

## ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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(Phoenix) Arizona Corporation Commission welcomes a prominent member of India's parliament to Arizona.

The Honorable Dushyant Chautala, will attend the Arizona House of Representatives floor session Monday February 20<sup>th</sup>. Member of Parliament (MP) Chautala is the youngest MP in India's History and has represented the Hisar Lok Sabha constituency in North India in the Indian Parliament since 2014.

The U.S. is one of India's top trading partners. According to the Embassy of India, total bilateral trade between India and the U.S. increased from \$20 billion in 2000 to over \$109 billion in 2015.

"Arizona has benefited from having strong ties with India and will continue to benefit as these relationships continue to grow," said Chairman of the Arizona Corporation Commission Tom Forese. "It is our distinct privilege to welcome the youngest member of Parliament in India's rich cultural history, and we hope that he will enjoy his visit to the Grand Canyon State and tell his fellow leaders when he returns that Arizona is open for business."

Chairman Forese will meet with MP Chautala on Monday.

Established by Article 15 of the state's constitution, the Arizona Corporation Commission is responsible for the regulation of public utilities, overseeing the incorporation or registration of companies wishing to do business in Arizona. Additionally, the Corporation Commission registers and oversees securities offerings and dealers, and enforces railroad and pipeline safety. The five commissioners that make up the Commission are elected by the people of Arizona for a four-year term, with the option of serving for two consecutive terms. To learn more about the Arizona Corporation Commission and the Commissioners, please check out <a href="http://www.azcc.gov/Divisions/Administration/about.asp">http://www.azcc.gov/Divisions/Administration/about.asp</a>