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Message by Chairperson

At the outset, I would like to wish all the readers a very happy and prosperous New Year 2023. I wish good health and happiness to each one of you and your colleagues.

In this celebratory spirit of the New Year, I am happy to share that SCOPE celebrates its 50th years in 2023. This milestone not only makes us reminisce the journey traversed so far, but also makes us proud of a rich legacy that this organisation has created so far. This journey would not have been possible without the positive contribution of the PSEs and their leadership. Considering the PSE ecosystem of this great country, I am sure this organisation will keep on shining in the future also.

It is a moment of great pride for all the citizens of the country, as India recently assumed the G-20 presidency, with the theme of Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam (One Earth, One Family, One Future). During our G20 Presidency, the country will be using its age-old wisdom, experiences, learnings to help find pragmatic solutions for global wellbeing. Public Sector Enterprises (PSEs) being nation builders, will continue to showcase the country's socio-economic progress.

As PSEs remain significant contributors to country's economic development, the recently published Public Enterprises Survey 2021-22, by the Department of Public Enterprises (DPE), mentions a significant improvement in the overall performance of CPSEs during Financial Year

(FY) 2021-22. The Overall Net Profit of operating CPSEs during FY 2021-22 stood at Rs. 2.49 lakh crore as against Rs. 1.65 lakh crore during FY 2020-21 showing an increase of over 50%.

SCOPE as the apex body has been spearheading multi-pronged efforts to highlight the various initiatives undertaken by PSEs and acting as facilitator on several issues. We have, in the recently held 48th Annual General Meeting, decided to explore new avenues to expand our work arena and create value for our organisation. I thank all our members for their incessant support and request them to help take SCOPE to greater heights.

SCOPE is also in the process of undertaking collaborations that will facilitate creating awareness towards pivotal health issues in the country, while our work in areas of climate change, leadership, women empowerment, digitisation amongst others continue. Over the past few years, SCOPE has also focused on global representation of Indian PSEs. We are determined to keep up this effort to highlight the intellectual equity of Indian PSEs.

KALEIDOSCOPE, SCOPE's monthly journal has been encapsulating the activities of PSEs over the last four decades and as the organisation enters its golden jubilee year, we will endeavour to be better, more informative and be a holistic mouthpiece of PSEs.

I encourage our readers to take a glimpse of SCOPE's year gone by, in a short encapsulation featured in this issue of the magazine. I once again wish our readers good health and good times.

Soma Mondal
Chairperson, SCOPE

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With a view to expedite settlement of disputes and reduce avoidable expenditure by PSEs, a need was felt by Standing Conference of Public Enterprises (SCOPE), an Apex Body of Public Sector Enterprises, to institutionalize the prevailing system of arbitration which led to formation of SFCA in 2003. The forum was formally inaugurated by Shri Santosh Gangwar, the then Hon'ble Minister of State for Heavy Industries & Public Enterprises and Parliamentary Affairs at SCOPE Complex on 9th January 2004.

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Director General's Desk

Happy New year to all our readers! The advent of the New Year 2023, marks a momentous occasion for SCOPE as we enter our 50th year. At this anvil of change we look forward to a year full of new opportunities and collaborations with national and international partners, to transcend newer heights of excellence.

The year gone by was not only one of great learning, but further aspired us to inspire change in everything we do. SCOPE recently held its Annual General Meeting, enumerating the activities of SCOPE, reflecting on efforts undertaken and aiming to improvise our learnings and move ahead step by step to achieve our goals.

Internationally, we are being invited at pertinent forums to represent PSEs view and as part of this we were recently invited by Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) to participate in the Meeting of Asia Pacific Network on Corporate Governance of SOEs held in Jakarta. I got the opportunity to address participants on the future revision of the SOE Guidelines.

Further more, SCOPE represented Employers' Group at the tripartite validation workshop organized by International Labour Organization and also participated in final Decent Work Country Programme signing. The Decent Work Country Programme 2023-27 was signed by Ministry of Labour & Employment, ILO, United Nations and representatives of workers and employers including SCOPE.

As capacity building is a key cornerstone of SCOPE's endeavours, the Department of Public Enterprises (DPE) recently associated with SCOPE to organize a 'Workshop on Procurement by CPSEs from Micro and Small enterprises (MSEs)'. The program received an enthusiastic

response and we are certain of conducting more such workshops soon for the benefit of the fraternity.

