

Grand Lodge of India

To All and Every Our Right Morshipful, Morshipful and Loving Brethren

Major General His Highness Ar. Sir Sped Raza Ali Khan G.C.I.C., R.C.S.I., A.LITT., IL.B., Nawab of Rampur

Grand Master

Of the Most Antient and Honourable Fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons of India Send Greeting:

ENDY DE That the Mount Todge No. 926 on the roll of United Grand Lodge of England/the Grand Lodge of Ireland/the Grand Lodge of Antient Free and Accepted Masons of Scotland having decided to opt for the Grand Lodge of India, we by the authority and under the sanction of the Grand Lodge of India bested in us for that purpose do hereby sanction and confirm that the said Lodge shall be constituted into a Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons under the title or denomination of Mount on the rolls of the Grand Lodge of India.

By virtue of this Warrant the said Lodge shall be deemed to be a Foundation Lodge of the Grand Lodge of India.

The original Charter/Warrant of the said Lodge issued by the United Grand Lodge of England/the Grand Lodge of Ireland/the Grand Lodge of Antient Free and Accepted Masons of Scotland was dated 23 rd August 1862

The said Lodge shall come under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of India with effect from the date of issue of this Warrant.

The said Lodge shall return its original Warrant to the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge concerned for such action as may be necessary.

The said Lodge shall be permitted to count its years of existence under its previous Charter/Warrant when making claims for Centenary Warrant etc., under the Grand Lodge of India.

The said Lodge to meet at Freemasons' Hall, St. Thomas Mt. (Madras)on the First Saturday of Every Month empowering them in the said Lodge when duly congregated to make, pass and raise Freemasons according to the antient custom of the Craft in all Ages and Nations throughout the known World. And further that the Master, the Senior Warden and the Junior Warden for the time being shall continue to hold the said Lodge and until such time as another Master shall be regularly elected and installed strictly charging that every member who shall be elected to preside over the said Lodge and who must previously have duly served as Warden in a Warranted Lodge shall be installed in Antient Form and according to the Laws of the Grand Lodge that he may thereby be fully invested with the dignities and powers of his office. And we do require you the said Master and Wardens to take special care that all and every said Brethren are or have been regularly made Masons and that you and they and all the other Members of the said Lodge do observe, perform and keep the Laws, Rules and Orders contained in the Book of Constitutions and all others which may from time to time be made by our Grand Lodge or transmitted by us or our successors Grand Masters or by our Deputy Grand Master for the time being and we do enjoin you to make such Bylaws for the Government of your Lodge as shall to the majority of the Alembers appear proper and necessary, the same not being contrary to or inconsistent with the General Laws and Regulations of the Craft, a copy whereof you are to transmit to us. And we do require you to cause all such Bylaws and Regulations and also an account of the proceedings in your Lodge to be entered in a Book to be kept for that purpose, and you are in no wise to omit to send to us or our Successors Grand Masters or to our Deputy Grand Master for the time being at least once in every year a list of the members of your Lodge and the names and descriptions of all Masons initiated therein and Brethren who shall have joined the same with the fees and monies payable thereon. It being our Will and intention that this Our Warrant of Constitution shall continue in force so long only as you shall conform to the Laws and Regulations of our Grand Lodge and you the said Master and Wardens are further required as soon as conveniently may be to send us an Account in writing of what shall be done by virtue of these Presents.

GIPCO under our hands and the Seal of the Grand Lodge at New Delhi this 24th day of November 1961, corresponding to 3rd Agrahapana 1883 S.C.

Grand Secretary

Grand Master