

**Embassy of India
Djibouti**

PRESS RELEASE

**Supply of 20 units of Haemo-Dialysis Machines and 01 unit of RO Plant
from India to Djibouti.**

India and Djibouti share historical and friendly relations dating back to centuries. To further strengthen this partnership and friendship, Government of India offers humanitarian assistance to the friendly people of the Republic of Djibouti in the form of Supply of 20 units of Haemo-Dialysis Machines and 01 unit of RO Plant.

2. Indian Coast Guard Ship Sachet (ICG Ship Sachet) has arrived at Port de Djibouti at 0900 hrs on 06 March 2025 (Thursday) carrying a shipment containing humanitarian assistance from Government of India for the friendly people of Djibouti. The shipment contains 20 units of Haemo-Dialysis Machines and 01 unit of RO Plant including all the related equipments such as Feed Water Pump, Sand Filter with Auto Valve, Carbon Filter with Auto Valve, Water Softener with Auto Valve; RO Module Frame, Stainless steel tank of 1000 litres, PP Tank of 2000 litres, High Pressure Pump, Boosting Pump, Pipes and Fittings, Membrane, Ultra Filter CF and Consumable kit to be used for RO plant. The Haemo-Dialysis Machines will be placed at University Hospital of Djibouti (*Le Centre Hospitalier Universitaire de Djibouti - CHU*), Balbala Cheikho, Djibouti by a medical team from India in the near future.

3. On behalf of Government of India, Ambassador Mr. M. Keivom handed over the 20 units of Haemo-Dialysis Machines and 01 unit of RO Plant and consumables on 07 March 2025 to H.E. Minister of Health Mr. Ahmed Robleh Abdilleh for the friendly people of Djibouti. H.E. the Minister thanked the Government of India for the valuable gift of Haemo-Dialysis Machines. He emphasized that this medical assistance will help in rendering better medical care to increasing patients with renal failure in Djibouti including from the neighbouring countries. Ambassador of Djibouti to India Mr. Isse Abdillahi Assoweh; Director General of CHU Mr. Omar Ismael; Head of Nephrology of CHU Dr. Daher Abdoukarim; Djibouti Coast Guard officers and officials from Embassy of India were also present during the handing over ceremony.

4. Ambassador of India Mr. M. Keivom while highlighting the warm, friendly and strong relations, noted that the development cooperation between India and Djibouti is multi-dimensional. Emphasizing the bonds of affinity between the peoples of India and Djibouti, he expressed the solidarity and support of the people and Government of India to the friendly people and Government of Djibouti. The Ambassador mentioned that India is the largest producer and supplier of generic drugs and there is good scope for cooperation between India and Djibouti in pharmaceutical and health sector.

5. The gift of Hemo-dialysis machine in March 2025 has been preceded by gift of Medicines in 28 April 2021, reflecting continued support of the Government of India in bolstering the Government of Djibouti's efforts to build healthy Djibouti. India has also supplied 50 tons of food grains in November 2020. India has been committed to the socio-economic development of Djibouti through training programmes including in health sector vide Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC) courses and Indian Council of Cultural Relations (ICCR) scholarships of Government of India. This is also in line with India's time tested principle of "Vasudev Kutumbkam" i.e. World is one family and also guided by Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi's vision of South-South cooperation and keeping Africa on top priority.

Place: Djibouti

Dated: 7 March 2025