



Patriots Speak

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Dear Enlightened Readers,

Violence quotient dominated the week under this is review:

- Japan and China to resume security talks after 2011;
- Pak to take up LoC violations at global fora;
- Boko Haram continued their activities in Nigeria and Somalia;
- ISIS have displayed keeping their captives in cages.
- ISIS burnt 40 whom they had held in captivity;
- ISIS started English teaching schools for foreign recruits;
- Ukraine situation hardly shown any improvement;
- Australia unveils strict anti-terror measures;
- Egypt further tightened security precautions;
- China also followed the suit;
- "Wonder of the World"-Japan develops a clock that will lose only one second in 16 million years;
- West Indian giant Chris Gayle made history in scoring the first double century in a world cup ODI match. Sincere congratulations to him.
- A tie-up between the two most dangerous outfits, namely, ISIS and Al Qaeda, has been reported.

Thanking you & with regards,

Yours sincerely,

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Geopolitical:

- **Afghan Taliban Signals Readiness For Peace Talks:** This was confirmed by senior army and diplomatic officials. ([Reuters, The Indian Express, February 20, 2015](#))
- **Japan, China To Resume Security Talks:** The proposed meeting planned for Tokyo, would be the first one since January, 2011. ([AFP, The Statesman, February 20, 2015](#))
- **Putin Redrawing Map, Is A Threat To Baltic States:** It has virtually been a tussle between the West and Russia. ([Reuters, The Asian Age, February 21, 2015](#))
- **ISIS Suicide Attacks Claimed 40 Lives In Libya:** The targets have generally been police and army bases. ([Reuters, The Indian Express, February 21, 2015](#))
- **Pak Vows Taking Up LoC 'Violations' In Global Forum:** This was disclosed by the Pak Prime Minister and the Army Chief on February 24. ([The Asian Age, February 25, 2015](#))

International Terrorism:

- **Al Qaeda-linked Al Shabaab Kills 25 In Somalia Hotel Siege:** This took place in the capital city of Mogadishu. ([AFP, The Asian Age, February 21, 2015](#))
- **At Least 30 Dead In Boko Haram Raids:** This took place in north east Nigeria on Friday. ([AFP, Asian Age, February 21, 2015](#))
- **New Boko Haram Videos Hint At Ties With ISIS:** Study by experts of ISIS magazine, Dabiq, revealing that it has received an oath of allegiance from a group from Nigeria, makes one believe that an alliance has been struck between two of the world's most murderous groups. ([NYT, The Times Of India, February 22, 2015](#))
- **ISIS Militants Burn Over 40 people Alive:** This was in Iraq around Baghdadi. ([Sunday Pioneer, Feb 22, 2015](#))
- **ISIS Presence In Maldives:** Now that ISIS has developed a toe hold in Maldives, Indian security agencies will have to take due note of this. (<http://a.msn.com/r/2/BBhOPTF?a-11andM-EN-IN>)
- **Blast Near Hindu Temple In Pak, 1 Dead:** Three others were injured. This was in Pakistan's restive province of Balochistan, which has several Hindu temples. It took place on Sunday. ([Hindustan Times, Feb 23, 2015](#))
- **British Race-hate Group Trying To Make a "Nazitown" In Northern UK:** They are buying houses in the north of England to establish a whites-only Nazitown. ([ANI, The Hindustan Times, February 23, 2015](#))

**Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world.
Indeed, it's the only thing that ever has!**

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- **ISIS Bombs Airport, Iranian Envoy Home:** This had happened two days ago at the Libyan capital. ([Reuters, The Asian Age, February 23, 2015](#))
- **ISIS Video Shows. Kurd Fighters Held In Cage:** This was released on Sunday. ([AFP, Feb 23, 2015](#))
- **China Army Lets Families Into Campus:** To Halt Growing Cases Of Divorces: This is for the first time for non-commissioned officers. ([PTI, The Hindustan Times, February 23, 2015](#))
- **Girl aged 10 Blows Herself Up In Nigeria,** Kills Five: Another 45 were injured. ([AP, HT, February 24, 2015](#))
- **Australia Unveils Strict anti-terror Measures:** This was announced on February 23 during the course of a national security crackdown. ([Reuters, The Hindustan Times, February 24, 2015](#))
- **ISIS Starts English Schools For Foreign Fighters's kids:** Two schools have already commenced functioning.
- **French Carrier Joins Fight Against ISIS:** US Defence Secretary vowed to inflict 'lasting defeat' on the jihadis. ([AFP, The Asian Age, February 24, 2015](#))
- **ISIS Abducts 90 Christians In Syria:** This en masse abduction took place on February 24. ([AFP, All Press, February 25, 2015](#))
- **New Egyptian Law For Security Crackdown:** This was signed by the Egyptian President and put on the official gazette also. ([AFP, The Asian Age, February 25, 2015](#))
- **Spain Busts Online Recruiters For ISIS:** Some arrests were also made. ([AFP, Asian Age, February 25, 2015](#))
- **Suicide Bombers Kill 24 At Two Bus Stations In Nigeria:** This happened on Tuesday in north Nigeria. ([The Indian Express, February 25, 2015](#))
- **China Mulls Anti-Terror Law To Tackle Global Threats:** The Draft proposal is ready. ([PTI, Feb 26, 2015](#))
- **France Unveils Plan For Dialogue With Muslims:** The plan includes training of Imams on France's tradition of secularism. This would also help tackle radicalisation. ([AP, The Statesman, February 26, 2015](#))
- **Number of Christian Abductees by ISIS Goes Upto 220:** This happened in 3 Days: Abductees, taken earlier, removed to hide-outs. ([AP, The Indian Express, February 27, 2015](#))
- **US Airstrikes Hit ISIS After Kidnappings:** This was around Syria. ([AFP, The Asian Age, February 27, 2015](#))
- **Iraqi Raid Kills 17 ISIS Militants:** This happened in both Syria and Iraq. ([Reuters, Asian Age, Feb 27, 2015](#))

National Defence:

- **Espionage Rampant in Many Ministries:** So, it was not confined to the Petroleum Ministry only. This is hard truth! ([The Asian Age, February 21, 2015](#))

National Economy:

- **TCS Tops Global IT Firms:** It thus became the fastest growing software brand in the world over the past five years. ([PTI, The Statesman, February 20, 2015](#))

General:

- **Pak Trains Students In Counter-Terrorism:** This is to provide on emergency basis. ([PTI, The Statesman, February 21, 2015](#))
- **Delhi Police launches 'Himmat' mobile apps:** Must for Women traveling post dusk. <http://www.security-risks.com/security-issues-south-asia/iw-cyber-security/delhi-police-launches-%E2%80%98himmat-mobile-apps-4399.html>
- **Do's and Don'ts for Women's Security in India:** <http://www.security-risks.com/security-issues-south-asia/other-security-issue/dos-donts-womens-security-in-india-2299.html>
- **Obama endorses India's bid for permanent membership of UN Security Council:** US President Barack Obama endorses India's candidature as a permanent member of the reformed UN security council, the White House has said. <http://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/india/Obama-endorses-Indias-bid-for-permanent-membership-of-UN-security-council/articleshow/46363449.cms#write>
- **Indian President's Address - Defence and Security Issues:** Terrorism and Left Wing Extremism pose a grave challenge to the internal security of our nation. <http://www.security-risks.com/security-trends-south-asia/other-security-trends/presidents-address---defence-and-security-issues-4387.html>
- **Setting up of Veterans Commission:** In pursuance of Hon'ble President's statement made in the joint session of parliament on 9th June, 2014 regarding Government's decision to appoint a Veteran Commission, the National Commission for Ex-Servicemen Bill, 2015 has been drafted in order to set up the National Commission for Ex-Servicemen. The comments of Department of Legislative Affairs have been obtained on the Bill and the follow-up action is being taken in accordance with the guidelines / procedure laid down for legislative proposals to set up such Bodies. No funds have been allocated for setting up of the Commission during the year 2014-15. <http://www.security-risks.com/security-issues-south-asia/military-contracts/export-control-reform-marks-one-year-of-progress-fact-sheet-4374.html>
- **Need For Burial For Sachhar Committee Report:** The Patriots Forum's appeal against Sachhar Commission's recommendations is in Supreme Court. Meanwhile it has appealed to the Central Government

that there is no more space for the this most un-called for Kundu Committe and to consider how and how quickly the "undue" benefits to the minorities be stopped forthwith and the bogey of the Sachhar Committee be given a "un-ceremonial" burial. The continuation of the benefits to the "undue" minorities has been an extremely sore point and "disappointing" to the members of majority community that may not be desirable to the ruling government.

