

(vi) Develop a robust cross-verification system of EVMs through systematic VVPAT use, as detailed above.

You are the inheritors of a rich tradition of conducting free and fair elections that has withstood the test of time over seventy years. We urge you to continue the legacy of your eminent predecessors in maintaining the sanctity of the electoral process and safeguarding democracy.

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