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THIRU. RAJENDRA VISHWANATH ARLEKAR, HON'BLE GOVERNOR OF
TAMIL NADU AS CHIEF GUEST AT THE 59th GRADUATION DAY AT
DWARAKA DOSS GOVERDHAN DOSS VAISHNAV COLLEGE
(AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI

Thiru. Rajendra Vishwanath Arlekar, Hon'ble Governor of Tamil Nadu participated as chief guest and presented the degrees and medals to the students at the 59th Graduation Day of Dwaraka Doss Goverdhan Doss Vaishnav College, held at Dwaraka Auditorium, Dwaraka Doss Goverdhan Doss Vaishnav College, Arumbakkam, Chennai, today, (11.07.2026).

On the 59th Graduation Day occasion, the Hon'ble Governor presented degrees and medals to the graduating students and congratulated them on their academic achievements. Governor, conveyed his best wishes to the young graduates and encouraged them to strive for excellence in their chosen fields.

Addressing the gathering, the Hon'ble Governor emphasized that education must go beyond academic success and contribute meaningfully to the welfare of society and the nation. He urged students to uphold values, integrity, and a sense of responsibility, and to actively participate in nation-building.

Highlighting the significance of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, the Hon'ble Governor stated that the policy has been introduced to provide greater exposure to students, foster character building, and strengthen the foundation for nation-building. He expressed concern over the non-implementation of NEP 2020 in the

State without a comprehensive examination of its merits, and underscored the importance of evaluating its potential benefits in a constructive manner.

The Hon'ble Governor further noted that decolonization of the education system is one of the key features of NEP 2020, aimed at aligning education with India's rich cultural and intellectual heritage.

Stressing the importance of innovation and self-reliance, he called for the establishment of Entrepreneurship Development Cells in all educational institutions to nurture entrepreneurial skills among students. He encouraged graduates to become job creators rather than job seekers, thereby contributing to economic growth and societal progress.

On this Graduation Day, Thiru. Ashok Kumar Mundhra, Secretary, Dwaraka Doss Goverdhan Doss Vaishnav College, Dr. S. Santhosh Baboo, Principal, Dwaraka Doss Goverdhan Doss Vaishnav College, Thiru. Ashok Kedia, Treasurer, Dwaraka Doss Goverdhan Doss Vaishnav College, Dr. Prabha Rajagopalan, Controller of Examinations, Dwaraka Doss Goverdhan Doss Vaishnav College, Heads of Various Departments staff and other dignitaries were present.

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