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Press Release

**JMI celebrates Constitution Day in a big way**

Jamia Millia Islamia(JMI) today celebrated the Constitution Day on the occasion of 70th anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of India by organising a number of events that included reading of the Preamble to the Constitution.

One of the highlights of the celebration was a large number of teachers, staff and students witnessing the live telecast of Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi's address from the Central Hall of Parliament to mark the occasion.

Dean Faculty of Social Sciences, Prof N U Khan, Dean Faculty of Law Prof. Sajid Z. Amani, Dean of Students' Welfare Prof. Seemi F Basir along with her team, Secretary of Jamia Teachers' Association Prof Majid Jameel, many faculty members and numerous students and staff of Jamia were among the people present at the reading of the Preamble to the Constitution in the lawn where Ghalib statue is installed.

Registrar JMI Mr. A.P. Siddiqui(IPS) also read out the Preamble to the Constitution at the lawns of the main Administrative Block in the presence of non-teaching staff of the university.

Hon'ble Justice(Retired) M Karpaga Vinayagam and Prof V Saravanan delivered special lecture organised by the Department of Political Science.

Justice(Retired) Habibullah attended a panel discussion as a panellist, organised by the Faculty of Law. A quiz on the Constitution was also organized for the students by the Faculty.

The Officiating Director of the university's MMAJ Academy of International Studies Prof. Rashmi Doraiswamy traced the history of the drafting of the Constitution that took nearly three years under the Chairmanship of Dr B R Ambedkar and its adoption on 26 November 1949. The Constitution became effective from 26 January 1950, celebrated every year as the Republic Day of India.

A student each from the MA first and second years (Iram and Amanullah) as well as from the MPhil/PhD batch (Portia Conrad) read out the Preamble to the Constitution.

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