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22nd May 1975

My dear Patodia:

The enclosed copy of a letter from our solicitors to your friend Mr. Piloo Mody speaks for itself to which not surprisingly there has been no reply. It also speaks for the degree of reliance one can have on his spoken word. I understand his idea was to starve the Maharashtra office of the Swatantra Party so that they would go with bended knees to him and his henchmen.

The fact that we continue to keep our flag on may be a source of disappointment to them.

Any help you can give in persuading Mr. Piloo Mody to fulfil his commitment will be greatly appreciated.

Hope you are keeping well. With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Encls:

S. V. Raju

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I enclose a copy of letter dated 5th May which I received from Mr. Mody. It speaks for itself.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

S. V. Raju
Secretary, Maharashtra Party, Panchsheel Park
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