



High Commission of India
Canberra

PRESS RELEASE

The High Commissioner of India, Sujatha Singh and Consul General of India in Melbourne, Anita Nayar, met Acting Premier of Victoria, Rob Hulls and Deputy Commissioner of Victoria Police, Kieran Walshe on 7 January, 2010 in connection with the tragic death of Mr. Nitin Garg on 2 January.

The High Commissioner conveyed the concerns of the Government of India regarding the incident. She discussed the progress of the investigation into Mr. Nitin Garg's death and the steps being taken by the Police in Victoria to assure the safety and well being of the Indian community in Melbourne.

The Acting Premier outlined the measures being taken by the Victorian government to address the issue and assured that *"the police were doing everything within their power to find the perpetrator of this heinous crime."*

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