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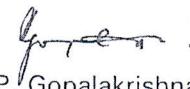
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New Delhi, the 22nd July, 2001  
31 Asadha, 1923 (S)

The undersigned is directed to state that with effect from the 22nd July, 2001, -

- i) ✓ Shri Nitish Kumar relinquished the charge of the office of Minister of Agriculture. He will continue to hold the charge of the office of Minister of Railways;
- ii) ✓ Shri Ajit Singh assumed the charge of the office of Minister of Agriculture;
- iii) ✓ Shri Omar Abdullah relinquished the charge of the office of Minister of State in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry and assumed the charge of the office of Minister of State in the Ministry of External Affairs;
- iv) ✓ Shri Digvijay Singh relinquished the charge of the office of Minister of State in the Ministry of Railways and assumed the charge of the office of Minister of State in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry; and
- v) ✓ Shri Krishnamaraju relinquished the charge of the office of Minister of State in the Ministry of External Affairs and assumed the charge of the office of Minister of State in the Ministry of Defence.

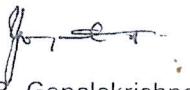
  
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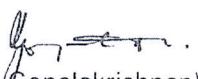
  
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