

## MMRDA celebrates Birth Anniversaries of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar and Mahatma Jyotiba Phule

**Mumbai, May 9, 2014:** The employees and officers association of the Mumbai Metropolitan Region Development Authority (MMRDA) celebrated the birth anniversaries of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar and Mahatma Jyotiba Phule jointly on Friday, in a ceremony held at the MMRDA headquarters.

“The state government will be constructing a world class memorial of Bharat Ratna Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar. MMRDA has been given the responsibility of construction of this monument in the city of Mumbai. It is a matter of great honor and pride for the employees and officers of our Authority that this work has been entrusted to us,” said Mr. UPS Madan, Metropolitan Commissioner, MMRDA.

Mr. Madan further said that the work for Dr. Ambedkar memorial will begin soon. He also said that great heroes such as Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj and Mahatma Jyotiba Phule are role models for each person in the society. “We expect that every Indian takes some lesson from the ideology of these great social heroes,” said Mr. Madan.

The ceremony began by paying floral tributes to the great social leaders. Metropolitan Commissioner Mr. UPS Madan, Additional Metropolitan Commissioner Mr. Venugopal Reddy, Joint Project Director (PR) Mr. Dilip Kawathkar and all department heads and employees of the Authority were present for the ceremony. Children of the employees securing bright academic success were also felicitated on this occasion. (Ends).