In today's uncertain times, maintaining overall wellness remains a challenge. SCOPE has been continuously associating itself with renowned medical professionals while deliberating and bringing awareness on pertinent health issues.

It was my pleasure to meet Dr. Deepak Chopra, World Wellness Icon, who has in the past been associated with SCOPE for a program on unleashing one's true potential and brief him about SCOPE's various activities. We look forward to associating with Dr. Chopra who is an icon in the world of wellness.

SCOPE has always believed that PSEs play an enormous role invigorating talent in the country. Even in sports right from providing infrastructure, to equipping them, PSEs are training talents even in the remotest of corners of the country. As part of our attempt to encourage talent in PSEs, through activities, I recently inaugurated the 1st PSU Badminton Tournament by PSU Media Connect and was happy to meet such promising talent in the fraternity.

At SCOPE we have always believed in taking on new challenges, as every new day, is a new opportunity. As a learning organisation, we believe 2023 will be a great time to propel our efforts and take novel initiatives with the support of our members in making it a memorable year.

Let us all come together and make 2023 truly, the golden year of SCOPE's journey.

Programmes & Initiatives launched (since last issue of KALEIDOSCOPE)
DPE-SCOPE Workshop on Procurement by CPSEs from MSEs & through GeM- 21 st December, 2022
48 th Annual General Meeting of SCOPE – 22 nd December, 2022
Programmes & Initiatives in offing
SCOPE celebrates Republic Day– 26 th January, 2023
SCOPE pays tribute to Mahatma Gandhi on Martyrs' Day – 30 th January, 2023
Workshop on Leadership Development for Women Executives
MoU between SCOPE & GIZ, Germany

Atul Sobti
Atul Sobti

Director General, SCOPE

SCOPE organises 48th Annual General Meeting

Envisions New commitments & pathways

SCOPE hosted its 48th Annual General Meeting (AGM) which was addressed by Smt. Soma Mondal, Chairperson, SCOPE & Chairman, SAIL; Shri Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE and Shri Pradip Kumar Das, Vice-Chairman, SCOPE & CMD, IREDA on 22nd December, 2022

The meeting was held in hybrid mode and was attended by CMDs, Directors and Senior officials of PSEs. The AGM highlighted SCOPE's endeavours, newer pathways and concerted efforts towards Policy Advocacy which included interactions and suggestions on various matters with policy makers, research and collaborations with national and international bodies and capacity building through various workshops and seminars.

During the AGM, focus was also drawn upon SCOPE's association with Government Departments in organizing nation-wide events earmarking Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav (AKAM) celebrations, while providing data information on pertinent areas like women, skilling, apprenticeship etc. The AGM also reflected SCOPE's commitment to benchmark PSEs at the global level by participating in international forums like International Labour Organization; OECD; United Nations; International Organisation of Employers etc. The work of SCOPE in pertinent areas of



(from L to R) Shri Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE; Smt. Soma Mondal, Chairperson, SCOPE & Chairman, SAIL and Shri Pradip Kumar Das, Vice-Chairman, SCOPE & CMD, IREDA during the 48th AGM.

Climate Change, Leadership Development, Skilling, Digital Transformation etc. were also showcased.

Addressing the AGM, Smt. Soma Mondal, said that the past year has been very eventful for SCOPE. The varied activities that SCOPE has engaged in have been very fruitful for not only the brand building of SCOPE, but also for paving way ahead for important brainstorming and policy advocacy. She added that with the growing confidence in the global business environment, SCOPE also aligned its activities so as to further the interests of PSEs and furthered its Policy Advocacy efforts through representations to various authorities on multiple issues and concerns of PSEs. SCOPE also

intensified its efforts for Capacity Building in PSEs on pertinent subjects of Climate Change, Leadership, Skilling, Digital Transformation, SCOPE has adopted a collaborative approach by partnering with nationally and internationally renowned organisations, academicians and institutions to undertake study and research on relevant subjects for the PSEs.

She further mentioned all the activities undertaken by SCOPE including SCOPE AKAM Mega celebration activities, upskilling of PSEs on green skills, SCOPE's endeavours towards Women Empowerment, Health and Wellness, Skilling, the various programs organised, facilitating PSEs through robust infrastructure among others.

