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GRASSROOT TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY: EXPANDING GOVERNANCE EXPLORING OPPORTUNITIES

The Indian mainland is marked by immense diversity. And it is this diversity which has found its way into the organisational structures as well. Where on one hand, the smaller business entities are expanding their footprint in the overall growth; true development will find its footing by way of long-term measures, wherein the smallest of groups of the nation are best governed.

“True democracy is not just about casting a vote, but about active participation in local Governance”

- Mahatma Gandhi

With the aim of understanding the diverse forms of entities as well as local governance authorities as well as their need for good governance, the upcoming edition of the Chartered Secretary Journal, we are pleased to inform you that the May 2025 issue of Chartered Secretary Journal will be devoted to the theme **Grassroot Transparency and Accountability: Expanding Governance Exploring Opportunities** covering *inter alia* the following aspects:

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- ❖ CSR & Rural Governance: a collaborative approach
- ❖ Social Audit: A potent tool in Promoting transparency & Accountability at Grassroots
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