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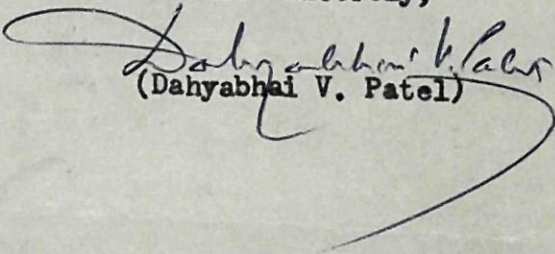
17th June, 1963.

My dear Masani,

I am sending herewith a copy of the report that the Congress Candidate Shri Jethalal Joshi has made about the election to his party. Our friends at Rajkot have obtained it and the copy was made available at the meeting at Vallabh Vidya Nagar yesterday. I have written to you that you would be expected to attend the meeting as a Member of Parliament from Gujarat and this feeling was echoed by many speakers at the meeting yesterday.

At the meeting Shri Narendrasingh Jhalla read a letter from you to him recommending the name of Jaydeepsingh of Baria to be the President of the Gujarat Party after Bhailalbhai retires. It is obvious that this letter is written after consultation with Bhailalbhai during your recent visit to Ahmedabad after the elections. You might have shown me the courtesy by sending me a copy of the letter as you have always been sending me copies of the letters of the Gujarat Party. Since you are Member of the Gujarat now, do I seize to be one or its Vice-President? I should like to know whether this is your personal view or the Parliamentary Board?

Yours Sincerely,


(Dahyabhai V. Patel)

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