

Cravelling a 100 Pears in 6 Months

They say a 1000 mile journey begins with the first step. But nothing prepares one to traverse a 100 year journey in a single year. Nay, just 6 months... if one were to consider the Annual Day of FTAPCCI in its Centenary Year. Held on 23rd December 2016, the red letter day when Shri Pranab Mukherjee, the Hon'ble President of India, graced FTAPCCI's Centenary celebrations.

The event itself has been etched in history. Never before has the Federation held such a grandiose celebration in a secure zone befitting the First Citizen of the nation and offering the pomp and splendor befitting a celebration that comes - literally - once in a hundred years!!

Before we relive the magic moments of the event and examine it in its totality, let us dwell a bit upon FTAPCCI and its history.

Rooking back... with fondness.....



established in 1917 by Sri Paramanand Das and a few other businessmen. The intention was to represent the entire old State of Hyderabad that included parts of the present Karnataka, Maharashtra and all Telugu speaking districts of the old Nizam's dominions.

Thus, the foundation of the Hyderabad

The Chamber of Commerce was Chamber of Commerce was laid initial membership of 31 members represented solidarity towards the cause. Over the years, the Hyderabad Chamber of Commerce grew into a strong representative of the business community, focusing largely on industrialization in future.

Over the next forty years, the in the early 20th century, and the Hyderabad Chamber of Commerce systematically kept building up the relationship with the Government and the tradesmen of Hyderabad. The formation of the erstwhile Andhra Pradesh in 1956, marked a significant milestone. The Chamber changed its trade but laying the foundation for name to 'The Federation of Andhra Pradesh Chambers of Commerce and

Industry 'in 1958. This ushered in the era of government regulation and FAAPCI became a guiding light for its members.

The 1991 historic economic policy shift and the advent of Liberalization, Privatization and Globalization forced businesses to transform and metamorphize to face global competition. FAPCCI became a hub for international relations, as members were exposed to trade and commerce in various other countries and were given the opportunity to go global. Their sheer commitment and organizational approach led to great export opportunities. The chamber's Certificate of Origin became a benchmark for international trade.

FAPCCI moved forward reshaping itself and assisting its members remodeling their business in a dynamic ecosystem. 2010 saw the reformation of the Telugu states and the emergence of Telangana. FAPCCI now FTAPCCI (Federation of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry) represents the business interests of both the states and strives to foster a conducive business environment.

The next event that had a deep historical impact on the Federation was the bifurcation of the State into erstwhile Andhra Pradesh and newly formed State of Telangana in 2014. At this juncture, the Federation was rechristened as 'The Federation of Telangana & Andhra Pradesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry' (referred to as FTAPCCI).

FTAPCCI liaises between Trade, Industry and the Government, participating & suggesting to the government on their policies on industry, labor laws, energy, environment, direct & indirect taxes & various issues. It also draws attention and represents industry about the issues and challenges of industry & trade. FTAPCCI conducts studies on various subjects related to trade and industry and acts as a knowledge chamber. In 2017, we would be completing 100 years. FTAPCCI has got a membership of more than 3000 direct members and with its 160 Associations/Chambers of Commerce and an indirect membership of over 25000. FTAPCCI has become an important forum for interaction between Govt. and business and industry in a global perspective.

In the past, FTAPCCI has had the proud privilege of visits by Sri Pranab Mukherjee, President of India and Dr.A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, former President of India and they addressed the members of the industry on several subjects.











"I think 100 years is a long march in the history of an organisation. Very few organisations have really survived 100 years. The fact that this Chamber of Commerce has survived 100 years, speaks of its glorious relevance. Relevant not only 100 years back but relevant today also, that is more important. Being relevant 100 years back is something, but being relevant today in the changing times, speaks volumes of

the wonderful work that the Chamber of Commerce must

be doing and will continue to do.

I must say, as you complete your 100 years, what is needed today is really to sort of think-over what the decades ahead hold for you and for the country. How you could really enhance your utility and your relevance for Society as such. I think today more than ever, we need to see how the Chamber can really be a growth-engine that helps the economies grow at faster rate. This will mean that rather than going on the beaten path, we need to see how we can really promote innovativeness".

"Go and set up an incubation centre in a village - not in Hyderabad and Vijayawada". The Governor also said (with reference to CSR), "there is a need to take up long-term projects instead of activities such as planting of trees and distributing freebies. The industry should come forward to adopt villages and education institutes for holistic development. I am personally against giving freebies. We should see to it that everyone is well-trained and employed so that they can proudly spend from their own earnings."

"It's time industry bodies act like growth engines and help

the economies grow at faster rate," he said.

