional organizations like SAARC and BIMSTEC. India has taken part in several UN peacekeeping missions and in 2007, it was the second-largest troop contributor to the United Nations.

(24) After India gained independence from the United Kingdom in 1947, it soon joined the Commonwealth of Nations and strongly supported independence movements in other colonies, like the Indonesian National Revolution. During the Cold War, India adopted a foreign policy of not aligning itself with any major power bloc. Its

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foreign policy has always regarded the concept of neighbourhood as one of widening concentric circles, around a central axis of historical and cultural commonalities. The guiding principles of India's Foreign Policy have been founded on 'panchsheel', pragmatism and pursuit of national interest.

### (25) REACHING OUT TO THE WORLD

As a founder member of the United Nations, India has been a firm supporter of the Purposes and Principles of the United Nations, and has made significant contributions to the furtherance and implementation of these noble aims, and to the evolution and functioning of its various specialized programmes. It stood at the forefront during the UN's tumultuous years of struggle against colonialism and apartheid, its struggle towards global disarmament and the ending of the arms race, and towards the creation of a more equitable international economic order. At the very first session of the UN, India had raised its voice against colonialism and apartheid, two issues which have been among the most significant of the UN's successes in the last half century. India exulted in the UN's triumph. It saw in the UN's victory a vindication of the policy relentlessly pursued by it from its initial days at the World Forum. India has been a participant in all its peace-keeping operations including those in Korea, Egypt and Congo in earlier years and in Somalia, Angola and Rwanda in recent years. India has also played an active role in the deliberations of the United Nations on the creation of a more equitable international economic order. Other issues, such as environmentally sustainable development and the promotion and protection of human rights, have also been important focus of India's foreign policy in international forums.

### (26) Described by World Trade Organization's (WTO) Chief Pascal Lamy as one of the organization's "big brothers", India was instrumental in bringing down the Doha round of talks in 2008. It has played an important role of representing as many as 100 developing nations during WTO Summits. Certain aspects of India's relations within the subcontinent are conducted through the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC). Its members are Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan, and Sri Lanka. Established in 1985, SAARC encourages cooperation in agriculture, rural development, science and technology, culture, health, population control, narcotics control and anti-terrorism.

Although India has some traditionally long-running territorial disputes with neighboring Pakistan, People's Republic of China, Bangladesh, Nepal and Maldives, India has always believed in dialogue to resolve issues rather than resorting to military action. India has always exercised tremendous restraint even when the odds were stacked against it.

### (27) INDIA AS A RESPONSIBLE NATION

India has always fulfilled its responsibility to the international community extending its unstinting and unconditional support not only when there were crises of all types but even in times of peace by giving direction and guidance to the world. For example it proved to the world that violence could never hope to achieve what Mahatma Gandhi's Ahimsa could. It is impossible to measure the contribution of Indian governments to international politics and governance.

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### (28) UNITING THE WORLD IS THE EXIGENCY OF THE AGE

However, there must be a realization by our government that the situation of the world today demands urgent action on their part and that India has to play the all important role of uniting the world. This is the exigency and need of the age. The world is ready to entrust India with the responsibility for this gigantic, but not impossible task because India already has Article 51 in its Constitution. It is an indelible and undisputed fact that the spirit of the provisions of Article 51 as enshrined in the Constitution of India, act as beacon and reflect an earnest desire of the people of India for world peace and security by avoiding conflicts and wars in the interest of entire human race. This is reflected in the fact that 297 Chief Justices and Judges of Supreme and Constitutional Courts of 83 countries of the world have participated in the International Conferences of Chief Justices of the World on Article 51 of the Constitution of India and have endorsed that the "Need of the hour is Enforceable World Law," and that there should be effective global governance.

(29) In this period of rapid and continuing change, the world must be capable of responding optimally to new challenges and opportunities. Thus, the larger effort of building a general consensus among all the nations of the world requires an urgent meeting of Heads of State, Heads of Government, Monarchs and Chief Justices of all the Nations of the World at New Delhi leading to formation of a World Parliament, World Government and World Court of Justice which have to be integral aspects of our nation's commitment to ensure that the future of the 2 billion of the children of the world and generations yet-to-be-born is safe.

