

IICDEM-2026: ECI holds Bilateral Meetings with Heads of 32 EMBs

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1. Chief Election Commissioner of India, Shri Gyanesh Kumar, along with Election Commissioners Dr. Sukhbir Singh Sandhu and Dr. Vivek Joshi **held bilateral meetings with Heads of 32 Election Management Bodies (EMBs)** on the sidelines of the India International Conference on Democracy and Election Management (IICDEM)-2026 today.
2. A wide range of global electoral experiences and innovations were discussed during the bilateral meetings. These engagements aimed to further strengthen India's longstanding partnerships in election management and democratic cooperation.
3. During the interactions, India offered to collaborate with the EMBs to help them developing technology platforms similar to ECINET in their respective countries as per their own laws. India also offered to provide training support to the election officials of the EMBs through the India International Institute of Democracy and Election Management (IIIDEM).
4. While appreciating the ECINET digital platform, many EMBs evinced interest in collaborating with India for adopting similar technological solutions in their respective countries.
5. The bilateral meetings set the tone for high-level global dialogue on the future of democracy and electoral governance. It will also further India's overarching theme for the Chairship of International IDEA – 'Democracy for inclusive, peaceful, resilient and sustainable world'.
6. Bilateral meetings with the EMBs of the following countries were held today:

S. No.	Country Name	S. No.	Country Name
1.	Mauritius	17.	Czech Republic
2.	Mexico	18.	Albania
3.	Indonesia	19.	Guyana
4.	Portugal	20.	Uzbekistan
5.	Peru	21.	Fiji
6.	The Philippines	22.	Maldives
7.	South Africa	23.	USA
8.	Tunisia	24.	Zambia
9.	Namibia	25.	Georgia
10.	Mongolia	26.	Kyrgyzstan
11.	Uruguay	27.	Suriname
12.	Estonia	28.	Seychelles
13.	Botswana	29.	Sri Lanka
14.	Cameroon	30.	Kazakhstan
15.	Bhutan	31.	Nigeria
16.	United Kingdom	32.	Ireland

7. Meetings with the remaining Heads of EMBs will take place tomorrow.

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