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Number of Attendees: 68

Moderator: Dr Amna Mirza- Assistant Professor, Delhi University

Speakers:

1. **Mr Zafrul Islam**- Ex. Chairman of Delhi Minority Commission, journalist, editor and publisher of The Milli Gazette
2. **Mr Khawaja Iftikhar**- Founder President, IFHFI, New Delhi
3. **Dr P. A. Inamdar**- Chancellor, Azam University
4. **Ms Khairul Nessa**- Executive Director, World Trade Centre
5. **Shri Surendra Rajput**- National Spokesman, Congress
6. **Siraj Choudhary**- Country Chairman SATS India. Independent director on company boards
7. **Dr Akhtar ul Wasey**- Author and Academician
8. **Kishore Asthana**- Author and Social worker
9. **Shameena Shafaq**- Politician, Educationist and Former Member of the National Commission Women
10. **Asif Farooqui**- Businessman and Social worker, Mumbai
11. **Khwaja Shahid** - Former Register JML & Vice Chancellor MANNU
12. **Feroz Ghazi**- Advocate, New Delhi
13. **Sheeba Aslam Fehmi**- Writer and Social Activist
14. **Dr MJ Khan**- President IMPAR and chairman ICFA

Agenda: Discussion on challenges before the community and the way forward.

Introduction:

The meeting was held by IMPAR on its 3rd foundation day. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the current challenges and the possible way forwards, for the organisation to continue making a positive impact in the community. Many Eminent speakers attended the meeting and shared their valuable insights.

Some of the points that were discussed:

1. Madras's Teacher Training:

One of the points stressed in the meeting was the importance of providing teacher training to Madras's in the community to improve the quality of education. The speakers suggested that Impar should organise workshops and training programs to provide teachers with the necessary skills and knowledge.

2. Youth Leadership:

The speakers emphasised the need to promote youth leadership in the community. It was suggested that IMPAR should organise dialogues with youth district-wise to identify potential leaders and provide them with training and opportunities to develop their leadership skills.

3. Compile Success Stories of Muslims:

The speakers proposed that Impar should compile success stories of Muslims to motivate and inspire the community. The stories can be shared on social media platforms and through other channels to encourage the community to work towards their goals.

4. Women in Islam - Redefining:

The speakers stressed the importance of redefining the role of women in Islam and promoting gender equality. It was suggested that IMPAR should organise camps and awareness programs to educate the community on the importance of gender equality.

5. Crowdfunding:

The speakers proposed that Impar should explore crowdfunding as an option to support its initiatives. Crowdfunding can help to raise funds quickly and efficiently from a large number of people.

6. Formation of Local Bodies:

It was suggested that IMPAR should form local bodies to ensure effective implementation of its programs. The local bodies can work closely with the community and provide feedback on the progress of the programs.

7. Trial Cases to be Solved:

The speakers indicated that IMPAR should take up trial cases and work towards their resolution. This can help to build trust in the community and establish Impar as a reliable and trustworthy organisation.

8. Collaborate with Organisations:

It was recommended that IMPAR should collaborate with other organisations to enhance its impact. Collaboration can help to leverage the strengths of different organisations and achieve common goals.

9. Connect with State Coordinators:

It was put forth that Impar should connect with state coordinators to expand its reach. State coordinators can help to identify potential areas for intervention and provide support for the implementation of programs.

10. Awareness Programs in Districts:

It was recommended that IMPAR should organise awareness programs in districts to educate the community on various issues such as health, education, and social welfare.

11. Organise State Meetings:

The speakers proposed that IMPAR should organise state meetings to discuss and review its programs. The meetings can provide a platform to share feedback and suggestions.

12. Promote Startup Culture:

It was recommended that Impar should promote the startup culture in the community. Impar can provide training and support to young entrepreneurs to help them start and grow their businesses.

13. Promote Social Work:

The speakers suggested that IMPAR should encourage and promote social work in the community. Impar can provide training and opportunities for people to engage in social work and contribute to the community.

14. Project Proposals for CSR Funding:

It was suggested that Impar should prepare project proposals for CSR funding. The proposals should be well-researched and focus on the key areas where Impar can make a significant impact.

15. Improving Political Representation and socio-economic conditions:

One of the speakers suggested that political representation is important for the development of the country. Educated and resourceful persons of marginalised communities should join politics and do the advocacy for the empowerment of their communities.

The speaker further advocated for detaching any effort from religious identities and that IMPAR should advocate for the abolition of unconstitutional discrimination against Muslim and Christian Dalits.

Conclusion:

The meeting concluded with the consensus that Impar will work on the suggested way forwards to ensure that the organisation works on the indicated course of action and continues to contribute positively to the community. The speakers appreciated IMPAR's efforts and encouraged it to continue scaling up its work towards uplifting the community.

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