July 2016: Hon'ble Governor, Shri ESL Narasimhan flags off the Centenary Celebrations

Governor said this highlighting the need to impart job oriented skills and create jobs. Cautioning that the economy would be sluggish unless jobs were created, he said: "Economy cannot be confined to top two percentage. The growth has to filter down... employment has to be generated".

"My purpose of stressing on wage earning capability is because I am one who feels that the very large dose of free schemes must be abolished," he said to a thunderous applause that drowned his voice. "The wage earning capability, wage earning happiness is entirely different from a free lunch," he added.

Stating that there is a skill mismatch, between what is taught and what is required by industry, he wondered: "I cannot understand what you mean by skill development after five-year engineering course. So what skills have you developed over the five years? I don't see any reason for skill development centres to exist.

The educational institutions must be skill development centres...", he said.

SHATAK SHATAK PRAGATI VIDEO SCRIPT
The wheels of progress keep working relentlessly
FTAPCCI has been...
Fueling Industrial Growth
Enabling Trade, and Commerce
Engaging with the Government
all this for a century.
A legacy of energizing industry.
And a promise of rejuventation.
FTAPCCI. SHATAK SHATAK PRAGATI

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FTAPCCI Today

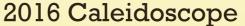
FTAPCCI has now spread itself into different branches catering to almost every business category. FTAPCCI laid the foundation of converting itself into a Knowledge Chamber that would have a dedicated department to conduct research and studies on various aspects of trade and commerce that would improve their ability to advise the state government in policy formation.

In this journey of 100 years, FTAPPCI has traversed the turbulent business environment of India and has always been of support to its members and the governments. As they gear up, for the next phase of transformation, the

prime focus now is digitization and addressing issues like Cyber threat, IPR and more.

With a rich experience of 100 years, FTAPPCI is all geared for another 100 years stint with a new roar. Come, discover more about the latest Chapter of FTAPCCI in its Centenary Year.... The dedication to ensure: SHATAK SHATAK PRAGATI















FTAPCCI's Annual Day

in its Centenary Year

23rd December 2016 Hyderabad International Convention Centre

A hundred years. An occasion that deserves to be celebrated in style. And how!

FTAPCCI celebrated its Annual Day in its Centenary Year with none other than the Hon'ble President of India. The confirmation came from Rashtrapati Bhavan earlier in the year and was indeed like music to the ears. What followed in the subsequent months of preparation was like a whirlwind. And what culminated on stage the day of the event was sheer magic... Life-long memories captured in photoframes, inspiring speeches by the Office Bearers of FTAPCCI and the Chairman, Centenary Committee, breath-taking mementos given to the dignitaries, and a film where sand art captured how FTAPCCI had indeed left its footprints on the sands of time. All that, followed by a sumptuous lunch at HICC and meliflous music by the Contemporary Fusion Band, Samarpan.

Agenda

(11.00 AM - 4.00 PM)

Hon'ble President's arrival at 12.30 PM
Received by President, FTAPCCI &
Chairman, Centenary Committee
Photosessions
Welcome Speech by President, FTAPCCI
Felicitation of Dignitaries on the Dais
Speech by Chairman, Centenary Committee
Centenary Special
Speech by Governor
Speech by Shri Pranab Mukherjee
Vote of Thanks by Sr Vice President, FTAPCCI
Networking Lunch
Cultural Programme by Samarpan





















Speech

23rd December 2016 Speech by Hon'ble President of India Sri Pranab Mukherjee

he President of India, Shri Pranab Mukherjee addressed the Centenary Year Celebrations of the Federation of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FTAPCCI) on 23rd December, 2016 in Hyderabad.

In the year of Centenary it has its own significance. No doubt reaching hundred years in the life of any organization is an important landmark and in your case it is not only a landmark event in your life but it is also a story which is scripted for hundred years by contribution of many persons, not only of the story of development of Industry, Trade and Commerce but

also the story of 100 years the life of a vast multitude of people living in this region.

> In 1917 it began its small step, but as there is a saying, "Even a long march starts with the first step". The first step was significant and surely on the occasion of when we are reaching the Centenary year and having the Annual Day function on the Centenary year to remember those who have made their own contribution.

Sir Parmananda Das who began this as the Chamber of Commerce in 1917. the year was significant because in these 3-4 years India adopted a massive

agitation under the leadership of Mahatma Gandhi to attain its freedom and Swaraj. 1917 was the penultimate year of the First World War's

> British imperial emerged as power almost unchallenged in Europe because it's two potential rivalries one was France, which was totally devastated though came out with areas but lost its vitality

conclusions. After that

substantially, another was Germany, which was completely vanquished.

