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Dear Friend:

Since stepping down from the Presidentship of the Swatantra Party in April 1971, I have kept myself out of active party politics though I have naturally been taking keen interest in public affairs and have in my own little way contributed my views through the columns/"Freedom First" of which I happen to be the editor.

Many developments have taken place since then including a spell of dictatorship. We now have the Janata Party in power in Delhi. The Swatantra Party had also to go through traumatic experiences during this period. The National Executive as you are aware decided to merge with the Janata Party.

I thought that it is time some of us meet to exchange notes and experiences. Some of us, like me, are out of party politics and some have joined the Janata Party. It might be a useful exercise if we were to spend some time to see where the country is heading.

I would therefore like to invite you for a discussion at the Party office Sassoon Building, 143, Mahatma Gandhi Road, Bombay 400 001 on Friday July 29 at 6. p.m.

I wonder if you could kindly drop me a line regarding your attendance at my office address: Personnel and Productivity Services, Army and Navy Building, 148, Mahatma Gandhi Road, Bombay 400 023 or telephone my secretary at 254005.

Yours sincerely,

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