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Sahitya Akademi, India's National Academy of Letters, condemns all attacks on writers, thinkers and poets not only in India but all over the world. Sahitya Akademi is an organization of writers for writers, an institution guided solely by writers. It is with great pain that we received the news of threat to Sri Damodar Mauzo ji, Sahitya Akademi Award winner and distinguished Konkani writer and scholar and also on other writers in different regions. Sahitya Akademi strongly condemns these attacks and stand behind the writers' community of India.

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