

Speech of His Excellency Shri K. Sankaranarayanan , the Governor of Jharkhand on the occasion of the Inauguration of Newly constructed Building of Gola Police station, on August 27, 2009.

Union Minister Shri Subodh Kant Sahay, Advisor Shri T. P. Sinha, DGP, Shri C.P. Choudhary, MLA, Divisional Commissioner, Deputy Commissioner, Superintendent of Police, Other Officials, Media Representatives, Ladies & Gentlemen,

I am happy to inaugurate the building of Gola Police Station. I find that this building has been designed keeping in view of the challenges faced by Jharkhand Police in recent past. This imposing building, however, should not keep off people. On the contrary it should be accepted among people as a place where those in distress, can go without fear or hesitation.

Police is the face of government. People form their impression of the working of government from the working of the police. This casts an additional responsibility on the men in uniform. The mindset of police personnel should, therefore, accordingly, change.

Proper infrastructure is essential to improve the efficiency and performance of public institutions. The scheme of Police modernization being pursued by both State and Central Government seeks to provide better infrastructure, modern security equipments and adequate manpower to police establishments. Formation of new police stations with proper

amenities, modern weaponry and adequate fortifications is topmost on the agenda for police modernization scheme.

I am confident that the new environs of Gola Thana will also reflect the efficiency and output of the personnel deployed here and the people of Gola will be beneficiaries of a better policing experience.

In order to work in an efficient and transparent manner the support of people is paramount importance. I seek the support and cooperation of people and government staff to deliver good governance in the state.

With these words I inaugurate the police station and dedicate it to the people of Gola and Ramgarh.

Thank you,