



RASHTRA MAHILA

NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR WOMEN

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PRESIDENT OF INDIA GRACES NCW'S 31ST FOUNDATION DAY CELEBRATION



The President of India, Smt Droupadi Murmu graced the 31st Foundation Day Celebration of National Commission for Women in New Delhi on January 31st, 2023. Speaking on the occasion, the President said that it was not possible to imagine a strong and healthy society without women empowerment. Together we have to work towards creating an environment where all women can fully participate and contribute in the socio-economic, cultural and political spheres significantly. Women empowerment is not just an issue of social justice but it is also crucial for economic development. Hon'ble Union Minister for Women and Child Development Smt Smriti Zubin Irani, Hon'ble MoS WCD Shri Dr. Munjpara Mahendrabhai Kalubhai, and Chairperson, NCW, Ms Rekha Sharma and Secretary, WCD Shri Indevvar Pandey also graced the occasion. The National Commissions, State Commissions for Women, Foreign Embassies, dignitaries from the legal fraternity, senior government officials, Department of Women and Child Development in State Governments, MPs, MLAs, University and College teaching faculty and students, senior officials from the Police Department, National and State Legal Services Authority, Members of the NCW Advisory Committee, and NGOs were present during the event.

NCW organizes Panel Discussion on Sashakt Nari Sashakt Bharat



The National Commission for Women organized a panel discussion on the theme Sashakt Nari Sashakt Bharat as part of its Foundation Day celebrations to honour the experiences of women who have excelled and carved their path to leave a mark. Chairperson, National Commission for Women Ms Rekha Sharma graced the occasion.

In order to get diverse views, the Commission invited extraordinary women from different fields; former WHO Chief Scientist Soumya Swaminathan, Actor and politician Khusbu Sundar, Indian Sharpshooter Prakash Tomar, Former Judge of Supreme Court Justice, Sujata Vasant Manohar, Artist Ravi Bala Sharma and Entrepreneur Urmila Jamnadas. The panel was moderated by Aditya Raj Kaul, Executive Editor, TV 9 Network.

The Commission organized a two-day event to celebrate its 31st Foundation Day from 31st January, 2023 to 1st February, 2023. Through this discussion, the Commission aimed to provide a platform with diverse and varied exchange of dialogue focusing around gender equality in decision-making and leadership roles of women belonging to different socio-economic backgrounds.

All India Meeting of Nodal Officers on Acid Attack



The National Commission for Women organized an 'All India Nodal Officers Meeting on Acid Attack' on January 18, 2023 to deliberate, discuss, and share suggestions to resolve the issues regarding sale and purchase of acid and other corrosive substances, compensation for survivors, treatment and rehabilitation of survivors, among other topics. The meeting was attended by 23 Nodal Officers and representatives from States across India.

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The National Commission for Women organized the 1st training batch of 'She is a Changemaker' program for the Tamil Nadu Institute of Urban Studies at Coimbatore. Women representatives of urban local bodies participated, Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson of Second Grade Municipalities and Special Grade Townpanchayats participated in the training.

Legal Awareness Drive



NCW launched an Awareness Drive on NRI Matrimonial Issues in collaboration with National University of Advanced Legal Studies, Kochi on February 4th, 2023. Sh. Asholi Chalai, Joint Secretary, NCW attended the launching programme as Guest of Honour. Sessions are being conducted in 5 districts of Kerala, including Ernakulam, Pathanamitta, Kozhikode, Idukki and Thiruvananthapuram.

Chairperson's Engagements



Chairperson, National Commission for Women, Ms Rekha Sharma participated as Distinguished Guest and shared her insights on women empowerment at the 'Jijabai Jayanti' programme organized by 'My Home India' on January 12, 2023 to commemorate the birth anniversary of Rajmata Jijabai.

NCW Programmes



The National Commission for Women organized 2 Regional Law Review Consultations on 'Rights of Muslim Women – Reviewing Muslim Personal Laws' for the Northern and North-Eastern regions in collaboration with NLU Bhopal and NEHU Shillong respectively.



The National Commission for Women organized a five-day programme on Training & Capacity Building of Women in Dairy Farming in Patna in collaboration with Bihar Veterinary College, Bihar Animal Sciences University.



The 5th batch of 'She Is A Changemaker' training for Tamil Nadu Institute of Urban Studies was attended by Chairpersons and Vice-Chairpersons of Second Grade Municipalities and Special Grade Townpanchayats.