Looking ahead, Smt. Mondal added that SCOPE is committed in enabling a constructive and conducive environment for PSEs through its initiatives and earnestly requested all the member PSEs to repose their faith in SCOPE and actively engage in its varied endeavours.

Shri Atul Sobti welcomed the participants joining physically and virtually during the 48th AGM of SCOPE. Calling it a year of SCOPE widening its horizons, he said that as the country rebounded to growth and momentum, SCOPE also embarked on its journey strengthening PSEs and empowering them for playing a definitive role in New India. Adding that the year 2021-22 has been particularly important for SCOPE as it saw increased engagement of the apex body with Government and statutory bodies and the international community, emphasising on the strong and proactive policy advocacy efforts, he reflected on the various activities undertaken by SCOPE aiming to create a niche for itself not only nationally but also internationally. He mentioned the various activities undertaken by SCOPE aim to get due recognition for PSEs and their integrated role in the social-economic framework of



the country. As part of this, he also mentioned the short film on 'PSEs for AatmaNirbhar Bharat', prepared by SCOPE, released by Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor of Ladakh, Shri R. K. Mathur in the presence of Shri Y. K. Sinha, Chief Information Commissioner, Central Information Commission (CIC) during SCOPE's National Meet on RTI at Ladakh.

Drawing attention to the various activities of SCOPE, DG, SCOPE mentioned the various important meetings with policy makers, collaboration with academia, institutes for capacity building of PSEs, highlighting efforts of PSEs towards Climate Change Mitigation and SCOPE's multifarious approach to research and studies.

He also mentioned the CEO Roundtable organised during the

AKAM Mega week in association with DPE that brought together 40 CMDs/CEOs of PSEs to deliberate on the 'Role of CPSEs towards a Self-Reliant India.' SCOPE's representation and nomination to important National Committees and Boards and its growing pertinence on important forums and how exploring new avenues, has helped SCOPE grow into an Inspiring, Innovative and Impactful apex body of PSEs in India, he added.

Offering a concise look at the activities of SCOPE during 2021-22, a film encapsulating SCOPE's activities was showcased during the AGM. The 48th AGM of SCOPE, not only reflected on activities of SCOPE during the period, but also discussed the future outlook of SCOPE, stepping into its 50th Year, in 2023.



CMDs, Directors and Senior officials of PSEs during AGM

SCOPE participates in OECD'S Meeting of Asia Pacific Network on Corporate Governance of SOEs

The organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development OECD, in association with the Ministry of State-Owned Enterprises of Indonesia (BUMN) and Asian Development Bank, organized the 15th meeting of the Asia-Pacific Network on Corporate Governance of State-owned enterprises in Jakarta, Indonesia from 08th-09th December, 2022.

The meeting brought together policy makers and experts from participating countries on a common platform to discuss and address the challenges pertaining to State-Owned Enterprise (SOE) ownership and governance. The experts also discussed the SOE corporate governance policy frameworks and practices; and how these align with the OECD Guidelines on Corporate Governance of State-Owned Enterprises (SOE Guidelines).

The two-day meeting deliberated on various aspects of Corporate Governance, wherein representatives from different countries highlighted best practices of Corporate Governance and also discussed on issues of climate change, corruption, SOE Guidelines amongst others.

In this regard, Shri Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE, was also invited to join the meeting and address the 'Consultation session on the Future Revision of the SOE Guidelines.' The SOE Guidelines, first adopted by the OECD in 2005, is subjected to be further



Shri Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE along with other dignitaries during OECD's Meeting of Asia-Pacific Network on Corporate Governance of State-Owned Enterprises.

revised in early 2023, from its last revision in 2015.

DG, SCOPE gave his perspective on the direction in which the future revision of the SOE Guidelines could take place.

DG, SCOPE spoke about how to make things more objective, and deliberated upon definition of SOEs and applicability of guidelines, state to provide specific public policy, code of conduct and fair evaluation criteria of SOEs, strengthening SOEs through level playing

field, skill development and Board diversity, disclosure of future outlook and effective use of digital technologies for better transparency, SOEs to be sensitive towards environment and social aspects to ensure sustainable development etc.

The session was moderated by Mr. Hans Christiansen, Deputy Head, Corporate Governance and Corporate Finance Division, OECD, with participants from Asian Development Bank and World Bank as panellist in the session.



