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**PRESS RELEASE**

Gandhi Jayanti was observed in the Embassy from 0900-1000 hours on 2 October 2016. After garlanding the statue of Gandhiji, Ambassador highlighted the importance of Swachh Bharat Abhiyan, India’s ratification of Paris Accord on Climate change and the inauguration by PM of Pravasi Bharatiya Kendra in New Delhi.

2. Over 300-350 Indian nationals participated. The students from Sound of Music Academy, Delhi Public School, Indian Community School Khaitan Junior Branch, Indian Community School Amman Branch, Integrated Indian School-Abbasiya and Indian Community School Senior Branch- Salmiya presented soulful bhajans and patriotic songs on the occasion. A Flute performance by Miss Tanya Mishra was a remarkable feature of the event.

  **4 October 2016**