

## **Press Note**

As a part of year long platinum jubilee celebrations of Brahma Kumaris a one day conference for politicians titled "Inner Stability For Inspirational Leadership" was organized at Birla Matushri Sabhagar on 17<sup>th</sup> November, 2011. Prominent politicians from Maharastra Legislative assembly who spoke on this occasion included, the speaker of the legislative assembly - Shri Dilip Walse Patil, Minister for rural development - Shri Jayant Patil, President BJP Mumbai - Shri Raj K Purohit, Member of Parliament from Nanded – Shri Bhaskar Rao Patil & Shri D.P Sawant. Also eminent speakers from Brahma Kumaris spoke on this occasion. They included, B.K Jayanti Didi, (European Director of Brahma Kumaris, London), B.K Brij Mohan (Chair person politicians service wing, New Delhi), B.K Nalini Didi (In charge Ghatkopar Subzone.Mumbai), B.K Gangaram Saudagarji (Ex MLA Andhra Pradesh), B.K Asha Didi (Director Om Shanti Retreat Centre, Delhi). Prominent Social worker Smt Manjuben Lodha also spoke on this occasion.

The theme of the seminar was - criticality of inner stability amongst political leaders to enhance leadership skills". In a turbulent outside environment like today, the leaders including political leaders need to be anchored on inner stability first & foremost to be able to deliver the best results or decisions. This is where spirituality plays a critical part in todays world. Raj Yoga meditation technique helps in this area and the political leaders present were taken through a session on the same. Shri Dilip Walse Patil, applauding the Brahma Kumaris for this initiative took the opportunity to invite Brahma Kumari sisters & brothers to the address the MLA's of Maharashtra in the Vidhan Sabha.

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