DG, SCOPE addressing the 'Consultation session on the Future Revision of the SOE Guidelines'.

Department of Public Enterprises in association with SCOPE, organises 'Workshop on Procurement by CPSEs from MSEs'

Department of Public Enterprises (DPE), in association with SCOPE, organised a 'Workshop on Procurement by CPSEs from Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs)' on 21st December, 2022 at SCOPE Auditorium, New Delhi.

Shri B.B. Swain, IAS, Secretary, Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises; Shri Animesh Bharti, Economic Adviser, DPE and Shri Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE addressed the inaugural session of the workshop, which saw a large participation of senior officials from various CPSEs, MSEs and Industry associations from across the country.

Shri B. B. Swain, in his keynote address, commended DPE and SCOPE for conducting the workshop to deliberate on the practical aspects and operational issues faced by CPSEs in procurement. He appreciated the contribution of CPSEs by continuously increasing procurement from MSEs, and reaching the highest ever 36% share during the ongoing financial year.

Shri Atul Sobti, welcomed the hu-ge gathering of around 250 participants from 77 CPSEs and five industry associations and said that cost effective and quality procurement is an imperative for business, impacting an organisation's commercial



(From L to R) Shri Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE; Shri B.B. Swain, IAS, Secretary, Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises; Shri Animesh Bharti, Economic Adviser, DPE during the Workshop.

prudence and performance. Reiterating the role of CPSEs in the national economy, he emphasised on the need to further increase CPSEs' procurement from MSEs, and encouraged MSEs to upskill themselves to be globally competitive.

Shri Animesh Bharti, guiding the way forward, said the workshop was planned to help participants from CPSEs and associations of MSEs with regard to procurement and the deliberations would also help the Government in proposing a proper policy direction and the way ahead.

The interactive workshop also threw light on Public Procurement Policy Order, 2012; new announcements regarding MSEs, MSME-Sambandh and MSME-Samadhaan portals; GeM and TReDS Platform etc. with regard to CPSEs. The workshop also provided platform to representatives of Industry Associations to raise their issues and concerns before policy makers to have a constructive and inclusive procurement process for the benefit of all stakeholders involved.



Participants during the workshop.

SCOPE meeting with World Wellness Icon, Dr. Deepak Chopra

Shri Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE recently met Dr. Deepak Chopra, World Wellness Icon from USA. During the interaction, DG, SCOPE apprised Dr. Chopra about SCOPE's continuous endeavours facilitating good health and overall wellness. Dr. H.K. Chopra, Senior Consultant Cardiologist, Medanta Moolchand Heart Institute was also present.

During the meeting, the success of SCOPE's webinar on 'Nature of Reality–Unleashing the Infinite Potentials', by Dr. Deepak Chopra in 2021 was also reminisced.

Dr. Deepak Chopra highlighted the need of unravelling one's true potential in life, leading



Shri Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE; Dr. Deepak Chopra, World Wellness Icon from USA and Dr. H.K. Chopra, Senior Consultant Cardiologist, Medanta Moolchand Heart Institute during the meeting.

towards a better tomorrow. He also emphasised on discovering

the secret to fulfilment through a positive attitude in life.

DG, SCOPE inspires employees at the advent of New Year



Shri Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE addressed SCOPE employees on the occasion of New Years 2023. Steering the employees to stay enthused and dedicated in their work, DG, SCOPE encouraged everyone to give their best to their organization. He also added that as SCOPE has entered its 50th year, it is an opportune time to

reflect, ideate, innovate and forge ahead with renewed passion in their work.

Reiterating the importance of knowing and owning one's organization he added that the mantra of enjoying one's work, is that if any action or work is driven by

passion, endowed with 'Jivivisha' - the love for life and the right attitude, 'Musarrat' - happiness/joy is bound to be achieved.

Further, sharing his best wishes, DG, SCOPE wished all employees and their families good health and good times.



DG, SCOPE addressing employees on New Years.

SCOPE represents PSEs at ILO Workshop for India Decent Work Country Programme

SCOPE represented Employers' Group at the Tripartite Validation Workshop organized by International Labour Organization (ILO) on 29th November, 2022 at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi. The workshop was organized for stocktaking and validation for India Decent Work Country Programme (DWCP) (2023-2027).

