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Respected Anna Hazare Ji,

The Cambridge University India Society would like to express, on behalf of the Indian students studying at the University of Cambridge, our full solidarity and support in the campaign you have launched against corruption in India.

We thank you for initiating a much needed pro-active movement demanding immediate action against mounting levels of corruption in all levels of Indian society, an issue which adversely affects the day-to-day life of every single Indian and retards the progress of our country. You have shown the way for young Indians like us who are disillusioned with the system to demonstrate our repressed anger against corruption and express our strong disapproval to the ineffective way in which it is dealt with.

We are thoroughly supportive of a participative process in which members of civil society shall work alongside members to government to finalise the Lokpal Bill. We also strongly urge the Government of India to start this process with immediate effect, and to legislate the Lokpal Bill thus produced without any undue delay. We are glad to inform you that we have written a letter to the Hon'ble Prime Minister to this effect.

Some of us will be observing a day-long fast on Sunday 10th of April as a mark of our solidarity with this campaign. On the same day, we will also be debating the relative merits and de-merits of both the government proposed Lokpal Bill and the people backed Jan Lokpal Bill in a student forums.

Like the rest of the country, the Indian students at Cambridge stand shoulder to shoulder with you in this fight against Corruption and will persist in our stand until the Government addresses this issue adequately.

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