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VICE-PRESIDENT OF INDIA

**MESSAGE**

I greet the people of our country on the joyous and auspicious occasion of Onam.

The festival of Onam celebrates the onset of the harvest season and the mood of rejoicing is vividly captured in the colourful festivities transcending all barriers.

May the festival usher in peace, prosperity and happiness in the society and contribute towards the nation's progress.

(M. HAMID ANSARI)

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