JAWAHARLAL NEHRU UNIVERSITY

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Subject: First Academic Seminar on Indian Knowledge System

It is a matter of great honour for the JNU community to host the Hon'ble Vice President of India, Shri Jagdeep Dhankhar ji, and Minister of Ports, Shipping and Waterways Shri Sarbananda Sonowal ji, at the First Annual Academic Conference on Indian Knowledge Systems held today. Their gracious presence and inspiring address deeply encouraged our students and academic community.

We thank the Security agencies including Delhi Police for their efficient arrangements and smooth coordination, ensuring the successful and peaceful conduct of the event.

Unfortunately, a few students attempted to disrupt the proceedings and tried to block the cavalcade of the Hon'ble Vice President. Such actions not only violate the principles of democratic expression but also tarnish the image of the University. While JNU fully respects the right to peaceful protest, it strongly discourages any form of unlawful or disruptive behaviour.

The University has taken serious note of this incident and directed Security Branch to submit a detailed report.

All students are urged to uphold the values of mutual respect, peaceful dialogue, and contribute positively to the academic environment.

Cooperation from all stakeholders is solicited in this regard.

This is issued with the approval of the Competent Authority.

(Registrar)

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