

# 75th anniversary of the formation of Azad Hind Government

June 22, 2019

75th anniversary of the formation of Azad Hind Government was celebrated on **21st October, 2018**, at the Red Fort, Delhi.

The Azad Hind Government, founded on 21st October, 1943 was inspired by **Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose** who was the leader of Azad Hind Government and also the Head of State of this Provisional Indian Government-in-exile.

It was a part of the freedom movement, originating in 1940s outside India with a purpose of allying with Axis powers to free India from British rule. The existence of the Azad Hind Government gave a greater legitimacy to the independence struggle against the British. Pertinently, the role of Azad Hind Fauj or the Indian National Army (INA) had been crucial in bequeathing a much needed impetus to India's struggle for Independence.