## Changes in the Presidentships of the Samaj between 1973 and 1983

Shri R. Venkataraman continued as President of the Samaj till the end of January, 1980. On his appointment as a Union Minister, following high traditions, he entrusted the office of Presidentship of the Samaj in the hands of Shri T.Swaminathan I.C.S. Senior most Vice President with the designation of the Chairman, Board of Management. Due to failing health, Shri T.Swaminathan had to relinquish his office as the Chairman, Board of Management in May 1983. Shri R. Venkataraman, R. V. Subrahmanian. I. A. 5. to which the latter gave his consent. On the 8" of May, 1983, Shri R.V. Subrah-manian was elected as. President. Simultaneously, Shri R. Venkatararnan of of Patron-in-Chief, which office he is holding till today with dignity and distinction. Under the able and constant guidance of the Patron-in Chief who had built a strong foundation for the Samaj, Shri R.V. Subrahmanian has brought to bear on his to office, his long administrative experience, and to consolidate the gains so far achieved and carry forward the good work of his predecessors in office. For that purpose, a well modulated administrative system in the Samaj, has been built based upon broad consensus amongst the members of the Board of Management. Constant emphasis has been laid to thereupon, requested Shri improving the infrastructure base, follow an enlightened assume the office of the labour relations policy President of the Samaj to towards the employees, thereby, enabling the Samaj agreed to assume the office to provide a host of conveniences to the devotees all these years This has been a continuing process. Progressively, increasing number devotees belonging to all classes of the public are thronging the temple complex every day, thereby, - increasing its sanctity and dignity. Consequently there has been an improvement in the finances of the Samaj, enabling it expand the complex make it an integrated one. The more important of the various developments are outlined in the succeeding paragraphs.