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Dear Mr Pandey,

We write to share with you and the South Australian Indian community our best wishes for Indian Independence Day.

For many members of the South Australian Indian community, this important day is not just about commemorating India's independence from British rule in 1947. It is also an important celebration of Indian culture, community and spirit. It is a day that is filled with great pride.

South Australia and India enjoy deep and friendly relations, strengthened by enduring economic, social and cultural ties. It is this connection that enables South Australia and India to work together and build opportunities and partnerships for the future.

We acknowledge this has been a challenging time for us here in Australia and globally with the impact of COVID-19. We take this opportunity to wish your networks and communities here and in India the very best for a joyful Indian Independence Day celebration.

Yours sincerely,

Hon Steven Marshall MP  
PREMIER OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA

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Hon Jing Lee MLC  
ASSISTANT MINISTER TO THE PREMIER

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