

भारतीय राजदूतावास
रेक्याविक



Embassy of India
Reykjavik

25th September 2018


INVITATION

The Embassy of India will be celebrating the **150th Birth Anniversary of Father of the Nation, Mahatma Gandhi on Tuesday, the 2nd of October 2018** at the **Chancery premises at Túngata 7, 101 Reykjavik** at **1800 hrs.** The Embassy cordially invites all members of the Indian Diaspora and Friends of India to participate in the celebrations.

2. The programme includes the following :
 - i. Release of Commemorative Postage Stamp on the occasion of 150th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi.
 - ii. Telecast of the Bhajan '**Vaishnav Jan Toh Tene Kahiya Je**' which has been sung and recorded by Mr. Geir Olafsson, a well known musician in Iceland. 'Vaishnav Jana Toh' is one of the most popular bhajans written in the 15th century by the Poet Narsinh Mehta in Gujarati language. The bhajan which speaks about the life, ideals and mentality of a Vaishnav Jana (a pious man), was in Mahatma Gandhi's daily prayers.
 - iii. Digital projection of drawings from important events from Mahatma Gandhi's life as well as his message which are relevant in the contemporary world. The projection will be done on the facade of the Chancery premises.
3. Light refreshments will be served at the end of the programme.
4. All are requested to **kindly confirm**, at the earliest, **their attendance** to the Indian Embassy at following e-mail ID:

hoc.reykjavik@mea.gov.in

5. The Embassy looks for your support and presence on the above occasion.


(Alka Sarkar)
Head of Chancery
Mob: 8417870
e-mail: hoc.reykjavik@mea.gov.in