### (30) UNITY IS THE PRE-REQUISITE FOR WORLD PEACE

Establishment of International Peace and security is possible only if there is world unity because world unity is the pre-requisite for world peace and security. 'The Fruit of World Peace can grow only upon the Tree of World Unity'. If there is no unity in the family, there will be no peace in the family. Similarly, when there is no unity in the nation, there will be no peace in the nation and if there is no unity amongst nations, there will be no peace in the world.

Unity requires two things:

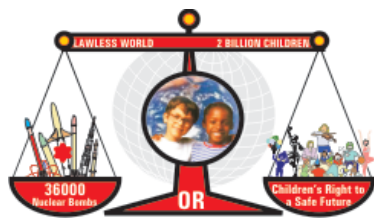
- A Common Concern &
- A Binding Thread

(i) The two billion children of the world and generations yet-to-be-born are the common concern for all the nations of the world and (ii) Enforceable World Law is the binding thread by which the world can be united.

Therefore, there is need for an enforceable world law and such enforceable law can be enacted only by a legally constituted World Parliament. The United Nations can be strengthened by first democratizing it i.e. by abolition of the Veto Power System. For this to happen an urgent meeting of the leaders of the world is a pre-requisite.

### (31) CALLING A MEETING OF WORLD LEADERS IN NEW DELHI: A CONSTITUTIONAL MANDATE

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- India is the world's biggest democracy now with over 1.1 billion people.
- From ancient times, Indian philosophy and vision seek to bring humankind to the path of peace, cooperation, co-existence, non-violence, human dignity and human advancement. India believes in the universality of mankind as one human family (**Vasudhaiv Kutumbakam**). The provisions of Article 51 of the Constitution of India embody an affirmation of the philosophy and ideals of Vasudhaiv Kutumbakam.
- The promotion of international peace and security as a constitutional directive is a mandate given by the people of India not only for the welfare of Indian society but indeed for the welfare of entire humanity. Every declaration affecting international peace and international security is a declaration made for the benefit of all mankind and the entire global society. Article 51 is a constitutional mandate given by the citizens of India to the government of India so that it makes appropriate endeavours for the promotion of international peace and security.

Therefore, this meeting of World Leaders at New Delhi should be considered as a mandate and an obligation of the Government of India and the State Governments under the Constitution of India.

### (32) THE NEED FOR A 'NEW POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC ORDER OF THE WORLD'

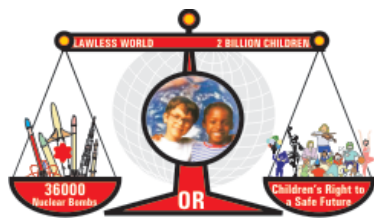
It is thus clear that there is an urgent need to save humanity from its present condition. It is also equally clear that only 'a new political and economic order of the world' can eliminate the huge nuclear stockpile. It is in this context that Article 51 of the Constitution of India assumes paramount importance. It can be the starting point for the convening of the conference advocated in this letter.

### (33) THE UNITED NATIONS: PROMISING MUCH BUT DELIVERING LITTLE

The United Nations has had its share of chances. For all the good it has done all around the world over the years, it has not been very effective in dealing with urgent global issues. Dr. Kofi Annan was the Secretary-General of the United Nations in the years preceding the United Nations Millennium Summit 2000 for leaders of the world and in the various speeches he gave on different occasions, Dr. Annan underlined the need for nations of the world to use the opportunity of the Millennium Summit 2000, to work unitedly for the betterment of humanity. Dr Annan replying to my letter dated 1st September 1999 wrote to me on 11th October 1999.

**"Next year, leaders from all over the world will come to New York for the Millennium Summit. They will consider the challenges ahead and what the United Nations can do to face them. Those leaders will be representing you, the peoples of the United Nations. It is up to you to make sure that they come here firmly resolved to take decisions which can lead to a better life for all of us and for our children..... I am counting on you all and I thank you all....."**

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(34) The nations of the world did gather for this Millennium Summit but nothing tangible came out to this largest ever gathering of leaders of the world. A unique opportunity for uniting in the name of the peoples of the world was lost because one country used its veto power with impunity with the result that world could not create consensus on any of the issues which could result in uniting the world. The present structure of the United Nations demands immediate change in the character of the United Nations.