But we have this story of our own that is the also to make economic development in our country. No doubt hundred ninety years history of colonial rule is the history of exploitation suffering miseries and as Dadabhai Nauroji once observed in the House of Commons itself as one of the rarest Indian members in the British House of Commons. He informed the British MPs and also the British rulers that your rule in India is synchronizing with the constant drain of the resources from a very resourceful country to yours.

Therefore we began our journey!

so far as your chamber is concerned in 1917 but it had to witness many major possible in our life encompassing our aspirations or political freedom, economic development occupy in our rightful place in the committee of nations reach who had no control. The major economic crisis of and I'm happy that yours' organization have not only been contributed substantially by those who have provided the enlightened leadership to your Chamber of Commerce crisis of such dimension. It gives birth to a new institution and Industry but also had the years who have built up a strong backup teams in the Secretariat, because if you have a strong backup team it becomes easy for you to handle the situation because the constant support you receive from their research studies preparing paper notes and other relevant information's help the policymakers to take the correct decision.

When you are celebrating your hundred years of existence India is in the cause of a major change. Major change in the sense we can describing is a major jump, leap towards a higher growth projected.

Since Independence there have been many policy formulations, many measures taken to lead the country

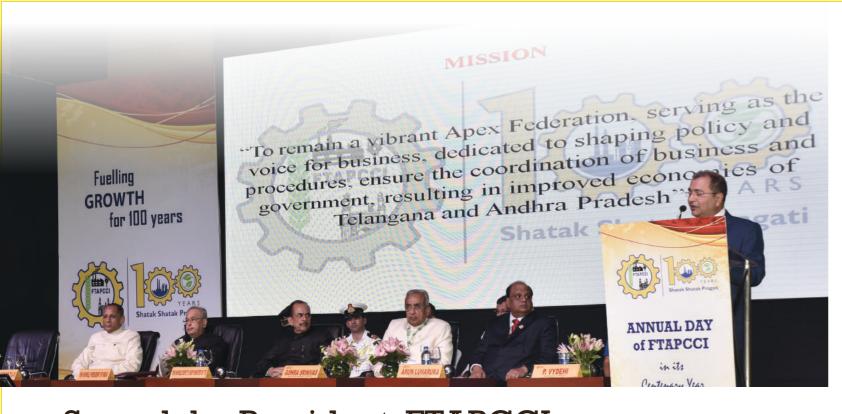
story of not only fighting for political emancipation but towards economic prosperity, to attain the objectives of the economic development to provide jobs, to provide food, education and health which were a gigantic task.

> Thanks to our leaders who had the foresight to see that political freedom is just an opportunity to achieve the welfare state which is the ultimate objective of the state where people have the facilities to build their own lives in their own way. Have education, have health, have food, have job, have employment and have the opportunities of growing fast.

India is emerging! There is no doubt our GDP growth in the last 15 years sometimes it has-been affected not entirely because of the slow-down of the economic process in the country but because of the external factors of our 2008 which nobody could predict that with the indiscrete action of the housing mortgaging bag would trigger off a old institution group of 20 which is popularly known as

Finally, The President called upon the industrialists present and the Corporate Sector of the country to come forward and take pro-active part in the various programmes initiated by the Government of India such as Digital India, Clean India, Make in India, Start up India etc. He expressed the hope that these programmes would help the country continue to progress in the growth trajectory of the past 15 years. He highlighted the fact that the nation's growth rate in the last decade and half had not only been high but the country was also shielded from the worst effects of the global economic crisis of 2008.





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Speech by President, FTAPCCI Sri Ravindra Modi

the President of FTAPCCI in its Centenary Year I am proud to declare that we have decided to celebrate this very day that you have joined us in our celebrations i.e. 23rd December –as the Annual Day of FTAPCCI in the years to come.

A very special welcome to Shri E.S.L. Narasimhan, Hon'ble Governor of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh, the guiding force for our Federation and also – significantly – the person who magically flagged off our journey in this centenary year. Sir, your support and guidance over the years – and more recently, the vision that you have shared with us on 4th July 2016, have given us important pointers. They have helped us lay the blueprint for the years to come.

Sir, we, at FTAPCCI, are very proud that the two Telugu States, Telangana and Andhra Pradesh, have topped the rankings in 'Ease of Doing Business (EoDB)' in the country. We constantly strive to support both the Governments in taking proactive business friendly measures.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Today, we are gathered here – in this Hall to celebrate a story that took 100 years to unfold.

ederation was established 100 years ago in 1917, A story about a group of visionary businessmen - right but there is lack of documentary evidence in our back in 1917 - who perceived a 'need', where other fail to Archives to establish exactly which day it was. As see one. who dared to explore uncharted territories.... and make a difference in areas that others feared to tread, who conceived and created today's Federation

> We are here to relive the glory of the Federation of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry – popularly known as FTAPCCI....

