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**Remarks made by the Chairman (Prof Prem Saran Satsangi) in the Meeting of the
Advisory Committee on Education (ACE)
(During morning fieldwork on Wednesday, the 23rd of September, 2020)
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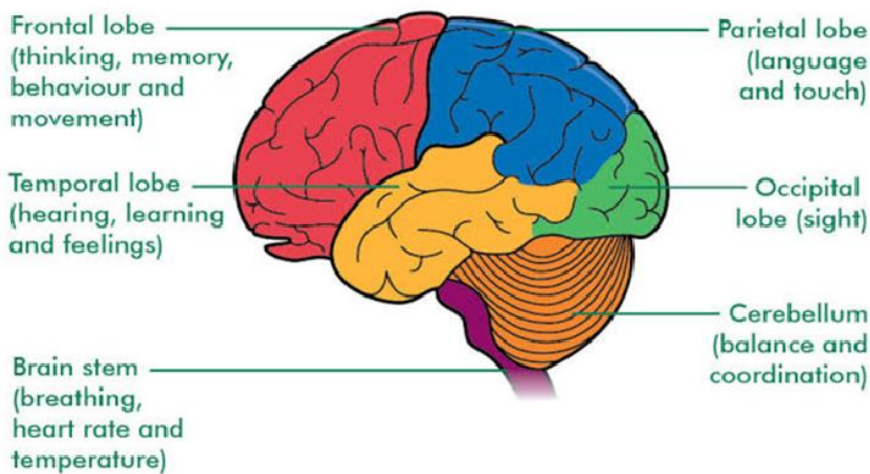
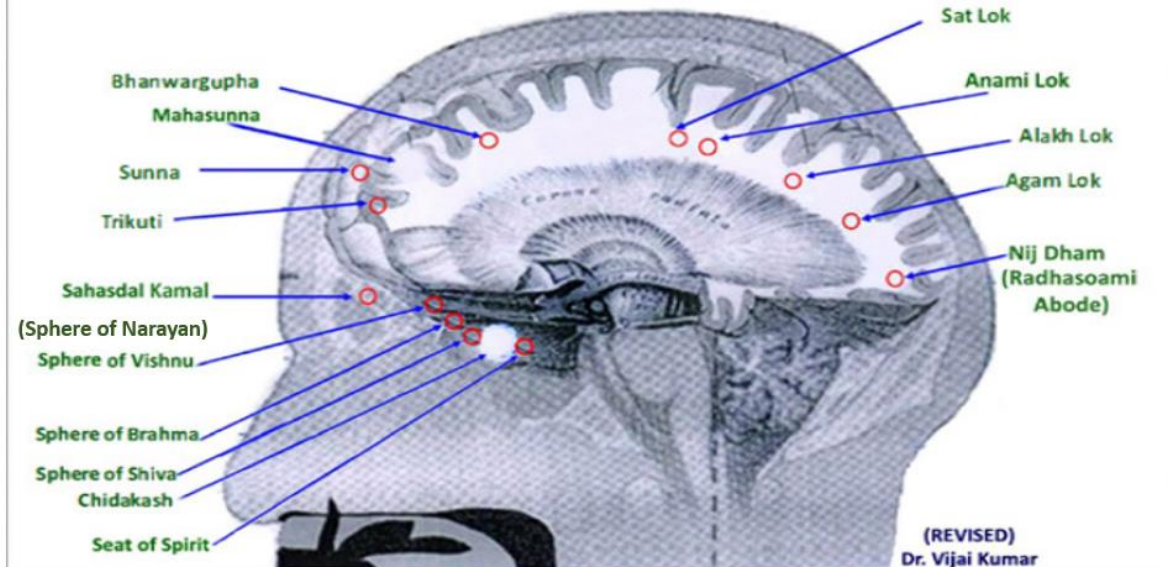
In the context of the DEI team winning in the MIT COVID – 19 Challenge Hackathon, “India: Turning the Tide” was the theme of the hackathon described here. This was held during August 28-30, 2020, to develop innovative solutions that address the most pressing issues around the ongoing COVID -19 pandemic in India. The 48 hours online – only event drew wide participation of about 1400 participants and 300 mentors from across 30 countries, including several members of the Dayalbagh Educational Institute (DEI) (Deemed to be University). Among the teams from DEI that participated, the following 2 teams were adjudged winners in their respective tracks:

1. Team – Docs@Home, led by Prof. K. Soami Daya (lady member) and
2. Team – Whistle Winds led by Amolly Gupta, (New York Radhasoami Satsang Branch) and Prateesh, (DEI, Dayalbagh). Amolly Gupta is a female and Prateesh, I believe, is a male member.

After the detailed account of the measures taken by DEI (Deemed to be University) and the present status of the matter under consideration given by the President, Radhasoami Satsang Sabha, Dayalbagh, Agra and the DEI (Deemed to be University), the Director and the Registrar of DEI (Deemed to be University), the Chairman was further pleased to make the following observations:

In terms of a little bit further clarification, neurologists have established particular sections of the brain of a living human being, which have been scientifically observed and evaluated as performing certain higher order functions (Appended Twin-Portrayal).

