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Shri Anil Bhattacharya, Director National Savings Institute, Ministry of Finance, Government of India briefing the delegates about 15th General Assembly of WSBI to be held at Delhi in June 2008 during the WSBI meet at Washington.

"India Participates in WSBI General Assembly Meet at Washington"

Shri Anil Bhattacharya, Director National Savings Institute, Ministry of Finance, Government of India and Smt. Dakshita Das, Director (Budget), Ministry of Finance were nominated by Ministry of Finance, Govt. of India for 14th General Assembly and 4th Meeting of Board of Directors of World Savings Banks Institute held at Washington D.C. (USA) on 19th October 2007.

The objective of the meet was to discuss the various issues related to mobilisation of resources for mutual benefit and co-operation among the member countries of WSBI. WSBI represents the interest of" the savings banks and promote the essential values of the saving concept and also organises seminars and workshops in close co-operation with the member countries in the world for their mutual benefits. Shri Anil Bhattacharya, Director NSI briefed the delegates about 15th General Assembly of WSBI going to be held at Delhi in June 2008.

At the end of the meeting Mr. Antonio J. A. Olavarrieta, President of World Savings Banks Institute informed that about 150 delegates from 109 countries will be participating in 15th General Assembly at Delhi.



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Dr. A.K. Walia. Hon'ble Finance Minister, Govt. of N.C.T. Delhi awarding a trophy to Shri D.S. Sikand Small Savings Agent for securing maximum collections during the year 2006-07. on the occasion of World Thrift Day organised by NSI. Regional Centre at Delhi on 30th October 2007. Also seen (L to R) Shri V.V. Bhatt, IAS. Principal Secretary (Finance and Planning) Govt. of N.C.T, Delhi and Shri Mir Azmat Ali, Joint Director, NSI Delhi.

NSI Celebrates World Thrift Day throughout the Country

National Savings Institute (NSI) in close coordination with the State Govt. Department of Post and other agencies involved in mobilisation of savings celebrates World Thrift Day every year on 30th October. This year also the World Thrift Day was celebrated at the Head Quarters of Regional Directors throughout the country on 30th October 2007. The other financial institutions such as Reserve Bank of India. Nationalised Banks. LIC, UTI also participated in the celebration. The objective of celebration of World Thrift Day is to promote the habit of thrift/saving among the people and bring them under the fold of savings movement.

The messages received on the occasion of World Thrift Day from Her Excellency the President of India, Smt. Pratibha Devisingh Patil. Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Manmohan Singh. Hon'ble Union Finance Minister Shri P. Chidambaram and Hon'ble Union Minister of State of Finance Shri Pawan Kumar Bansal were read out. A Special Ad on 'World Thrift Day' was released in papers in the country through DAVP New Delhi by NSI. The World Thrift Day function in all regional centres was covered by electronic and print media.



Dr. Avinash Warjukar, Chairman Maharashtra State Mining Corporation addressing the gathering on the occasion of World Thrift Day organised by NSI Regional Centre at Nagpur on 30th October. 2007. Also seen (L to R) Dr. Krishna Murty. Head. ISRO, Shri M. Sinha, Dy. Director General Geological Survey of India. Shri Anil Bhattacharya Director, NSI. Shri C.C. Mitra, Regional Director, Reserve Bank of India, Nagpur and Shri Padam Singh, Regional Director (Sr.) NSI Regional Centre, Nagpur.

World Thrift Day Messages

Savings Fortnight Celebrations Oct. 31-Nov. 14, 2007

World Thrift Day

30th October, 2007

National Savings
Institute
on this occasion
reaffirms its
commitment to the
small savers and
making them partner in
nation building.

National Savings Institute

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National Savings Institute





President

Republic of India

I am delighted to learn that the World Thrift Day is being observed on October 30, 2007. Mobilisation of resources through the various small savings schemes have not only helped in inculcating the habit of thrift and savings among all sections of society, they have also contributed greatly in raising resources for the economic development of the country. On the occasion of World Thrift Day, I extend my best wishes to all organizations engaged in the noble effort of empowering the masses by bringing them into the organized financial system through the various small savings schemes of the Government.

I wish the World Thrift Day celebrations all success.



(Pratibha Devisingh Patil)





Prime Minister

I am happy to know that the World Thrift Day is being observed on 30th October, 2007. The observance of the World Thrift Day must be accompanied by greater efforts to foster the habit of thrift among all sections of society. Thriftiness teaches us to be more modest and restrained in using scarce resources. As Gandhiji said, there is great merit in simple living and high thinking I compliment the National Savings Institute and all other agencies for inclucating among people the value of savings and serving the larger goal of nation building. I wish the celebrations associated with the World Thrift Day all success.