> This entity has remained un-wavering in its commitment to empower trade, commerce and industry for an entire

> Geographies may have changed... maps may have been etched to reflect the scars of political differences and changing priorities -

> However, The Federation has neither changed its focus nor its commitment to support the growth of the Teluguspeaking States and lead them from strength to strength.

> Through not just several decades, but One hundred years, to be precise. A century.

> In fact, in the video you have just seen, the Centenary Logo of FTAPCCI displays the numeric hundred, which depicts two wheels, first reflects the commitment of last hundred years in industrialization and second with two tender leaves representing the two new States and our

promise to nurture them.

We stand on the threshold where FTAPCCI makes its remarkable journey from a humble Chamber of Commerce with 31 members to a powerhouse of over 3000 members and a strong secretariat Today, we live in an era where change is the only constant.

Ex: The implementation of GST and the revolutionary demonetization bear the testimony to the dynamic nature of business. The need to change the way we transact our business from cash to cashless makes us to adapt the change overnight.

The communication that is not instantaneous is no communication at all.

The technology which is in voque today becomes obsolete tomorrow. We, at FTAPCCI recognize this as a time for introspection, reflection, reaffirmation and reinvention. It is also time to decide the future.

We therefore, need to rewrite our Mission and Vision for our next generation

We reiterate our Mission as:

"To remain a vibrant Apex Federation, serving as the voice for business, dedicated to shaping policy and procedures, ensure the coordination of business and government, resulting in improved economies of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh".

Our Vision as:

- To incessantly lead the business community towards sustainable economic growth, advocate a probusiness climate
- To develop innovative solutions that create jobs, increase domestic and foreign investment and helps industrialization
- To help business thrive and entrepreneurs strive
- To develop skills for tomorrow's start-ups, workforce and entrepreneurs
- To build a vibrant and prosperous community through business leadership in the region.
- To eventually earn a place of pride for both Telangana and Andhra Pradesh among the Top 5 prosperous states in the nation.

I take this opportunity to lay down a concrete plan to meet our Mission and Vision:

We now live in an era where data and business intelligence have emerged as key-drivers of

change and policy making. The data base is necessary for both the Government and industry for formulating policies, schemes, and to assess market trends. FTAPCCI has embarked on Market Research and Data Collection, an endeavor that will lift FTAPCCI from a mere facilitation centre to a Knowledge Chamber.

- In the era of Globalization and Collaboration, Intellectual Property Rights give competitive advantage over others and it shall be crucial for the industry to protect their Intellectual Properties. FTAPCCI proposes to open an IPR Facilitation centre to service its' members
- The piling up of cases in judicial courts, delay in judgments, and rising costs of litigation calls for setting up of ADR Centres. FTAPCCI proposes to set up one such centre in near future to help and resolve the issues of its
- India is a young country. FTAPCCI recognizes the need for promoting and encouraging the Start-Ups to create an environment for self-employment. It proposes to set up "Incubation Centres" in an innovative way where an existing, experienced member can provide an handholding support and guide the start-ups
- FTAPCCI has initiated meaningful relationships with Universities / educational institutions by bonding strong linkages between industry and academic institutions. FTAPCCI perceives to act as a bridge to close the gap between the requirement of industry and the skill sets of the future workforce.
- Entrepreneurship Development Centre will be set up to promote the entrepreneurship across all sections of the society and among the rural population
- FTAPCCI proposes to set up an International Trade Promotion Centre to help its members expand their business globally.

I take the creative liberty to adapt the golden words of Robert Frost while describing the Federation's journey from today onwards:

"The woods are lovely, dark, and deep, but we have promises to keep,

And miles to go before we sleep,... and miles to go before we sleep.

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The Federation of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry – FTAPCCI - has diligently defined the economic ecosystem of the Deccan for ten decades.

Set up by a group of visionary businessmen led by Sri Paramanand Das in 1917, FTAPCCI has overcome challenges faced by industry for 100 years.

The story began in 1917, when FTAPCCI was "Hyderabad Chamber of Commerce".

The "Hyderabad Chamber of Commerce became a strong representative of the business community, focusing almost exclusively on trade and laying the foundation for future.

For the next four decades, the Hyderabad Chamber of Commerce engaged with the Government and the tradesmen of Hyderabad.

1956 threw up a major challenge for the chamber: the formation of Andhra Pradesh presented a need to adapt. The Hyderabad Chamber of Commerce - now rechristened as FAPCCI, the Federation of Andhra Pradesh Chamber of Commerce, started working at the regional level and shifted its focus to creating opportunities for traders by associating with the Andhra Government to create trade-friendly policies.

Over the next three and a half decades, FAPCCI successfully guided its members through the era of government regulation.

