



Press Release

Call by Arthkranti for a 'Samarpan Yatra'

Mumbai 12th June 2012: Arthkranti, A movement initiated by Economists, Industrialists, the Working Class and Students of India today announced its national movement to promote a Five Point agenda economic agenda which will enable a Principled, Prosperous and Peaceful Living For all citizens of India. The movement will also highlight the unhappiness towards handling of various corruption issues and the collapsing economy of our country. Arthkranti briefed the media today to suggest and bring about radical changes for the economy of the country. A massive Yatra is about to commence on 15th July from Aurangabad.

Arthkranti is non violent campaign not targeting any individual or political organization. This movement aims to bring about a correction of the economy of the country. Speaking on the occasion, the head of ArthaKranti Prathisthan Mr. Anil Bokil commented, "The concept of Artha Kranti is to address and deal with inflation, corruption, devaluation of Rupee and other pressing issues. Withdrawal of existing Taxation System completely (except customs i.e. import duties). Every Transaction routed through a bank will attract certain deduction in appropriate percentage as Transaction Tax i.e. Single point tax deducted at source. (say 2 %). Withdrawal of High denomination currency above Rs. 100. Cash transactions will not attract any transaction tax. Government should make legal provisions to restrict cash transactions up to a certain limit (say Rs. 2000). These are the five principals suggested by Artha Kranti".

The organization has also announced that prominent citizens including including the Honourable President Smt. Pratibha Patil to whom this proposal was put forth, are in agreement that it is time to take action.

"The Samarpan Yatra starting from Aurangabad on 15th July will move in four directions meeting Shri Anna Hazare in Ralegaon Siddhi, Sri Sri Ravi Shankar at Bengaluru, Baba Ramdev in Haridvar and A.P.J. Abdul Kalam in Delhi to garner their support and toplay the mentors role in guiding us to form broad representative groups and prepare a peoples charter. The manifesto of this movement will also include the Jan Lokpal bill and economic reforms of the country." Mr. Anil Shinde, Trustee Arthkranti said.

Arthkranti representative Mr. Deepak Karangikar announced that thousands of volunteers from all over the country have registered themselves for the yatra and are working tirelessly towards rebuilding the country. He also said that Arthkranti intends to bring all the four mentors on a single platform on 16th August in New Delhi.

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