

# THE SWATANTRA PARTY

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SOUTH KANARA DISTRICT UNIT  
HAMPANKATTA, MANGALORE-1.

Ref. No. \_\_\_\_\_

*Copy of my letter to Mr. B. J. Hegde to Mr. Shastri*  
Date 19-10-1959.

Dear Mr. Manu Masani,

I am introducing myself as the District  
Organiser of the Swatantra Party of South Kanara and I have  
read the wire sent to us in which you say that can come on the  
25th inst. If possible return Bombay. I am sure you would have  
received the reply also from Mr. B. J. Hegde agreeing to send you  
back on the 25th afternoon itself. Under the impression that  
it will not be possible at all for you to stay for a day more.

As an organiser of the party and in consultation  
with other workers, I am requesting you either to come to  
Mangalore on the 24th or leave Mangalore on the 26th whichever  
is suitable to you. The latter would be preferable to us. We,  
the workers of the party are very anxious to meet you leisurely  
and take instructions from you with regard to Organisational  
matters.

If you reach Mangalore on the morning of the 25th  
by plane, you will have to come to the Conference direct which

starts at 10 A.M. and ~~xxxxxxxxxxxx~~ which will go on till 1 or 1.30 P.M., after which there will be time only for lunch and return <sup>for</sup> to <sup>the</sup> aerodrome which is more than 20 miles away from Mangalore. People from all over the Mysore state will be arriving for the Conference and therefore we must sit quietly and talk about several organisational matters of the Party. Mr. Sarangapani Mudaliar, Mr. Narayana Reddi and Mr. V.S. Srinivasan and others will be coming from Bangalore and so there will be <sup>hardly</sup> ~~hardly~~ any time for a quiet conference if you come and return on the 25th inst. itself.

So I would request you on behalf of the workers here to reach here either on the 24th inst. or leave on the 26th inst. I am also enclosing an agenda of the Conference.

We are very thankful indeed for your presence at this conference and people from all over the District will be assembling in large numbers; that is why we want you to spend atleast a day at Mangalore apart from the Conference.

Yours sincerely,

H. U. Shetty