The historic opening up of the economy in 1991, and the adoption of the policies of liberalisation, privatization and globalisation, brought in a dramatic shift in the way the Indian economy functioned. FAPCCI transformed into a hub for international relations, and helped members face global competition by exposing them to trade and commerce in other countries. Their sheer commitment and organisational approach led to great export opportunities.

Over the years, FAPCCI grew from strength to strength. 2014 saw the next major political challenge – the division of the erstwhile Andhra Pradesh into Telangana and Andhra Pradesh. The road map given by FTAPCCI for industrial growth in the two States served as a guideline in both Telangana and Andhra Pradesh.

FAPCCI now rechristened "the Federation of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry", i.e. FTAPCCI, committed itself to represent the business interests of

both the states and foster a conducive business environment.

Responsive to the needs of the region - a 100 years from its time of inception -

FTAPCCI has infused new life into its Mission.

And the dawn of FTAPCCI's 100th year of existence has given birth to new aspirations.

New dreams...

that can only be realised through its all-new Vision.

FTAPCCI has always embraced change with open arms. It has the unique ability to

learn to adapt - and become adept at new developments.

At the same time, it leverages the strengths that it has built up in the past.

For ten decades, FTAPCCI has enhanced business operations and even addressed contemporary issues like Cyber threat, IPR, Make In India etc. It has taken on progressive initiatives such as incubation centres, the ADR centre and the IPR centre.

We now usher in the latest journey of the Century-old Federation –

the journey towards becoming a bridge between the academia and the industry. It garners feedback & inputs on the roadblocks for the industrial growth, making a meaningful difference in the States of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh.

In the Centenary Year, FTAPCCI resolves to keep working resolutely towards the growth and health of the newly evolved twin Telugu-speaking states: Telangana and Andhra Pradesh.

In the Centenary Year, 23rd of December, 2016, is truly a red-letter day.

An Annual Day marked by none other than the Hon'ble President Of India....

and graced by the Hon 'ble Governor, who flagged off the Centenary Celebrations.

FTAPCCI gets set to script Success for the next hundred years......

Shatak Shatak Pragati.

LINK: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_xuzjJt0KgQ
Credits: Script by Anu Sr Santhanam (initially assisted by Ellar Films team);
Sand Art by Kant Risa; Production by Ellar Films



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Pranab Mukherjee lauds India surpassing British economy in GDP

India is currently on the cusp of a major leap towards higher economic growth trajectory, says Prez

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President Pranab Mukherjee on Friday lauded India's feat of surpassing the Britain's economy by GDP, whose colonial rule in this country was marked by "exploitation and suffering".

"Just a couple of days back we have seen a newspaper headline that the annual income of our colonial masters, Great Britain, is less than that of India", he said at the annual day of the Federation of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FTAPCCI) in its

Mukherjee likened the development as part of "ups and downs in the lives of individuals, and nations".

It's a matter of satisfaction that for the three consecutive years, Indian investment was the highest (by a foreign country) in the UK, where this country was also the largest employment provider.

Noting the origins of FTAPCCI in 1917, Mukherjee touched upon the country's freedom struggle under Mahatma Gandhi against "British imperial power" during those years, and said, "....History of colonial rule is the history of exploitation and suffering"



हैदराबाद अंतर्राष्ट्रीय कनुवेंशन सेंटर में आयोजित फेडरेशन ऑफ तेलंगाना एण्ड आंध्र-प्रदेश चैंबर्स ऑफ कॉमर्स के शताब्दी समारोह में भाग लेते राष्ट्रपति प्रणव मुखर्जी।

Pranab hails Modi policies, talks of great Indian leap



- ప్రధాని చేపడుతున్న కార్యక్రమాలు బాగున్నాయి
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• ఎఫ్ట్ టాప్స్ శతాబ్ది వేడుకల్లో