- **Good Trend - Modi Govt. is changing everything with everyday work:** Over 56000 cases were settled involving more than Rs.265 crores on Saturday (14.02.2015) through National Lok Adalat for bank recovery. Cheque bounce cases, particularly under Section 138 Negotiable Instruments Act were addressed in all courts at all levels from the Taluk Courts to the Districts Courts, High Courts in all states (excluding Assam & Uttar Pradesh) and the Supreme Court of India. This was organized under the patronage of Hon'ble Mr. Justice H.L.Dattu, Chief Justice of India and the dynamic leadership of Hon'ble Mr. Justice T.S.Thakur, Judge Supreme Court of India & Executive Chairman of the National Legal Services Authority (NALSA). The Banks and financial institutions and others who participated were able to arrive at final settlements of more than Rs.265 crores. Judges, Lawyers and various authorities including banks and financial institutions extended their full cooperation. More Details: <http://pib.nic.in/newsite/mbErel.aspx?relid=115484>
- **Spend money for promotion of Vedas: Baba Ramdev:** Yoga guru Ramdev asked Narendra Modi government on Sunday to "loosen its purse strings" for promoting the Vedas as has been done for minority institutions and proposed setting up a centre for Vedic learning. "The government has given money to madrassas. It is a good thing. We are not criticising anybody. We do not disrespect any other faith and it is not our intention to belittle anyone. The Modi government talks of 'Sabka Sath Sabka Vikas' (equal growth for all), but don't our Vedas come under that," he said. <http://www.dnaindia.com/india/report-government-not-spending-money-for-promotion-of-vedas-baba-ramdev-2063220>

Miscreants draw Cross symbol on Telugu prominent figure paintings: On 20th February, 2015: Tension situation arose in Tirupati Sri Venkteswara University Arts college campus after miscreants paint Christian Cross symbol on faces of Telugu prominent people paintings on college walls. On occasion of World Telugu summit, walls of SV University Arts college compound walls are painted with historical people who served Telugu literature and Telugu culture. Today morning these prominent figures faces are painted with Christian cross symbols. Finding these acts students protested these anti Hindu acts by other religion people and blamed that these acts will provoke religious tensions in University.



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Those who disfigured pictures of great Telugu artists, poets, Kings and philanthropists ought to be most ingrate, for they are studying at the University that was built with money from devotees of Sri Venkateswara. I understand there is also a church and mosque built in the university campus with same money, yet the Hindus get slap on other cheek by peace and love cults who need not just degrees but real education to give respect to get respect. It is a safe bet that none of this will see headlines in eminent secular media at home nor will make it to NY Times which boasts it prints all news that is fit to print, yet censors anything that does not fit its prejudices. Only when Hindus react, then it will make a big splash. Condemnations pour in from NGOs and all other usual suspects.

Contrast that with behaviour and conduct of Hindu students anywhere in the world. Some of them do study in Catholic and other Church related Universities and work in their institutions. They do not go around disfiguring venerated objects of Christianity. It is such noble conduct which makes our culture superior of which we should be proud and the convert progeny ought to be ashamed of them. The converts in India not only lose their religion but also bearings, behaving in rude and uncouth manner. Regardless of reaction of usual suspects, the authorities should not tolerate such insults! A lack of response by authorities will either lead to sensitive students taking law into their hands, which is not desirable or such show the other cheek attitude will lead to adding injury with more such insults. Also it will not be far-fetched to suspect a conspiracy in this regard to precisely evoke a response so that a worldwide campaign of calumny can be unleashed against both Hindu Dharma and India. It has been done before!



Om – the sound that Sun makes: Sun makes a sound that never reaches earth. NASA laboratory in space captured sound and recorded. Most astonishing that the sound resembles "Om". Scientists are still trying to correlates why ancient Hindu mantra and sun's sound are same. Do listen in below video enclosed with newsletter.

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