

WHAT IS ACTION INDIA

Many Indians, living in India or outside, want to help in the development of the country. Among them are well known experts in various fields who are willing to contribute their services but find the entry into the elusive system difficult and the impact isolated.

A cohesion of such individuals will enable us to overcome obstacles to entry and magnify the impact. Action India is a network of such people from all walks of life who are willing to give without asking for any return.

Our mission is to unite the forces of hope and action for innovative strategies, for the development of the people. The emphasis is on implementation.

Action India was started by a group of Indians living in the USA who have been involved with India in thought and deed.

Action India is democratic, has no hierarchy and operates with consensus.



INTRODUCTION

50 years of independence has changed India, and in many ways for the better, but the fantasy of what could really have been never ceases. The tryst with destiny did not quite happen.

Our freedom movement taught us that sacrifice, sincerity and simplicity were the ideals to live by, if public service was our goal.

To adopt the spirit of our founders and to transform the shape of things to come, we must build new visions, new networks, new teams and lay a new foundation for cooperation and consensus.

Action India needs committed people who can innovate, communicate and execute these dimensions and processes of development.

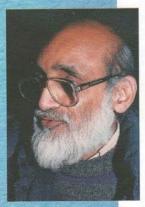
The agenda for India must focus on the new strategies on various DIMENSIONS OF DEVELOPMENT such as:

- Food and agriculture
- Water
- Health
- Education and literacy
- Housing
- Population
- Environment
- Power and energy
- Transport
- legal system
- Information Technology
- Women

Many institutional and psychological PROCESSES facilitate development. Some of these are:

- Decentralization and grass roots involvement
- Privatization and liberalization of economy
- Institution building
- Science and technology
- Civic order and rule of law
- Communication and Art
- Public debate to build consensus
- Financial institutions
- Human resource development
- Deregulation
- Change of mind set
- Gender Issues







OBJECTIVES

Hasten the development in India. Create human and material resource base. Create climate for new order and innovation. Build consensus through public dialogue.

PLAN OF ACTION

To achieve our vision and our objectives we need leaders who are:

Agents of generational change. Committed to paradigm shift. Honest and transparent. Devoted to public service. Oriented to teamwork.

VISION

Develop leadership to create and implement an agenda for a new India in the 21st century.





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