

**Loka Kerala Sabha Regional Conference:
Chief Minister to address the Malayalee Diaspora in the Middle East**

The Chief Minister of Kerala Pinarayi Vijayan will address the Non-Resident Keralaites in the Middle East in the inauguration of regional conference of the Loka Kerala Sabha to be held in Dubai on 15 and 16 February 2019. The public meeting is scheduled to be held at 7 pm at Etisalat Academy on 15 February 2019.

The conference shall also be attended by P. Sreeramakrishnan, Hon. Speaker; Ramesh Chennithala, Leader of opposition; Tom Jose IAS, Chief Secretary; Dr. K. Ellangovan IAS, NORKA Principal Secretary; P. T. Kunhimammed, Pravasi Welfare Board chairman; K. Varadarajan, NORKA ROOTS Resident Vice Chairman; K. Harikrishnan Namboothiri, NORKA ROOTS Chief Executive Officer.

The conference is hosted by the Loka Kerala Sabha members of the gulf region. There shall be cultural events that showcase the heritage and diversity of Kerala. This regional conference shall also be the curtain raiser to the second Loka Kerala Sabha conference to be held at the Legislative Assembly Complex in Thiruvananthapuram in January 2020.

Loka Kerala Sabha was constituted in order to facilitate the unity and co-operation of the Malayalee diasporas all over the world and for the cultural, social and economic development of Kerala. The first Loka Kerala Sabha conference was held on 12 and 13 January, 2018 at the Legislative Assembly Complex in Thiruvananthapuram.

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