రాష్ట్రపతి ప్రణబ్ ముఖర్జీ

హైదరాబాద్ (ఆంద్రజ్యాతి): 'ఆరిక మాంద్యం దెబ్బకు ప్రపంచంలోని అభివృద్ధి చెందిన దేశాలన్నీ కుదుపునకు గురయ్యాయి.. ఆ ప్రభావం నుంచి අංජ මිනි ස්ෂාවා ම්වාම්ප්රා නිපරමුන් පරිජ విధానాలతోనే భారత ఆర్థిక వ్యవస్థ మాత్రం సిరంగా ముందుకు సాగుతోంది' అని భారత రాష పతి ప్రణబ్ ముఖర్తీ అన్నారు. స్వాల జాతీయో త్రత్తి (జిడిపి) ప్రకారం గ్రేట్ బ్రిటన్ను ఆధిగ మించి బారత్ అగ రాజ్యాల సరసన నిలబడింద నారు. దేశంలో ఉద్యోగాల కల్పన జరిగే విధా నాలు రావాలి. అవే దేశాభివృదికి దోహదం చేస్తా యని ఆయన చెప్పారు. శుక్రవారంనాడిక్కడ తెలం గాణ, ఆంధ్రప్రదేశ్ పార్యశామిక, వాణిజ్య మండళ్ల సమాఖ్య (ఎఫ్ట్ టాప్సీ) శతాబ్ది ఉత్సవాలకు రాష్ట్ర పతి ముఖ్య అతిథిగా హాజరయ్యారు. ఈ సంద రంగా రాష్ట్రపతి మాట్లాడుతూ.. ప్రధానమంత్రి పకటించిన డిజిటల్ ఇండియా, కీన్ ఇండియా, మేకిన్ ఇండియా సత్పలితాలు సాధించి ఉద్యోగాల కల్పనకు ద్వారాలు తెరిస్తే దేశంలోని యువతకు ఉపాధి లభించటం దారా దేశం మరింత ప్రరోభి వృద్ధిని సాధిస్తుందని అన్నారు. దేశ జనాభాలో యాభై శాతం మంది పాతికేళ్లలోపువారే ఉన్నారని, మానవ వనరులను పూర్తి సాయిలో వినియోగిం చుకుని దేశాభివృదికి ఉపయోగించుకోవాలని రాష్ట పతి అన్నారు. విద్య, వైద్యం, ఉపాధి కల్పనకు అత్యంత ప్రాధాన్యం ఇవ్యాలని ఆయన సూచిం చారు. వందేశ్ల రాజరిక పాలనలో దేశం అణిచి వేత, వనరుల దోపిడికి గురైందని గుర్తు చేశారు. బ్రిటిష్ పాలనలోనే దాదాభాయ్ నౌరోజీ ఆ దేశ పార్లమెంట్ సభ్యుల ముందు దేశంలోని వనరు లన్నీ డోచుకుంటున్న విషయం గుర్తు చేశారు. స్వాతంత్ర్యం అనంతరం రాజకీయాధికారం దక్క డంతో సమిషిగా కృషి చేయటం ద్వారా ఆర్థిక వ్యవసను బలీయంగా మార్చుకోగలిగామన్నారు. ఇందుకు తగటుగానే గ్రేట్ను బ్రిటన్ను అధిగమిం చామన్నారు. యుకెలో భారత పెట్టుబడులే అధి కంగా ఉన్నాయి. ఆ దేశంలో ఉద్యోగాల కల్పవలో భారత పార్యశామిక వ్యవస్థ పాత్ర ఉందన్నారు.

2008లో ప్రపంచంలో ఆర్థిక మాంద్రం వచ్చినా ఆ ప్రభావం భారత్పై పడలేదన్నారు. దీనిపై అనుమానాలు లేకుండా సిరమైన అభివృ ద్దిని సాధిస్తున్నామని ప్రకటించారు. ఎఫ్ట్ మీ వందేళ మెలురాయి దాటి కీలక భూమిక పోషిం చింది. మరో వందేళ దిశగా అడుగులు పడాలని ్రవణబ్ ముఖర్రీ అన్నారు. మద్రాసు నుంచి వేరు పడి ఆంద్రపదేశ్, తదనంతరం ఎప్పి నుంచి తెలం గాణ రాషాలు ఏర్పడాయి. ఎన్నో మార్పులు చోటు చేసుకుంటున్నాయి.రాష్ట్రాల ఆర్థికాభివృద్ధిలో పాలు పంచుకోవాలి అని రాష్ట్రపతి సూచించారు.

1917లోనే హైదరాబాద్ ఛాంబర్ ఆఫ్ కామ ర్గా ఏర్పడ్నాం. రాష్ట్ర అవతరణ అనంతరం ఆంద్ర ప్రదేశ్ ఛాంబర్ ఆఫ్ కామర్స్ మార్చాం. రాష్ట్రంలో పార్యశామికీకరణలో కీలక భూమిక పోషిస్స్ సార్టప్లకు సహకారం అంది స్మా వందేళ్ల మైలురాయిని దాటామని ఎఫ్ఓాపీ ఆధం కుడు రవీంద మోదీ అన్నారు. ఈ కార్యకమానికి గౌరవ అతిథులుగా తెలుగు రాష్ట్రాల గవర్నర్ ఇఎస్ఎల్ నరసింహన్, తెలంగాణ ఉప ముఖ్య మంత్రి ఎండి మహమూద్ ఆలీ హాజరయ్యారు.



