



Indian Diaspora Council International

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PRESS STATEMENT

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IDC Partners with NYC Comptroller's Resource Fair

The New York Chapter of the Indian Diaspora Council International (**IDC**) partnered with NYC Comptroller Scott Stringer's Community Resource Fair held on Saturday, September 29, 2018 from 11:00am to 3:00pm at the Rockaway Hall at Deshi Senior Center, 83-10 Rockaway Boulevard in Ozone Park, New York.

The event was held in conjunction with: US Congress Member Gregory Meeks, Congress Member Grace Meng, Senator Leroy Comrie, Senator Joseph Addabbo Jr, NYS Assembly Member David Weprin, NYS Assembly Member Daniel Rosenthal, NYS Assembly Member Vivian Cook, NYS Assembly Member Andrew Hevesi, NYS Assembly Member Mike Miller, NYC Council Member Karen Koslowitz, NYC Council Member Adrienne Adams, NYC Council Member Robert Holden, and others.

The objective was to:

- Learn about programs, resources and services that are available in your community such as immigration, senior services, youth services, healthcare, employment opportunities, legal services and much more
- Meet with City agencies and nonprofits about concerns facing your community and families.
- More than 30 organizations & city agencies attending with information and expert advice.

Partnering organizations include: Bangladeshi American Advocacy Group, Bangladeshi American Community Development & Youth Services, Caribbean Equality Project, India Home, Indian Diaspora Council (IDC), Indo-Caribbean Alliance, Interfaith Council for Community Development, Islamic Circle of North America, Islamic Relief, Sikh Cultural Society, The Sikh Coalition, The New York Immigration Coalition, Turning Point for Women and Families, Baba Makhan Shah Lobana Sikh Center

IDC officials at the IDC table with resource information include: Jhairam Persaud, Preneeta Punsammy, Ronald Lochan, Santram Dukhbanjan, Seopaul Singh and others.





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Indian Diaspora Council International (IDC), established in 1997, is an international non-profit organization with global affiliates and membership in 21 countries with the objective to embrace, engage, and enhance the shared heritage, aspirations, and interests of persons of Indian origin with optimum inclusivity.