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Respected Bhai Sahib/Behan Ji,

Namaskar & Dhan Nirankar Ji,

The General Body Meeting was held on Monday, the 16th November, 2015 in the Samagam Ground on the occasion of 68th Annual Nirankari Sant Samagam. The meeting was attended by 673 delegates comprising members of the Central Planning & Advisory Board, the Executive Committee, the Managing Committee of Sant Nirankari Charitable Foundation, Zonal Incharges, Sanyojak, Central Sewadal Adhikaris, Khetriya Sanchalaks and some members from the administrative setup of various countries.

In His discourse His Holiness touched upon Guru Pooja Divas, He said: *‘For the last few years, (as per the wishes of devotees), my birthday is being celebrated as Guru Puja Divas. Previously, 23rd February had been celebrated at the place of my presence, wherever I happened to be in India or abroad, but ever since being formalised as a Guru Puja Divas in Delhi, I have had to ensure that I return to Delhi to partake in the celebration. It has come to mind that 23rd February can continue to be known as Guru Puja Divas, but it is not necessary that I should be present in Delhi. I may be anywhere on that day, and the celebration of Guru Puja will take place in my presence in a simple way.*

So it is decided today that I shall not be formally bound to be in Delhi on the 23rd February. Social drives like Cleanliness and Tree Plantation will continue as usual. A Sewadal Rally is also held on that day, a separate decision regarding the date and name of that Rally is yet to be taken. Whatever the decision, it shall be notified in due course.’

Due to this directive, the Foreign Affairs Department is advising all of our devotees’ abroad **NOT** to make travel plans to Delhi specifically for the purpose of attending the Guru Puja Diwas celebrations. We also advise that even if His Holiness is present in Delhi on Guru Puja Diwas, the celebrations will **NOT** be conducted in the same manner as previous years.

You are requested to disseminate this important information to every branch within your respective countries.

Humbly,

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To: All Branch Heads, overseas, Sant Nirankari Mandal.