SPECIAL AGENDA CASE NO. -08

Recommendation of 2 sites associated with Dr. Baba Saheb Ambedkar to be declared as Monuments of National Importance

Chairman, NMA informed that during his visit to Vadodara on 26th June 2022 he had visited 'Sankalp Bhoomi', where Dr. Baba Saheb Ambedkar on 23rd September 1917 had resolved to fight against untouchability. Chairman, NMA emphasized that this site is a place of great Historical and Archaeological significance. Chairman, NMA further informed that during his visit to Satara between 1st - 3rd July, 2022 he had visited the Pratap Rao Bhosale High School, Satara where Dr. Baba Saheb Ambedkar had completed his School Education. Chairman, NMA stated that the school building was in a dilapidated condition and it was essential that this place be taken over by the Govt. of India as a Monument of National Importance in the interest of preservation of this invaluable heritage.

The Authority unanimously resolved to recommend the following two monuments connected with Dr. Baba Saheb Ambedkar and symbols of Dalit aspirations, struggle and resolved to create an equal and just society which provides opportunities to all Indian citizens to live with dignity and honour according to the constitution of India, be declared as Monuments of National Importance by the Ministry of Culture.

i. Sankalp Bhoomi, Vadodara, Gujarat
ii. Pratap Rao Bhosale, High School, Satara, Maharashtra