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Subject: A Tribute to Dr. Krishnaswamy Kasturirangan.

Dr. Krishnaswamy Kasturirangan, an eminent scientist, educator, and architect of modern

India's education reforms left an indelible mark on the two critical pillars of India's

growth:

Space Exploration and Education.

Born on October 24, 1940, in Ernakulam, Kerala,

Dr. Kasturirangan's life was a testament to intellectual rigor, visionary leadership, and an

unwavering commitment to nation-building.

•As the architect of the National Education Policy

(NEP) 2020, his contributions to education, driven by a vision for holistic, inclusive, and

forward-looking learning, have reshaped India's educational landscape.

Beyond his stellar

achievements in space science, Dr. Kasturirangan's role in education policy formulation and

institutional leadership reflects his commitment to fostering knowledge and innovation for

national development.

•In view of above, it is desired that our students, teachers and stakeholders should know

about him, and his contribution to the nation building as a role model.

Accordingly we are sharing the below write-up

about Dr. Krishnaswamy Kasturirangan (in English and Hindi) alongwith a portrait is

enclosed.

Thank you