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The Sports Journalists' Federation of India (SJFI) expresses profound grief over the sudden demise of veteran sports journalist Shri Santosh Suri of Lucknow today morning due to a heart attack.

Santosh Suri served with distinction at The Times of India till his retirement and remained active as a contributor to Mid-Day. He was also a fine cricketer who regularly participated in JK Bose cricket and represented North Zone as an opening bowler with his precise inswingers.

We pay tribute to his long and meaningful contribution to sports journalism and the game of cricket.

SJFI stands in solidarity with his bereaved family.

May his soul attain sadgati and rest in eternal peace.

With deepest condolences,

Yours Sincerely

A handwritten signature in brown ink that reads 'Saraju Chakraborty'.

Saraju Chakraborty
President, SJFI
Agartala

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'V. Ramesh'.

V. Ramesh
Secretary, SJFI
Hyderabad