**Brain apertures in the context of meditational practice of
'Surat Shabda Yog'
and their Functions in the accompanying diagram**



There is a 'Frontal Lobe' which is responsible for thinking, memory, behaviour and movement. There is a 'Parietal Lobe' towards the rear of the brain which is responsible for language and touch. Then, further at the middle level, there is 'Temporal Lobe'- hearing, learning and feelings in the front as the name suggests and 'Occipital Lobe' responsible for sight and then there is further connection with the rest of the body through brain stem for breathing, heart rate and temperature and on the rear side where the apex lies - Cerebellum for balance and coordination. So this is scientifically established procedure, for which we maintain our site e(on-line)DEIwww.education open to everybody to make reference. We maintain soft copies without printing them on paper for the simple reason that we do not want to lose our fast

vanishing forests and this will spell a disaster first for the animals etc. and then for human beings also. That is why we wanted to be clear that Dr. Sam Pitroda's observations become a great morale booster and it is for Government of India to take note of it and preserve our forest cover and work for the poorest of the poor in terms of Scheduled Castes and Tribal populations such as in Rajaborari and Timarni in Madhya Pradesh, with which we have contact over a very long period of more than 40 years ever since formation of DEI as a Deemed to be University. So, President, Delhi Radhasoami Satsang Association for the Region identified as Delhi Region as well as Director, Delhi School of Economics, a very reputed and trustworthy organisation advising the Government regarding matters pertaining to the centres in the brain in the context of the meditational practice of 'Sahaj Surat Shabd Yog' as against the earlier prevalent 'Pranayam' which can take a person only upto the domain of Mind and not beyond that to Pure Thought or Pure Mind, Purer Mind, Purest Mind, which we describe as 'Pure Spirituality' in Radhasoami Faith. So for those who are looking at it from the point of view of Art, Science and Engineering, the last one which is all about applications in the real world, while Science discovers these phenomena and Engineering puts them to real world application. Art is the domain of poets, philosophers, painters, who create it and they bring certain exhortation to the human beings to improve their lot. Therefore, we say we have an all-inclusive process which takes care of Art, Science and Engineering, all aspects and this is what has been appreciated by Dr. Sam Pitroda who is held by Government of India as an authority in this field.

In view of the Special Meeting arranged on Video Conferencing network, i.e., Virtual Reality Mode, Dr. Sam Pitroda who had been the expert during the regime of Dr. Man Mohan Singh, a top-notch Economist well known all over the world, this is the latest evidence of how the Supreme Creator of the entire Universe crowns humble human efforts with Grand Success by bestowing HIS Infinite Grace and Mercy. To state matters briefly, we celebrated this Blessing for Grand Success in the trust reposed by the nation internationally on ISM (Interpretive Structural Modelling), NGT (Nominal Group Technique), AHP (Analytical Hierarchy Process) and other such Consensus Building Techniques which are in favour of alleviating the lot of 'the least, the last, the lowest and the lost' to their proper status in life and even beyond, i.e., the Grandest of the Salvation Process, often referred to as 'Golden Mean Path to Devotion' which is about two centuries old since the advent of the Supreme Creator on the terra firma for the total emancipation of all beings from the lowest Material Grand Division through the intermediate Grand Division of Mind to the final Grand Division of Pure Mind or Thought or what we in Radhasoami Faith refer to as 'Pure Spirituality with full Blissfulness'. We have been following the system of according Qualitative Cumulative Grade Point Average to each participating human being in the process of his spiritual upliftment starting from the somnambulant state at what is referred to as the Nether Pole and ranging up to its 'Supreme Reservoir of Forever Blissfulness' (a Monolith of Blissfulness). (North-most Pole).

Total number of participants in the event mentioned here was 16,145 with 3,438 taking active part in discussions while others were listening to their presentations and updating their levels of consciousness.

What the world recognises is the Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) and the law-courts at various levels such as District Courts, High Courts and Supreme Court (and even 'International Court of Justice at Hague') are well aware of CGPA and the CGPA of 4.00 out of 4.00 in the earlier foot-pound-second system is now also being translated to the Metric System. So that is something which nobody denies as being factual. CGPA Index is well known to the courts, Cumulative Grade Point Average, whether in the earlier system of foot-pound-second or in the present worldwide adopted system, which is briefly referred to as Metric System. The Government of India itself has sought assistance of an expert like Dr. Sam Pitroda

to advise the Prime Minister and the President and Vice-President of the Government of India, a Democracy. So, that is not something the courts are not aware. They are aware of what these mean. You see, earlier system was the percentage marks. This is a backdoor effort once again to bring that earlier system and claims falsely that it is a scientific evaluation based on percentile-evaluation, which it is not.

Thereafter, at the instance of the Chairman, Prof. Pami Dua, Director, Delhi School of Economics gave her evaluation regarding CGPA methodology and also briefed about the philosophy and role of Delhi School of Economics, a leading Institute in Social Sciences.

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Thereafter, excerpts from Dr. Sam Pitroda's speech were played in which he hailed the DEI (Deemed to be University) for relentlessly pursuing its endeavours amidst the tough times of the COVID-19 Pandemic. He appreciated and congratulated the Dayalbagh Educational Institute (DEI - Deemed to be University) for the pioneering work being done by it in the field of education and observed that with the kind of success being achieved by DEI (Deemed to be University) in its endeavours, the Institute must focus on curating and scaling up so as to reach out to every nook and corner of the globe so that more and more people could benefit from its unique Education Policy and System and he wished that every District should have a DEI.

The meeting ended on a positive note with Dr. Vijai Kumar putting across his opinion regarding the 'Dayalbagh way of life' which focuses on integration with Nature that is essential to save the planet earth and its environment for the future generations. He also observed that our special characteristic of Ultra transcendental meditation opens up the Microcosm, merging it with the Macrcosm that finally leads to the Ultimate Truth, which education is all about.