

**Sanjay Seth**  
**Minister of State for Defence**  
**Government of India**



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**Educational Qualification**

**Schooling** : St. John's High School, Ranchi  
**Graduation** : B.Com  
**Post-graduation** : PG Diploma in Business Administration from Delhi  
Institute of Management and Services, Delhi  
**Law degree** : LLB from Chotanagpur Law College, Ranchi University  
**Interest** : Social service  
**Social work** : Actively involved in social service for about 45 years

**Key Responsibilities**

From June 2024 : Re-elected as Member of Parliament (Lok Sabha) from Ranchi (Jharkhand), (Second term)  
2019-2024 : Member of Parliament (Lok Sabha), Ranchi, Jharkhand  
2016-2019 : Chairman, Jharkhand State Khadi Village Industries Board  
2000 - 2006 : Member, Local Board, State Bank of India, Bihar- Jharkhand  
(Two term)  
2000 : President, Federation of Jharkhand Chamber of Commerce and Industries

## **Political activities**

Won the Student Union elections from Vidyarthi Parishad in 1976.

Active member of Bharatiya Janata Party from the first day of its formation.

Year 1980 : General Secretary, Bharatiya Janata Yuva Morcha, Ranchi Nagar.

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Year 1982-85 : Convenor, Janata Vidyarthi Morcha, Ranchi University.

Year 1986 : Senior Vice President, BJP, Ranchi.

Year 1988 : Organising Secretary, BJP, Ranchi.

Year 1990 : President, Bharatiya Janata Party, Ranchi.

Year 1996 : State Gen Secretary, Bharatiya Janata Yuva Morcha, Jharkhand State.

Year 2001 : State Spokesperson, BJP Jharkhand State.

Year 2001 : Co-convenor, Aajivan Sahyog Nidhi, BJP, Jharkhand State.

Year 2003 : President, Bharatiya Janata Party, Ranchi Mahanagar.

Year 2007 : President, Nagar Nikay Prakosht, BJP, Jharkhand State.

Year 2009 : State Spokesperson, BJP, Jharkhand State.

Year 2011 : State Spokesperson, BJP, Jharkhand State.

Year 2013 : Convenor, Namu Mantra Jharkhand.

## **Social Activities**

1980 : Former Central President, “**Yuva Shakti Ek Ho**”.

1984-1992 : Honorary Secretary, Ranchi Motor Dealers Association.

1993 : President, Ranchi Motor Dealers Association.

1996 : Honorary Secretary, Chotanagpur Chamber of Commerce and Industries, Ranchi.

1997-98 : Honorary Secretary, Chotanagpur Chamber of Commerce and Industries, Ranchi.

1998-2004 : Honorary Secretary, Jharkhand State Parents Association.

1999 : Senior Vice President, Chotanagpur Chamber of Commerce and Industries, Ranchi.

2003 : President, Lions Club of Ranchi Capital.  
2005 : Vice President, Jharkhand Olympic Association.  
2005 : Vice Chairman, Organizing Committee, Run for Jharkhand National Game (JOA)  
Lifetime Member, Red Cross Society.  
Chief Patron, Sri Krishna Janmotsav Samiti.  
Former Coordinator, Jharkhand Civil Society.  
Former President, Jharkhand Ped Parivar.  
Chief Patron, Namu Kite Festival.  
Former President, Manav Vikas Seva Samiti.  
Life Member, All India Vaishya Maha Sammelan.

### **Other Political Activities**

- During the arrest of Hon'ble Shri Lal Krishna Advani Ji in 1990, I was also arrested from Ranchi and was imprisoned in Ranchi Central Jail.
- On 6 December 1992, I had the honour of serving as a Karsevak in Ayodhya.
- Arrested several times during emergency and student life movements, participated in Jail Bharo movement during foreign wheat emergency.
- Stayed in Birsa Munda Central Jail as part of the movement for solving public problems, in January 2013.

### **Social Initiatives**

- **Namo Book Bank** - Inspired by the Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi Ji, 3.79 lakh books have been collected so far through this initiative, out of which 02 lakh 90 thousand books have been distributed among 80,000 students.
- **Namo Toy Bank** – Inspired by the Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi Ji, under this initiative, more than 1,15,000 toys have been distributed to Anganwadi centres in remote rural areas of Jharkhand.
- **Namo E – Library** – Ranchi Namu E–Library and Cyber Peace Community Centre aimed at enhancing digital literacy and cyber security skills among youth. This initiative is dedicated to empowering every section of the society through access to global knowledge and technical education to contribute to a developed India by the year 2047.