



# ALL INDIA CONGRESS COMMITTEE

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**Rahul Gandhi**

President

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Dear Bhatu Sawant ji,

I admire your initiative to set up the Signal Shala in Thane. In a world plagued by indifference and inequalities, stories like yours remind us of the humanity in each one of us.

While millions of Indians pass by traffic signals daily, largely desensitized to the plight of street children, your initiative to provide them a fair chance at life is truly heartwarming. I was informed that a student from Signal Shala has recently cleared the class X examinations. This is not just an achievement for the school, but provides a great role model for other street children who are trapped in an endless cycle of violence and despair. In a society fractured by inequality, such interventions create an opportunity for social mobility.

I urge you to continue to reach out to more street children, and provide them a stepping stone for a better future. I hope to meet you in the future.

Sincerely,

Rahul Gandhi