

PRESS RELEASE

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HON'BLE UNION MINISTER OF STATE (I/C), DONER TO INAUGURATE DELHI BOOK FAIR 2015

- **Stationery Fair, Office Automation & Corporate Gift Fair - Added Attractions**
 - Thematic Display on '**Skill Development**'
 - **Exclusive Gallery- a Tribute to Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam**

The 21st edition of Delhi Book Fair (Halls 8-12)and its concurrent events, the 17th Stationery Fair, Office Automation and Corporate Gift Fair (Hall 12A) will be inaugurated by Hon'ble **Dr. Jitendra Singh**, Minister of State (I/C) Ministry of DONER, Minister of State, Prime Minister's Office, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances, and Pension, Department of Atomic, Energy and Department of Space in Hall 8, Pragati Maidan, New Delhi at 10.30 a.m. on August 29, 2015.

Highlighting the national campaign, launched by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi , the Delhi Book Fair will focus on the books and publications on the theme of fair, '**Skill Development**'. A section of the theme is devoted to **Dr. A.P.J.Kalam's** books .

The latest edition of Delhi Book Fair (August 29 – September 6, 2015) is featuring the titles and publications of over 215 participants. Overseas participation is from China. These events are being organised by the India Trade Promotion Organisation (ITPO) while the Federation of Indian Publishers (FIP) is Co-organiser of the Delhi Book Fair with lot of new initiatives.

The display profile of these events covers: text books for schools and colleges, electronics, publishing, children's literature, fiction and non-fiction books, all types of office, computer stationery, digital writing instruments, label, printer, labelling machines, money checkers, material for seminars, conferences, office automation and corporate gifts, etc.

To make the events more meaningful, several ancillary activities such as book releases, seminar, painting competition, storytelling and Award Function are also scheduled to be held during the currency of the fairs. These include : **Literary programme by Bhartiya Jnanpith**; Workshop on Library Science by Rangnathan Research Centre Circle ; the **Laws of Invisible Leadership by IRH Press**; Author Talk - Marcus du Sautoy by LIS British Council; **How to Crack Aptitude /GD&PI and Learning 360: Bridging the Gap between the Tutor and Students** by Disha Publications; Health Awareness through Acupressure by International Institute of Alternative Sciences and **Nukkad Natak on Child Abuse/ Drugs and Narcotics.**

The fairs will open from 10.00 a.m. to 8.00 p.m. for all visitors including senior citizens and students.
