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**CHENNAI DIVISION OF SOUTHERN RAILWAY OBSERVED PARTITION
HORROR REMEMBRANCE DAY AT DR MGR CENTRAL RAILWAY STATION**

Chennai Division of Southern Railway observed "Partition Horrors Remembrance Day" on 14th August, 2024 (Today). The Government of India in the year 2021, decided to observe August 14th every year as Partition Horrors Remembrance Day to commemorate the sacrifices of all those who lost their lives due to the partition of the Nation and were displaced from their roots.

To commemorate the occasion, a special photo Exhibition gallery was arranged at major railway stations such as Dr.MGR Chennai Central, Chennai Egmore, Chennai Beach, Tambaram, Chengalpattu, Arakkonam, Jolarpettai, Sullurupeta, Tiruvallur, Tiruvallikeni and Velachery Railway Stations. The exhibition features vintage photos showcasing the Horrors of the Partition in the year 1947.

The Photo Exhibition gallery at Dr. MGR Chennai Central Railway Station was inaugurated by the Veer Nari's Smt Shoba Sudakar, W/o (Late) Captain Sudhakar Madavan and Smt Vedavalli Vinayak, W/o (Late) Major Vinayak Seetharaman in the august presence of Shri B. Vishwanath Eerya, Divisional Railway Manager, Chennai Division. Shri Tej Partap Singh, Additional Divisional Railway Manager and other Senior Officials and staff of Chennai Division participated in the event.

A vibrant cultural program was held showcasing the India's diverse heritage of our nation featuring energetic performances like Thappattam and Karakattam. The event was enriched by patriotic song, evoking a sense of national pride and unity.

By observing the Partition Horrors Remembrance Day, we honor the sacrifices of those who were affected during the partition and reaffirm our commitment for unity and human empowerment.

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