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(Manmohan Singh)





Finance Minister

World Thrift Day is being celebrated across the nation on 30th October, 2007. It is a day to renew our pledge and strengthen our efforts for promoting the habit of thrift and saving among all citizens of our country in recognition of the fact that financial savings provide the resources for long term investments that benefit the economy and stimulate development. Sustaining the flow of savings at the macro level is of utmost importance for maintaining stable conditions for economic growth. It should be endeavor of all agencies engaged in the mobilization of savings to ensure that the savings movement is taken to the farthest corners, particularly in the rural and remote areas, to increase public awareness, the number of investors and the resources mobilized under the various small saving schemes of the Government of India.

I extend my best wishes for the success of all the activities being undertaken by the agencies concerned to mark this occasion.

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(P. Chidambaram)





Minister of State for Finance

Banking and Micro-finance experience across the world suggests the power of thrift in generating the resources necessary for economic growth especially through investment in infrastructure projects. Thrift also introduces people at the disadvantaged end of socio-economic spectrum to the formal financial sector. Thrift also naturally encourages social organization through Self-Help Groups, thereby forming the basis for potential future micro-entrepreneurship. Focus on thrift is therefore, a focus on financial inclusion. It is therefore, the day of all citizens and financial institutions to encourage thrift through financial literacy programmes, facilitation by providing easy access and integration of small savings into their overall strategy.

I am happy to learn that World Thrift Day celebrations are being held all over the country on 30th October. I hope the occasion would be used to reemphasize the impotance of thrift in the nation's economic life.

(Pawan Kumar Bansal)

SMALL SAVINGS COLLECTIONS FROM APRIL TO AUGUST 2007

(Rs. in Crore)

Sr.		Gross	Net	Gross	Net
No.	Region		gust 2006		gust 2007
1.	Andhra Pradesh	3968.09	1324.83	3770.25	-182.39
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	35.87	14.80	31.56	8.36
3.	Assam	671.44	-231.76	666.90	-384.01
4.	A&N Island	10.00	5.02	9.71	1.04
5.	Army Post Offices	102.99	0.24	119.75	-40.80
6.	Bihar	2088.40	775.45	2382.03	371.60
7.	Jharkhand	1002.39	476.40	773.56	-16.73
8.	Chandigarh	169.06	-19.35	140.57	-97.13
9.	Daman & Diu	128.12	59.46	184.11	-120.56
	Delhi	2912.66	1051.51	1746.92	-820.83
10.		189.78	94.87	136.76	0.09
500000	Goa	5707.65	1936.01	4900.29	-838.84
12.	Gujarat	1996.13	480.92	1802.09	-257.06
13.	Haryana Himachal Pradesh	942.50	285.88	990.30	18.96
14.	Jammu & Kashmir	596.71	177.80	624.97	-35.86
15.	Karnataka	2885.83	738.65	2051.94	-592.86
16.	Kamataka Kerala	2003.03	623.15	1593.80	-169.78
17.		1.01	0.77	0.60	0.07
18.	Lakshdweep	1848.00	657.25	1626.67	-221.65
19.	Madhya Pradesh	1	247.69	570.59	-13.05
20.	Chhattisgarh	602.38	2205.73	5043.28	-774.48
21.	Maharashtra	6668.23	5.62	26.19	-6.79
22.	Manipur	36.84	1.64	62.72	-0.79 -7.02
23.	Meghalaya	69.98 37.33		33.16	107 1070000
24.	Mizoram	The second secon	3.19	100000000000000000000000000000000000000	-3.58
25.	Nagaland	19.51 1079.94	7.37	12.45 1050.39	-2.21 17.41
26.	Orissa		388.42 5.58	38.07	-19.60
27. 28.	Pondicherry	49.27 3614.35	849.98	3394.71	-565.90
	Punjab	2813.54	550.02	2748.01	-720.62
29.	Rajasthan	15.16	1.75	18.90	-8.90
30.	Sikkim Tamilnadu	4298.83	1509.00	3206.96	-583.20
31.		165.54	58.68	159.08	-503.20
32.	Tripura	5981.76	1969.43	6378.58	95.67
33.	Uttar Pradesh			872.16	49.14
34.	Uttaranchal	862.92	281.52	6467.64	200100000000000000000000000000000000000
35.	West Bengal	7548.24	3148.81	0407.04	-135.76
	Total	61154.62	19686.33	53653.68	-6067.82

Note: THE PRELIMINARY FIGURES RECEIVED FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF POSTS, NEW DELHI ARE SUBJECT TO RECONCILATION. THE FIGURES DO NOT INCLUDE PPF & SCSS (BANK) COLLECTIONS.

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