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It gives me immense pleasure to learn that "HIMPEX-2020" First State (Zonal) Level "Virtual" Philatelic Exhibition is being organized by Himachal Pradesh Postal Circle from 2nd to 7th November, 2020.

Stamps are the most effective learning tools. There are large varieties of stamps on almost all subjects. While adding each stamp to your collection you will be learning a new lesson. Stamps of a country speak a lot about that country. That is why they are called the first ambassadors of a country.

As an important activity of the Department of Posts, philatelic exhibitions are organized at all levels for the promotion of this wonderful hobby. The idea of organizing exhibition "Virtually" is an excellent initiative which will allow stamp lovers to see the various collections on display from the convenience of their homes at any time and from anywhere in the globe. I feel that the virtual arena holds exciting possibilities for the future of Philately. This exhibition has become a reality due to the hard work and dedication of all the stakeholders associated with this project and they deserve our appreciation.

I convey my best wishes for the success of this grand occasion to the Chief Postmaster General, her officers and staff along with all the stake holders. May the event be a great success.

(Pradipta Kumar Bisoi)