Growth to continue: Prez

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President Pranab Mukherjee on Friday said that the country was emerging in economic aspect and the below 25 year age the last 15 years and Make in India etc.

of the Federation of age group and we long march," he said.

Telangana and AP should utilize the Chambers Commerce and Industry (FTAPCCI), said. the president emphasized for the utilization of manpower

GDP, which rose in group in the country. "50 per cent of popaffected some times ulation in the coundue to the external try is working in varfactors, would grow ious sectors of which which people have up with the initia- majority of manpowtions like Digital er are from the age India, Clean India, group between 19 and 59. We have huge

Speaking at the cen- potentiality of mantenary celebrations power below 25 years 1917 which has is a

of potentiality for the growth of GDP," he

He said that reaching 100 years in the life of an organisation was very important landmark and it should not only a national landmark. but also a story scripted over period of 100 years by their contributions.

"FTAPCCI made a small beginning in

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గణనీయ ఆర్థికాభివృద్ధి చిశగా దేశం

గత మూడేళ్లలో దేశం జీడీపీలో జ్రిటన్ ముంచిపేయింది • సుస్టీర విధానాలతోనే 2008లో ఆర్థిక సంక్షోభాన్ని అధిగమించింది

• ఫ్యాప్సీ శతాబ్ది వేదుకల్లో రాష్ట్రపతి ద్రబబ్ ముఖర్జీ

సాక్ష్మి హైదరాబాడ్: మన దేశం గణనీయ ఆర్థి - వయసు యువతకు ఉద్యాగ, ఉపాధి ఆవరాశా - చేపట్టిన - డిజీటల్

సాక్షి హైదరాబాడ్ మన దేశం గణనీయ అర్థి మయను యువకకు ఉద్యోగ, సిప్పారీ అరకాళా కావీప్పడ్డి దిగిగా ప్రరోగుపోందని రాష్ట్రపలి అనిక ప్రజక్ష ముఖర్జీ పరిగ్రెన్నారు. 2008లో ఆర్థిక ప్రాంత్రం తెల్లిక తరువాత గ్రమంచంలోని ప్రధాన ఆర్థిక వ్యవస్థలు ఇప్పటికీ కుంటినడ మే సాగుతున్నాయి. మన ఆర్థిక వ్యవస్థ రాష్ట్రప్ ముఖ్యఆతిదిగా పాల్గొన్ని ముఖ్యఆతిదిగా పాల్గొన్న ముఖ్యఆతిగా పాల్గొన్న ముఖ్యఆత్వంది సరిసుకున్నారు. తార్హారు. ప్రజలందరూ కలనీ కష్టపడితే బిన్న తెలంగాణ ఉప ముఖ్యమంత్రి మహమూద్ ప్రవంత ఆర్థిక సంక్షోతం లేదు పలిక దేశాల మధ్య మనకు నగారవ స్థానం ఆలీ, ఎఫ్టిటీఎసీసీసీఐ ఆధ్యక్షుడు రవీంద్ర నుంచి మనను కాపాడిందని స్పష్టం రేశా లేదించడం ఖాయమని రీమా వ్యక్తం రేశారు. మోదీ తదీతరులు పాలిన్నారు. స్పాతంత్యం 2008 నాటి అమెరికా ఆర్థిక నంట్లోభం జీ-ఆదే నమయంలో, ఆరోగ్యం, విద్య, ఉపాది పలితంగా దేశంలో సామామ్యలకు సొంమీక. కూటమీ ఏర్పాటుకు దారితేస్తుందని ఎమ ఆదీ సమయంలో, ఆరోగ్యం, పద్య, ఆడాధ్ అంతంగా అంతంగా అంతంగా కల్పన, ఆహారు చంటి కోన్న అవసరాల విష్ణ ఆర్థిక స్వాతం,త్వం లభిందిందని రాష్ట్రవతి ఊహించలేదన్నారు. ఎస్.టీఎపీసీసీఐ వ యంలో సమస్యలను అధిగమించచలసిన ప్రజబ్ ముఖర్థీ అన్నారు. గడిచిన మూడేశ్లలో ద్వారా పరిశ్రములు, వ్యాసార, వాణిజ్య

Press Coverage

In times of demonetisation, President Pranab Mukherjee says India is on

the cusp of economic

President Pranab Mukherjee today said that India is on the cusp of a leap towards a higher economic growth trajectory.

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President Pranab Mukherjee addressing the Centenary Year Celebrations of the Federation of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FTAPCCI) in Hyderabad. (Source: Twitter/RashtrapatiBhvn

Even as several economists including ex-Prime Minister Manmohan Singh and other opposition leaders have predicted bad days ahead for the Indian Economy, President Pranab Mukherjee today said the country is on the cusp of an economic leap.

