## DPA OBSERVED BLACKDAY TO PROTEST UNPRECEDENTED HIKE IN RAW MATERIAL PRICES on 22.03.2021

Members are well aware that ever since October last year prices of raw materials of printing, especially the costliest input Paper, have been rising sharply at short intervals and devastating the print business and threatening its mere survival. Since this is a national issue Delhi Printers' Association appealed to the All India Federation of Master Printers to approach the Central government to intervene in this serious matter and bring about a suitable relief Immediately.

On a call given by AIFMP, through its affiliate associations, all the printers throughout the country observed March 22, 2021 as a Black Day by wearing black ribbons and sent such photos to their respective associations. As desired by AIFMP, printers' associations forwarded all these photos to the apex body to enable it to take necessary action of drawing the attention of the government to the strong protest registered by the printing industry against the unabated hikes.

The President of AIFMP has sent a message to DPA stating: "Thank you for observing 22nd March as Black Day. With your support the protest remained a huge success".

Photos of DPA Members Observing Black Day:







