The world's problems will not wait for the United Nations to put its house in order. Global problems are multiplying faster than the efforts to contain them. Although it has been recognized that individual nations are incapable to solve their problems on their own, still no efforts are being made to tackle these issues on a global scale.

### (35) THE SYSTEM OF VETO IN THE UNITED NATIONS HAS MADE IT INEFFECTIVE AND UNDEMOCRATIC

The United Nations cannot be democratized unless till the time the Veto Power System is not completely removed. And this is not possible and until time as the Charter of the United Nations is not amended. In view of Articles 108 and 109 of the UN Charter, no changes in the UN Charter is possible unless the five Veto Powers (1) USA (2) China (3) Russia (4) France & (5) England agree to such changes. The veto powers are reluctant to part with their privilege. Therefore, the big question is how to find solutions acceptable to all countries or the majority of the countries of the world. **A meeting of world leaders in a truly democratic setup is not possible under the aegis of the United Nations. Therefore, this meeting must be held at a neutral platform, other than the U.N., and for which New Delhi will be the most suitable place. Decisions taken at such a platform shall go a long way in addressing major global problems to bring about everlasting World Unity.**

### (36) THE WORLD CAN UNITE: EXAMPLE OF EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND THE 'EURO'.

We have already seen the success of the European Union - a union of 27 countries - a shining example of which is one 'European Parliament' over and above their National Parliaments and one common currency of 16 European countries for these nations: the Euro. Some of these nations of the European Union have been sworn enemies of one another and have been at war at one time or another. People who live in these countries are from different cultures but they put aside their differences because they have suffered. They know what war is and what it is like to live in perpetual fear. They have come together and formed a European Parliament because they know that it is their inter-generational responsibility to bequeath to future generations a safer future than was bequeathed to them. Europe now enjoys peace and prosperity and with no threat of war within the European Union. The 736 members of the European Parliament are elected once every five years by voters right across the 27 Member States of the European Union on behalf of its 492 million citizens. The

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European Parliament plays an active role in drafting of legislation which has an impact on the daily lives of its citizens of the member countries for example, on environmental protection, consumer rights, equal opportunities, transport, and the free movement of workers, capital.

### (37) INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES OF CHIEF JUSTICES OF THE WORLD AT LUCKNOW-THE WORLD JUDICIARY ENDORSES THE NEED FOR ENFORCEABLE WORLD LAW

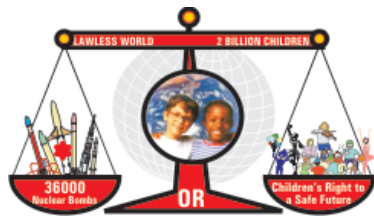
The International Conference of the Chief Justices of the World organised annually by the City Montessori School, Lucknow, India for the last nine years has been a good beginning towards the goal of world unity. These conferences have shown that India must lead the world towards the goal of a united world government which will ensure international peace and security; honourable and just relations between nations; respect for international law; and the settlement of international disputes by arbitration. At these Conferences 297 Chief Justices and Judges of Supreme Courts and Constitutional Courts of 83 countries of the world have participated. They have endorsed that the "Need of the hour is Enforceable World Law." Seven Former Chief Justices of India who have participated in the Conferences in Lucknow have also endorsed the same view.

(38) Some great Indian visionaries had this to say about unity and the role of India in defining the future of the world. **Mahatma Gandhi:** "A day will come when the world will approach India in its quest for peace and India will become the light of the world"; **Pandit Jawarhalal Nehru:** "Either the world will unite or it will perish"; **Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar:** "Law and order are the medicine of the body politic and when the body politic gets sick, medicine must be administered;" **Dr. S. Radhakrishnan,** Former President of India: "There will be one central authority to which the instruments of coercion will be surrendered... and a fraction of the sovereignty of independent nation states will have to be given up for the security of the whole world..." **Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia,** a great socialist leader constituted, 'World Development Council', a step towards creation of 'World Government', with a view to establish peace in the whole world.

