## Let Us Unite For Communal Harmony

## This is a Defining Moment for Our Nation The Choice Before Us has Never Been Clearer

We can remain on the sidelines, and allow communal forces to plunge us deeper into our worst nightmare, shattering our economic dreams, and risking our nation's security

Or

We can speak up forcefully against the continuing violence and lawlessness, and work together to usher India into the Twenty-First Century, with economic growth, social justice, and opportunity for all

"Above all, we shall have to stop being a silent constituency and gather courage...to speak up for upholding the secular values in our constitution."

Cyrus Guzder, CMD, AFL Ltd., CII Gujarat Annual Day, 30 March 2002

"The writing is on the wall. Either we stand up to defend the rights of all citizens; or we will all go down eventually."

Siddarth Varadarajan, Columnist, Times of India, 18 April 2002

"Business today...can be the most potent agent of social change provided we choose to define the business of business as human well-being."

Anu Aga, Chairperson, Thermax, Financial Express, 28 April 2002

As concerned **Indians from India and Overseas** we express our solidarity with the many courageous voices of reason being heard from all across the nation and urge our elected leaders to take immediate and effective steps to:

--Stop Any Further Bloodshed in the Name of Religion----Rehabilitate the Victims of Violence Without Any Further Delay--

- --Apprehend and Punish All Those Guilty of Crimes--
  - -- Renounce the Politics of Hate and Intolerance--
- -- Support Peoples Initiatives for Communal Harmony—