

INDIAN NATIONAL CONGRESS AT CROSS ROADS

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ABSTRACT

The paper makes an effort to address the political organization of India before independence and delineates as to the how the organization such as congress became the dominant force in Indian political scenario after independence. Mr. Nehru is even believed to have argued that Congress party should have been dismissed after India attained independence. The most fascinating factor stands that people of India associated the country with congress which helped the party to yield the fruits for decades in the name of Freedom and freedom fighters. The dominance was huge that Rajni Kothari described Indian polity as “Congress system”. The paper tries to evaluate as to how Indian shifts from the congress system to “non- congress” system. On the grounds of research, facts and history one has to acknowledge India lives in politics of competition not legacy.

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