### (39) REALIZING THE NEED FOR COMING TOGETHER AND REACHING A COMMON UNDERSTANDING

An unprecedented event in the modern history of this world took place at this year's G-8 summit in Italy when G-5 (Group of 5 emerging countries of the world which are Brazil, India, China, Mexico and South Africa) and G-8 countries came together. They jointly prepared the declaration 'Promoting the Global Agenda' which was signed by leaders of 14 countries (with Egypt also being the new entrant). This was the first time when the rich and developing countries jointly discussed issues and signed a joint declaration at a G8 summit. In the last 5 years, Outreach 5 (as the G-5 was known in the circle of elites) was a mere spectator at the summit and had no voting rights. The joint event signaled the formation of G-14 which comprises of G-5 and G-8 countries and Egypt. This can be seen as a giant leap towards the establishment of a new political and economic order and global governance of the world.

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(41) SHOULD N'T INDIA TAKE A LEAD AS IT HAS DONE WITH ITS MESSAGE OF NON-VIOLENCE! YOUR EXCELLENCY HAS TO PLAY AN IMPORTANT ROLE IN UNITING THE WORLD

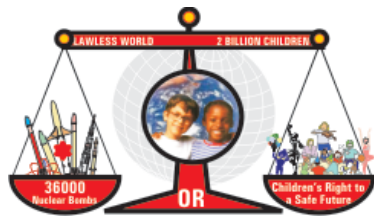
It is only India which can unite and save the world from further destruction. Being a representative yourself of the people of India, Your Excellency owes a great responsibility to unite the world with the help of Heads of State, Heads of Government, Monarchs and Chief Justices of all the nations of the world by mutual consensus. We request Your Excellency to grant our appeal and summon a meeting of these leaders at New Delhi to consider the issue of formation of a new political and economic order leading to the establishment of a World Parliament, World Government and a World Court of Justice, before it is too late and when nothing can be done. Article 51 is a beacon of hope for the entire world so India has to take this responsibility upon itself.

Baha'u'llah once said: "Consultation bestoweth greater awareness and transmuteth conjecture into certitude. It is a shining light which, in a dark world, leadeth the way and guideth. For everything there is and will continue to be a station of perfection and maturity. The maturity of the gift of understanding is made manifest through consultation."

(42) NEW POLITICAL & ECONOMIC ORDER OF THE WORLD LEADING TO THE FORMATION OF WORLD PARLIAMENT, WORLD GOVERNMENT AND WORLD COURT OF JUSTICE

The formation of a World Parliament, World Government and a World Court of Justice will not in any way undermine the authority of any national government or the national parliament or the national legal system. European Parliament of 27 European Countries is a model whereby all the 27 Countries have their own Parliament and their own National Governments, and they have their own legal systems. Out of the 27 Countries, 16 Countries have joined the Euro Currency System and have mitigated their own currencies. This political & economic order is functioning well under the European Parliament. As we all know it were the European Countries who fought the First and Second World Wars along with other wars with one another, they made the 20th Century most brutal and murderous in human history. They have now realised the importance of unity and have united in European Parliament over and above their national Parliaments and now there is no question of any enmity or hatred for each other. Even East and West Germany, two countries having two different ideologies of Communism and Capitalism united in 1990 after 45 years of man-made division. The same way, now the time has come for the world to unite in one Parliament, World

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Theme: Enforceable World Law and Effective Global Governance is the need of the hour to Safeguard the Future of World's Two Billion Children and Generations yet-to-be-born

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The State shall endeavour to:

- promote international peace and security;
- maintain just and honourable relations between nations;
- foster respect for international law; and
- encourage settlement of international disputes by arbitration.

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Government and World Court of Justice and one Enforceable World Law to ensure safe future for the two billion children of the world and the generations yet to be born. The World Parliament, World Government and World Court of Justice will put in place a mechanism to effectively deal with supranational issues, that is, concerns the whole of humanity that do not interfere in their internal and national issues and problems.

**(43) We, therefore, request Your Excellency to consider and appreciate the need for holding an urgent meeting of the Heads of State, Heads of Government, Monarchs and Chief Justices of all nations of the world at New Delhi to deliberate on the issue of creating a new world order that may ensure a safe and secure future for humanity, especially for the two billion children of the world and generations yet-to-be-born.**

With highest regards,

Yours sincerely,

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as well as 2 billion children of the world and the generations  
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