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21st May 1975.

Dear Mr. Srikumar:

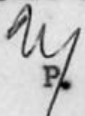
I have received your letters dated 17th May.

Since we have already informed the Presidency Post - Master that the National Headquarters of the Party has been shifted to Madras, a letter from you to that effect is not necessary.

As I have already mentioned in my previous letter, the Presidency Post Master wants proof that that a stay order has been issued by the Court to continue the Swatantra Party. This is possibly because the BLD fellows in Bombay (Mr. Bhatia) represented to the postal authorities that the Swatantra Party is no more and that all communications addressed to National Headquarters at Bombay should be delivered to them as they have to deal with these communications as successors to the S.P. This is obviously foolish but we have to prove that we are still very much alive. It is true that the Presidency Post-Master has asked for the stay order from the Madras High Court against the Election Commission. Since the case is not yet heard, it may not be possible to give such proof at this stage. All the same, we can furnish the certified copy of the ex-party decree passed by the City Civil Court to the postal authorities and hence kindly expedite sending us a certified copy thereof at your earliest.

Till about 10th of June, kindly address all your communications at Mr. Raju's residential address, so that I can avoid going to Bharatiya V idya Bhavan to pick up the mails frequently.

Yours sincerely


P. Narayan

Mr. E. S. Srikumar
Secretary, Swatantra Party, Nhqrs.,
Madras 84



**SWATANTRA PARTY
NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS**

26, HALLS ROAD, EGMORE, MADRAS 600 008.

10-A, Flowers Road, Madras.84.

17th May 1975.

Sri P.Narayan,
Swatantra party, (Maharashtra unit),
Sasoon Building,
143, Mahatma Gandhi Road,
Bombay.1.

Dear Mr.Narayan,

I am in receipt of ~~the~~ your letter dated 15th instant and have noted what you wrote.

We cannot expect anything better from BLD and we have to take the matter strongly with the Presidency Post-master. If you like, I can write a letter to him stating that the office of the National Headquarters is now functioning at Madras and that the office of the General Secretary is functioning at 143, Mahatma Gandhi Road, (Sasoon Building), Bombay.1 and that all letters which are addressed to the General Secretary have to be delivered to you at your address and that all letters intended for National Headquarters have to be redirected to Madras address. If you think it will complicate matters I shall not write any letter to the Presidency Post-master, Bombay.

There seems to be some contradiction between what we want and what the Presidency Post-master has asked you to produce. The Presidency Post-master wants a certified copy of the partial stay order granted by the Madras High Court against the order of the Election Commission whereas you have asked me to send a certified copy of the decree passed by the Madras City Civil Court on our original application.

In this connection I ~~shall~~ wish to inform you that we have already applied for a certified copy of the ex-parte decree passed by the City Civil Court and we hope to get the copy in about two weeks' time.

p.t.o.

Regarding the interim stay in the Writ Petition granted by the Madras High Court we may have to make an application only hereafter. I wish to discuss the matter with our lawyer and see what could be done in this matter.

Thanking you and with my regards,

Yours truly,

V. S. Srikumar
Jt. Secretary.



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17th May 1975.

Sri P. Narayanan,
Swatantra Party (Maharashtra unit),
Sasoon Building,
143, Mahatma Gandhi Road,
Bombay. 1.

Dear Mr. Narayan,

I am also in receipt of your letter dated 12th instant
enclosing copy of the registered notice sent to Sri Piloo Mody.

I am very much afraid that Mr. Mody is not likely to settle ~~to~~
~~settle~~ the matter smoothly and in case you are put to the necessity
of filing a suit for the recovery of the amount, please file the
suit as early as possible and try to obtain attachment of the
moveable things in the premises of the BLD immediately.

Thanking you and with my regards,

Yours truly,

(V.S. Srikumar)

Joint Secretary.

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