Media Release

Subject: Namibian diplomats to hone their skills further under India-Namibia Partnership

20 Namibian diplomats would be leaving for India shortly to undergo a two-week special course beginning December 1, 2019, being organised by the Foreign Service Institute (FSI) of India to further hone their diplomatic skills.

2. At FSI, the diplomats will learn more about the standard tools of diplomacy such as public speaking, diplomatic protocol, negotiation skills, diplomatic communication, multilateralism, international law and economic diplomacy by eminent experts and practitioners. They would also get an inside view of the functioning of Indian diplomacy through meetings with senior officials and visits to key institutions. There will also be sessions on topical issues such as agriculture and food security, International Solar Alliance, UN, climate change, and international environmental issues. They would also get a glimpse of India and its close partnership with Namibia and Africa.

3. FSI is India’s premier training institution that has trained diplomats of India as also of a large number of partner countries since 1986. It has a Memorandum of Understanding for mutual cooperation with Namibia’s Ministry of International Relations and Cooperation since 2005.

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In picture: Namibian diplomats who will be visiting India for specialized training are seen with High Commissioner of India H.E. Mr Prashant Agrawal for a briefing, along with Ms Rebecca Iyambo, Deputy Executive Director and other senior officials of MIRCO.