

MODI TO DISCUSS NEW INDIA PLANS IN MEET TODAY

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NEW DELHI: PM Narendra Modi is likely to shed some light on the government's New India initiative during his first-ever interaction with district magistrates on August 9, the 75th anniversary of the Quit India Movement.

In the past two years, Modi has frequently used the term 'New India' while referring to the government's policy of taking "bold and innovative decisions".

He is expected to further expound on this on Wednesday, ahead of his Independence Day speech next week. This will also be the first interaction between the Prime Minister and district magistrates across the country through video-conferencing in many years now. The meeting also aims to deliver Modi's message directly to the grassroots levels of bureaucracy.