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MESSAGE

Good governance founded on integrity and a public life free of corruption is a vision shared by all of us including the poorest citizen of this country. Corruption retards socio-economic development, denies the poor access to even the basic services, increases poverty and inequality; and distorts markets and investment priorities. Combating corruption requires sustained and dedicated efforts by governments, anti-corruption authorities and all the stake holders.

The Central Vigilance Commission as part of its strategy to fight corruption has initiated various preventive measures in addition to its punitive efforts. Government of India is bringing about a slew of reforms to enhance the effectiveness of its anti-corruption efforts. India has now ratified the UN Convention Against Corruption and efforts are being made to fine tune the systems and institutional frameworks to comply with the principles of the Convention. The successful and effective implementation of these measures, requires the commitment and participation of all stakeholders, most importantly the citizens.

Observance of the International Anti-Corruption Day is an important occasion to create awareness, educate people and reaffirm the commitment of all.

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(Pradeep Kumar)