

SIR DORABJI TATA TRUST

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14th August 1991.

Dear *Dr. Swaminathan,*

Sir Dorab Tata, the elder son of the Founder of the Tata Organisation, Jamsetji Tata, left the whole of his fortune in a philanthropic endowment, now called the Sir Dorabji Tata Trust, registered in 1932. Among the objects of this Trust are the establishment and maintenance of educational institutions, succour to the victims of natural calamities, support to educational activities, especially in the areas of medicine, science, technology and the arts and humanities. The Sir Dorabji Tata Trust has so far promoted five pioneering institutions of national importance, the Tata Institute of Social Sciences, the Tata Memorial Centre for Cancer Research and Treatment, the Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, the National Centre for the Performing Arts and the National Institute for Advanced Studies.

I have much pleasure in communicating to you the unanimous decision of the Trustees to appoint you, if you agree, a Trustee of the Sir Dorabji Tata Trust. On receiving your consent and acceptance of this invitation, a formal resolution relating to your appointment will be adopted at the next meeting of the Board of Trustees.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely

J.R.D. Tata

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CHAIRMAN

Dr. M.S. Swaminathan, *F.R.S.*
MADRAS

August 19, 1991

Dear

I am grateful for your letter of August 14, 1991, inviting me to join as a Trustee of the Sir Dorabji Tata Trust. It is a privilege to serve on the Board of this great Trust which stands as an affirming flame in a sea of despair. Hence, I have pleasure in accepting your kind invitation.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,



M. S. Swaminathan

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