

'When even sky is not the limit'

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The missile man APJ Abdul kalam dreamt and inspired ISRO to leave no stone unturned to explore moon. He, far away, somewhere in the sky, must be smiling to see the Chandrayaan-3 tearing the clouds and heading towards the moon!

On July 14th , another lunar mission Chandrayaan-3 was launched from Satish Dhawan Space Centre in Sriharikota, Andhra Pradesh, India.

This mission is a great comeback after the heart-breaking failure of Chandrayaan-2. I still remember the face of K.Sivan, chief of ISRO at that time who could not fight back his tears, when the Vikram lander crashed on the surface of moon on 22nd July 2016.

The failure of the mission can be seen as the source of two benefits- one, the team learn what couldn't work and second, the team got an opportunity to try new approach.

Chandrayaan-3 hopes to put behind the failure of Chandrayaan-2. Important improvements have been made in the design to ensure that the mission is a success this time.

The Chandrayaan-3 mission will make India the first country to safely land a space craft on the moon's south pole. The mission has the potential to attract investment and boost India's private space sector.

I wish the mission to be a great success and a reason for 142 crores of us to feel proud of our nation.



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