

## **Seminar**

**On**

### **INDIA'S INTERNAL SECURITY TITLED "STRONG AND ALERT INDIA: POLICIES OF INTERNAL SECURITY AND THEIR IMPACT"**

**Organized by the Department of Political Science and IQAC, Shyam Lal College in  
collaboration with Indian Council for Social Science Research (ICSSR)  
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#### **Report of the Seminar**

Seminar on India's internal security titled "Strong and Alert India: Policies of Internal Security and Their Impact" on 7 November, 2023.

The Department of Political Science and Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi in collaboration with Indian Council for Social Science Research (ICSSR) organized a one day Seminar on India's internal security titled "Strong and Alert India: Policies of Internal Security and Their Impact" on 7 November, 2023. Lt. Gen. Zameer Udin Shah addressed the gathering of teachers and students at Shyam Lal College as the Chief Guest and the Speaker of the Seminar. Around 20 faculty members and 280 students attended the seminar. The seminar also hosted students from various colleges of Delhi University. The programme was also run live college's social media handles such as Facebook. The recorded session would also be uploaded on college's YouTube handle and other social media handles such as X. Journalist and social media handlers too were invited in the seminar.

The programme commenced with traditional lighting up of lamps. After the felicitation of General Shah, Dr. Sitaram Kumbhar, Teacher-in-Charge of the Department of Political Science introduced the audience with the theme of the seminar.

Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, Principal Shyam Lal College observed that there is a strong need to tackle the threats to India's internal security and need to nip them in the bud. He also stressed on the importance of the Military-Police-Civil fusion in handling this menace that can have serious implications on India's security apparatus.

Lt. Gen. Shah put his thoughts and ideas with a wisdom earned through his long spanning career of serving in the army. He stressed on the need of maintaining cordial relations with India's immediate neighboring countries however, he did not rule out the importance of using strong and coercive military methods while dealing with difficult neighbors like Pakistan who is hell bent on interfering in the internal sovereign matters of our country. However, Lt. Gen. Shah seemed quite convinced with the idea that using coercive means and mechanisms in case of handling internal security matters could prove counterproductive. Therefore, he is of the view that we need to focus on achieving our unique culture of celebrating unity in diversity. He also stressed on the importance of imbibing discipline and building character of our fellow countrymen, especially, the young generation. He said, if we aim to have secure scenario within the country, then we need to focus on imbibing the ideas of modernity and scientific temper among the citizens of our country. He further also laid emphasis on citizens of the country that are enlightened, disciplined and educated. He said only such citizens of the country will root the pillars of the country deep and lift them to the sky.

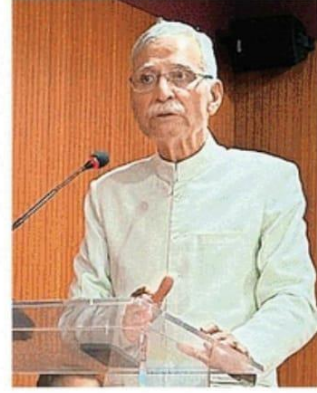
Question and Answer session followed the Lt. Gen. Shah's speech. Students and faculty members were quite jubilant after listening to Lt. Gen. Shah's ideas and thoughts. The session went on for more than 40 minutes. The programme came to an end after the formal vote of thanks and singing the National Anthem.



# 'पूर्वोत्तर में फैला विद्रोह देश की आंतरिक सुरक्षा के लिए खतरा'

जागरण संवाददाता, पूर्वी दिल्ली : दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय के श्याम लाल कालेज के राजनीतिक विज्ञान विभाग और आंतरिक गुणवत्ता आश्वासन सेल (आइक्यूएसी) ने भारतीय सामाजिक विज्ञान अनुसंधान परिषद के सहयोग से भारत की आंतरिक सुरक्षा 'मजबूत और सतर्क भारत: नीतियाँ' विषय पर संगोष्ठी का आयोजन किया। इसमें डीयू के विभिन्न कालेजों के 300 शिक्षक और छात्रों ने भाग लिया।

मुख्य वक्ता लेफ्टिनेंट जनरल व एएमयू के पूर्व वीसी जमीरुद्दीन शाह ने कहा कि देश की आंतरिक सुरक्षा के लिए भारत को अपने निकटतम पड़ोसी देशों के साथ सौहार्दपूर्ण संबंध बनाए रखने की आवश्यकता है। हमें पाकिस्तान जैसे पड़ोसी देशों से निपटने के लिए मजबूत और जबरदस्त सैन्य तरीकों के उपयोग पर जोर देना चाहिए। उन्होंने कहा कि राजनीतिक पार्टियों में फूट और पूर्वोत्तर राज्यों में फैला विद्रोह देश की आंतरिक सुरक्षा के लिए बड़ा खतरा है। इसलिए देश की सुरक्षा के सवाल पर सभी पार्टियों का एकजुट होना और नागरिकों का प्रबुद्ध, अनुशासित और शिक्षित होना भी



श्याम लाल कालेज में विद्यार्थियों को संबोधित करते लेफ्टिनेंट जनरल व एएमयू के पूर्व वीसी जमीरुद्दीन शाह • जागरण

जरूरी है। अगर हमारा लक्ष्य देश के भीतर सुरक्षित परिदृश्य बनाना है तो हमें अपने देश के नागरिकों के बीच आधुनिकता और वैज्ञानिक सोच को भी बढ़ावा देने की जरूरत है। विद्यार्थियों ने जमीरुद्दीन शाह से प्रश्न भी पूछे। इस मौके पर कालेज के प्राचार्य प्रोफेसर रबि नारायण कर, मेजर मोहम्मद अली शाह, राजनीति विज्ञान विभाग के प्रभारी शिक्षक डा. सीताराम कुंभार व मंच संचालक विवेकानंद भी मौजूद रहे।