The workshop was addressed by Dr. Shashank Goel, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Labour and Employment; Ms. Dagmar Walter, Country Director, ILO; Shri Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE and Shri Hiranmany Pandya, National President, Bharatiya Mazdoor Sangh.

During the workshop, India Decent Work Country Programme (2018-2022) was reviewed. In his address Shri Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE appreciated the achievement of the DWCP outcomes of the period under review while highlighting the fact that businesses were faced with overwhelming and competitive challenges as they navigated the multiple impacts of the COVID pandemic.

Further while expressing his views on proposed DWCP (2023-2027), DG, SCOPE called



for focus on the forthcoming DWCP with optimism and inbuilt lessons learnt and also incorporate the changes in working environment so that there is inclusive growth. He also outlined the expectations of Employers' Group from DWCP (2023-2027) on Sustainability of enterprises with clear focus on productivity through public-private partnerships, knowledge sharing and leveraging technology; strengthening of future skills development systems for sustained economic growth and productive employment with focus on not only new skills but also on reskilling, upskilling and just transition; strengthening of vulnerable sections, consultation for Donor funded projects, constant interaction for UN

Reforms among other pertinent topics. Following the event, the final Decent Work Country Programme was signed during the launch event held on 20th December, 2022 addressed by Smt. Arti Ahuja, Secretary, Ministry of Labour and Employment, Shri Shombi Sharp, UN Resident Coordinator in India, Ms. Dagmar Walter, Country Director, ILO and representatives from Employers and Workers organisations. The Decent Work Country Programme 2023-27 was signed by Ministry of Labour & Employment, ILO, United Nations and representatives of workers and employers including SCOPE.



Dignitaries during the Decent Work Country Programme organized by ILO, India



Shri Atul Sobti signing the Decent Work Country Programme.

Interface with Stakeholders

SCOPE at Global Symposium and WPMF Meet



Shri Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE and other dignitaries at the Inaugural session of Global Symposium and World Project Management Meet on 'New Challenges New Projects New Opportunities' held in New Delhi.



DG, SCOPE inaugurates 1st PSU Badminton Tournament by PSU Connect Media.



DG, SCOPE met Former Chief Justice of India, T. S. Thakur and apprised him on SCOPE's activities

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48th Annual General Meeting

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उद्योग जगत

आरटीआई अधिनियम पर स्कोप की राष्ट्रीय बैठक
नई दिल्ली। स्कोप ने लेख-लघुद्वारा में आरटीआई अधिनियम पर राष्ट्रीय बैठक का आयोजन किया। लघुद्वारा के उपाध्यक्ष राधा कृष्ण मथुर ने मुख्य सुचना आयोग के अध्यक्ष सिखा, स्कोप के महादेशिक अध्यक्ष सोबती और इरेडा के प्रबंध निदेशक प्रदीप कुमार दास को मौजूदगी में इस दो दिवसीय कार्यक्रम का शुभारंभ किया। लघुद्वारा सरकार के 75 से अधिक अधिकारी और सम्बन्धित उद्यमों के 35 वरिष्ठ अधिकारी इसमें शामिल थे। राधा कृष्ण मथुर ने आरटीआई अधिनियम को और अधिक ईमानदार बनाने की आवश्यकता पर जोर दिया।

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SCOPE Unravelling the Union Budget 2022, SCOPE organised a webinar on 'Decoding the Union Budget 2022'. Prof. N. R. Bhanumurthy, Vice-Chancellor, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar School of Economics University, Bengaluru; Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE & S. Sakthimani, Director (Finance), FACT, addressed the webinar. About 400 participants, including board members and senior officials from PSEs attended the webinar through SCOPE's various platforms.

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SCOPE Convention Centre, New Delhi

AGM-SCOPE
SCOPE, an apex body of PSEs hosted its 48th AGM in hybrid mode which was addressed by Soma Mondal, Chairperson, SCOPE & Chairman, SAIL; Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE & Pradip Kumar Das, VC, SCOPE & CMD, IREDA.

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SCOPE's 48th AGM reflects new commitments and pathways
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SCOPE releases study on 'future-fluent' leaders

Standing Conference of Public Enterprises (SCOPE) and Center for Creative Leadership (CCL), USA, released first of its kind study on 'Future-Fluent Nation Builders: State of Leadership in Public Sector Enterprises' assessing skill gaps and identifying skill sets to curate a learning module for potential leaders.



