

Minutes of the 13th Meeting of VSHFA held on 15th October 2025 at 09.00 pm on Zoom.

- The meeting was called to order by Raja Ramji at 9:00 PM sharp, and he welcomed all the members present.
 1. Shri Shankar Lalwani (MP)
 2. Dr. Ravi Prakash Tekchandani
 3. Shri Rajaram Bhagwani
 4. Dr. Pitamber Peter Dhalwani
 5. Shri Ishwar Jhamnani
 6. Shri Pawan Kumar Sindhi
 7. Shri Manohar Mamtani
 8. Shri Mahesh Kumar Malkani
 9. Shri Satendra Kumar Bhawnani
 10. Shri Prakash Chugh
 11. Shri Kishore Kumar Parwani
 12. Shri Vijay Pahuja
 13. Shri Bharat Vatwani
 14. Dr. Raju Manwani

Honourable Shankar Lalwani provided complete guidance and valuable suggestions regarding the proceedings of the upcoming program scheduled on **23rd November at Vigyan Bhawan**, which will be graced by the presence of **Honourable Shri Rajnath Singh** – Minister of Defence of India and **Honourable Shri Gajanan Shekhawat** – Minister of Culture of India as **chief guests**.

Honourable Shankar Lalwani and the Core Committee discussed and decided that the physical meeting of the Core Committee and the Delhi Committee will be held on either the 26th or 27th of October, depending on everyone's convenience. Shankar Bhaisaab will confirm the final date, visit Delhi for inspection of the area like Vigyan Bhavan, Hotel etc. and share the complete details of the program.

All the creatives and videos related to the concerned function will be created and shared with the core committee. After approval, they will be circulated in their respective groups and everywhere to invite everyone.

The program will begin with lunch and conclude with dinner. The creatives and invitation videos will be prepared at the earliest. It was suggested to release them after Diwali; however, some members recommended releasing them sooner so that the information can reach the maximum number of people.

In the Delhi meeting, the following points will be decided: the inspection of Vigyan Bhawan, event management, and the opening with a patriotic song. The dais, host, and seating arrangements will also be finalized. Sub-committees will be formed for F&B, backstage coordination, agenda, entertainment, welcome mementoes, gifts for VIPs, and protocol officials, among other responsibilities.

Within two or three days, Shankar Bhaisaab will inform that all the formalities will be completed and the payment has to be made accordingly, and necessary action will be taken.

In the Delhi meeting, discussions will be held regarding **sponsorships**, with the **expected public attendance of around 1,285 people**. All **city heads and associations** will also be invited.

The main topics of discussion will include **Vision 2047**, the **CAA**, and matters related to **VSHFA**. Complete details will be shared during the meeting.

A few names were suggested and proposed for the event, with **“Sashakt Bharat: From 1947 to 2047”** being one of the options. Discussions were held regarding event management, media, and timings for the **23rd of November**. Transportation arrangements will be made to ensure the smooth arrival of local attendees at the venue.

Maintaining discipline and time management, as well as deciding who will be allowed to speak and on what topics, will be finalized in the upcoming meeting.

A list of participants, along with their ID cards, should also be created for better security and to comply with the norms of **Vigyan Bhawan**.

The number of sessions, the topics to be discussed, and who will participate in each session will also be decided in Delhi.

Regarding the Sindhis contribution so far and future plans up to 2047, these points will also be discussed during the sessions.

The brainstorming sessions and the main sessions will also be discussed during the Delhi meeting.

The first creative will feature an invitation by **Honourable Shri Rajnath Singh**, Minister of Defence of India, and **Honourable Shri Gajendra Singh Shekhawat**, Minister of Culture of India, along with **Honourable Shankar Lalwani**. It will then feature the **office bearers**, followed by the **committee members**, and finally the **governing council**.

Some delegates will be traveling from outside Delhi; hence, accommodation arrangements can be made in hotels and dharmshalas for their convenience.

The maximum number of guests should be invited on **26th or 27th October 2025** for a detailed discussion with **Honourable Shankar Bhaisaab**.

All leaders, including **MLAs, Members of Parliament, RSS representatives**, and the **Commissioner of Police**, should also be invited to the event.

It was also decided that **Mr. Arjun Meghwal, Mr. Amit Shah, and Mr. Indresh Kumar**, along with other distinguished dignitaries from various fields, will be invited to grace the event.

The meeting concluded with **Honourable Shankar Lalwani** giving his closing remarks, urging everyone to attend the upcoming physical meeting in large numbers.

The vote of thanks was given by Manohar Mantani.

The meeting was adjourned by Shankar Lalwani at 9:45 PM.