



## From the Chairman's Desk

**Dear Colleagues,**

I am delighted to announce the launch of the ninth Tata Volunteering Week 9 (TVW 9) on March 3rd, 2018 on the occasion of the 179th birth anniversary of our Founder, Jamsetji Tata. Since 2014, our group-wide volunteering programme, Tata Engage has witnessed eight very successful volunteering editions with tens of thousands of Tata employees, their family members and retired Tata colleagues dedicating their time to support a variety of causes.

Last year, it was a matter of pleasure and pride for all of us that we together achieved more than 1.2 million volunteering hours, placing Tata Engage amongst the top 10 corporate volunteering programmes in the world.

As we celebrate the 150th anniversary of the Tata group this year, I believe that our ability to make an impact in the community through volunteering will continue to increase in reach and scale.

I hope all of us will take some time out of our busy schedules and contribute our time for a social cause that we believe in.

I look forward to your support and participation in TVW 9.

Warm Regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'N. Chandrasekaran', with a horizontal line underneath.

**N. Chandrasekaran**