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Above all she would like to acknowledge the contribution of her parents and especially her father Mr. R.S. Srivastava, who was a founder member of 'Swajan', in moulding her into an individual who believes in healing with a humane touch. She is deeply grateful on being honoured by this great organization which her father nurtured in its early years with a lot of love and affection.



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Swajan is pleased to honour her for exceptional achievement in her professional career. Swajan wish her prosperous and happy life.


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स्वजन समारोह में शिरकत करेंगे राज्यपाल

मुंबई: साहित्यिक सामाजिक संस्था 'स्वजन' का 48वां वार्षिक समारोह विड़ला मातृश्री सभागार, न्यू मरीन लाईस में शनिवार 28 फरवरी को आयोजित करे गइ है। वार्षिक समारोह में मुख्य अतिथि के रूप में महाराष्ट्र के राज्यपाल सी. विद्यासागर राव हंगे। 'स्वजन' के अध्यक्ष एवं मुंबई मनपा के पूर्व आयुक्त के.सी. श्रीवास्तव ने बताया कि इस अवसर पर विभिन्न



क्षेत्रों को हस्तियां उपस्थित रहेंगी। नवभारत टाइम्स के संपादक-सुंदर चंद ठाकुर, महिला नगरिक सहकारी बैंक की चेअरमैन आरती विस्तारिया, डॉ. निहारिका गिल, के. जे. सोमोया मेडिकल कॉलेज, अंतर्राष्ट्रीय न्यूरोलाजिस्ट डॉ. मनोष अग्रवाल, डॉ. वृजेन्द्र सक्सेना, दूरदर्शन के अतिरिक्त महानिदेशक मुनेष्वा शर्मा को उनकी

विशिष्ट उपलब्धियों के लिए सम्मानित किया जाएगा। कार्यक्रम का संचालन अनंत श्रीमाली एवं आभार प्रमोद श्रीवास्तव द्वारा किया जाएगा। सचिव आशीष श्रीवास्तव ने बताया कि स्वजन के वरिष्ठ सदस्यों एम.श्री.लाल, नुकेश श्रीवास्तव, हीरालाल सक्सेना का समारोह में अभिनंदन किया जाएगा। समारोह के बाद गायक धिनोद राठौड़ द्वारा संगीत का कार्यक्रम आयोजित किया गया है। समारोह को सफल बनाने में राजेश श्रीवास्तव, एस. के. गुमास्ता, आदि प्रयासरत है।