Addressing the Centenary Year Celebrations of the Federation of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FTAPCCI) in Hyderabad, President Mukherjee said, "India is on the cusp of a leap towards a higher economic growth trajectory. A decade after the 2008 global economic crisis, major economies of the world are still limping. But, the Indian economy is growing fast."

President Mukherjee, who was also Finance Minister during Congress-led UPA regime, expressed confidence that by collective "hard work" people of the country can ensure a rightful place for India in the comity of nations. In a statement released by the President's secretariat, Mukherjee also "stressed the need to address problems of basic human requirements that include health, education, employment and food to realise India's demographic

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President Mukherjee's statement comes at a time when the Centre led by Prime Minister Narendra Modi is facing an all-out attack from the opposition and several "reputed" economists for demonetising old Rs 500 and Rs 1000 currency notes. Terming demonetisation as "organised loot and legalised plunder", Manmon Singh has, "...the way the scheme has been implemented will hurt agricultural growth in our country, will hurt small industry, will hurt all those people who are in the informal sector of the economy. And my own feeling is that the national income, that is the GDP, can decline by about 2 per cent as a result of what has been done."

Steve Forbes, Editor-in-Chief of international business magazine Forbes, has termed demonetisation as "massive theft of people's property". Nobel Laureate and world renowned economist Amartya Sen has also criticised Modi government for the demonetisation decision. In an interview to Indian Express, Sen had rubbished the government's claim that the "short-term pain" inflicted on people by demonetisation would lead to "long-term gain". "Good policies sometimes cause pain, but whatever causes pain - no matter how intense - is not necessarily good policy," Sen said.

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However, President Mukherjee's statement restores some confidence in the future of Indian economy. On Friday, the President also called upon the Corporate Sector of the country to "come forward and take a pro-active part in the various programmes initiated by the Government of India such as Digital India, Clean India, Make in India, Startup India etc." Mukherjee also expressed hope that these programmes would help the country continue to progress in the growth trajectory of the past 15 years.

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Pranab hails Modi policies, talks of great Indian leap



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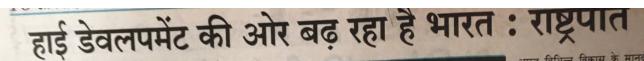
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ము తెలంగాడి? ప్రావరాలో 18 ముద్దు ముద్దున్నారు. అంటలో ఎ రైక ఆరాయం గ్రేట్ బ్రిటన్ కన్నా మందిలేస్తుందని రాష్ట్రవథి భుణదే ముద్ద రై శిరిపారు. యునిటిడ్ కింగోడమోలి భారతదేశున్న పట్టుణుదులు సైకం అత్య చిక స్వేయికి రేరుకున్నాయని. అంతే కాకుండా దేశంలో ఎక్కువ మందికి ఉపాధిని కల్పిన్నన్నామని అన్నారు దేశం రాజకీయ స్వాతంత్ర్యం సంహేదిం మందలుల సమాఖ్య (ఎఫ్ట్రిచిపిసిసిం) కతాబ్లి సంచత్సర వేదుక మంలో ముఖ్యఅకిధిగా పాల్సొని ప్రపంగించారు. దేశం అధిక ఆర్థి చదానికి నంసిద్ధంగా ఉందని అనాను, 2008లో తూనే ఉందన్నారు. అందరూ కష్టవదితే భిన్న దేశాల మధ్య మ . ఇదే నమయంలో ఆరోగ్యం, వీర్య, ఉపాధి కల్పన, ఆహారం తదితర మజ మనరం ఉందని కన్నారు. అలా చేయగవిగినవుందే దేశానికి జనాభావరం ండు - ఉన్న గ్రుయోజనాన్ని పొందనం సాధ్యమౌతందని రాష్ట్రపతి అన్నారు. ఇద్ద గ్రుకుత్వం చేపట్టిన డిజిటల్ ఇండియా, మేక్ ఇన్ ఇండియా, స్పెల్ట్ అవ్



కాభావం వ్యక్తం చేశారు. గత 16 సంవత్సరాల నుండి భారతదేశ వృద్ధి రేక అధికంగా ఉందడం మాత్రమే కాకుండా 2008 నాటి చ్రవం రం తాలూకు మిక్కిలి ఘోర ఫలితాల బారి నుండి భారతదేశావి కంగ్ర బ్రామ్మ్మ్ మెక్కి కెబిల్ కె ఇండియా. స్పేప్త ఫోలోకం వంటి వేదు వేదు కార్యకమాల్లో దురుగ్గా పాల్గా కూరా ఈ అధిక వృద్ధి రేదే అని రాష్ట్ర పుజరో ముఖర్జీ స్పష్టం చేశా







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