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Shri Raj Nath Singhji
The Hon'ble Minister for Home Affairs
Government of India
New Delhi.

Respected Home Minister,

Subject: Appeal for action against the assailants for the dentist's death

We, the members of the Indian Dental Association, are deeply shocked and saddened by the gruesome killing of a 40-year old dentist allegedly beaten by a group of about 12 people at his residence in West Delhi's Vikaspuri area. The incident, as the Hon'ble Minister would be aware, took place on Wednesday night, 23 March 2016. The reason attributed to for the dastardly act was that two persons passing by on a motorbike were hit by a cricket ball that the victim, Dr. Pankaj Narang, was playing cricket with along with his eight year old son and a nephew in a small place outside his house. This, it was reported, led to a scuffle between the duo and the doctor after which the duo left abandoning the motorbike there.

After a while the two people returned with 10 others, including a woman, and entered the doctor's house and attacked him with bats, sticks and rods as also severely thrashed the doctor's brother-in-law who came to his rescue.

Although the doctor and his brother-in-law were rushed to the nearby hospital the doctor succumbed to his injuries.

We also understand that the police have taken into custody the attackers.

We, the members of the dental fraternity, appeal to you to take strong action and severely punish the culprits to do justice to the family of the diseased dentist.

With respectful regards,

Yours respectfully,



Dr Ashok Dhoble
Hon Secretary General

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