

# THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA

## PREAMBLE

**WE, THE PEOPLE OF INDIA,**

having solemnly resolved to constitute India  
into a SOVEREIGN SOCIALIST SECULAR DEMOCRATIC

**REPUBLIC** and to secure to all its citizens:

**JUSTICE**, social, economic and political;

**LIBERTY** of thought, expression, belief, faith and worship;

**EQUALITY** of status and of opportunity;

and to promote among them all

**FRATERNITY** assuring the dignity of the individual and

the unity and integrity of the Nation;

WE DO HEREBY GIVE TO OURSELVES THIS  
CONSTITUTION.

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