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**Press Release**

**Chandigarh, March 7:- The Punjab Governor and Administrator, UT, Chandigarh, Mr. Shivraj V. Patil, has called for a serious introspection and action oriented approach at all levels, for the emancipation and empowerment of women by implementing the various Legal & legislative measures, through an institutional and responsive system.**

**In a message on the eve of International Women's Day, Mr. Patil said that women have a multi-dimensional role in our social system and make a significant contribution in the process of development in every field of endeavour. Today, women have fought all odds in the society and are emerging stronger and making their mark in many fields. They are daring, challenging and capable in every sense. Still, we should be more responsive to the issues concerning women and to tackle the problems faced by them on a priority basis in our day to day life.**

**The Governor appealed to all NGOs, social activists, the media and government functionaries alike, to pool their efforts and to jointly strive in safeguarding the interests of women. Let us renew our pledge on this day, to work collectively with commitment and dedication for the upliftment of women and to make them equal partners in our homes and society at large.**