The study was released in the presence of Sister BK Shivani, spiritual speaker; Soma Mondal, Chairperson, SAIL & Chairperson, SCOPE; Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE; Pradip Kumar Das, CMD, IREDA; Ranjan Kumar Mohapatra, Director (HR), IOCL; and Elisi Mallis, Muninder K. Anand and Sunil Puri from CCL. Sister Shivani, Soma Mondal and Atul Sobti spoke on the occasion.

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SCOPE celebrates Yoga Utsav



Standing Conference of Public Enterprises (SCOPE) organised a programme on "Self-Empowerment through Yoga" with Mohit D. Gupta, leading cardiologist and motivational speaker as part of Yoga Utsav 2022. The occasion was also addressed by Atul Sobti, Director General, SCOPE.

The Tribune

27.12.2022 Pg no : 12

SCOPE holds 48th AGM

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NBT नवभारत टाइम्स

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स्कोप की अगुवाई में WIPS का नेशनल ई-मीट
नई दिल्ली। स्कोप की अगुवाई में एक वरिष्ठ वरिष्ठ (WIPS) का नेशनल ई-मीट आयोजित किया गया। ई-मीट को प्रमुखता से संबोधित करते हुए श्री सोममंडल, SAIL, श्री सोममंडल और स्कोप की कार्यवाही में शामिल हुए। स्कोप के वरिष्ठ अधिकारी, CMD श्री सोममंडल और श्री सोममंडल प्रमुख रूप से संबोधित किए।

Hindustan Times

27.07.2022 Pg no : 16

SCOPE - ICAI collaborate for capacity enhancement



SCOPE and ICAI collaborated for capacity enhancement and knowledge building by signing an outcome-based MoU. This collaboration focusses on providing research work in innovative practices and business solutions to PSEs while providing industrial facilitation by way of clarifications on accounting treatments and policies. The MoU is in continuation of SCOPE's endeavours to provide PSEs with opportunities for capacity building in resilience and expertise.

FINANCIAL EXPRESS

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SCOPE Convention Centre, New Delhi

WORKSHOP-SCOPE
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FREE PRESS JOURNAL

24.12.2022 Pg no : 9

Dept of Public Enterprises in association with SCOPE, organised 'Workshop on Procurement by CPSEs from MSMEs'

Department of Public Enterprises (DPE), in association with Standing Conference of Public Enterprises (SCOPE), organised a 'Workshop on Procurement by CPSEs from MSMEs' on 21st December, 2022 at SCOPE Auditorium, New Delhi. Shri B.B. Swain, IAS, Secretary, Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises; Shri Animesh Bharti, Economic Adviser, DPE and Shri Atul Sobti, Director General, SCOPE addressed the inaugural session of the workshop, which saw a large participation of senior officials from various CPSEs, MSMEs and industry associations from across the country.

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Hindustan Times

20.09.2022 Pg no : 18

Ladakh Governor inaugurates SCOPE's National Meet on RTI Act

Standing Conference of Public Enterprises organised a 'National Meet on RTI Act,' in Leh, Ladakh which was inaugurated by Radha Krishna Mathur, Lt. Governor of Ladakh, in the presence of Y.K. Sinha, Chief Information Commissioner. Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE and Pradip Kumar Das, CMD, IREDA also addressed the inaugural session of the two-day program. Senior officials of the Ladakh Government and Public Sector Enterprises (PSEs) were also present.

NBT नवभारत टाइम्स

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स्कोप और आईसीएआई ने की साझेदारी

नई दिल्ली। स्कोप के सहनिदेशक अनुप सोबती ने रेट्रोडिज कोर्सेस और पब्लिक एंटरप्राइजेज (स्कोप) और द इंडियन इंस्टीट्यूट ऑफ मैनेजमेंट (आईसीएआई) के बीच भारत में सहनिदेशक क्षेत्र के उद्यमों में क्षमता और विचारों निर्माण के लिए समुदायिक क्षमता पर हस्ताक्षर किए। इस अवसर पर उन्होंने कहा कि इसका उद्देश्य एक नवीनता देने वाले समुदाय बनाना है। इन सहनिदेशक क्षेत्र के उद्यमों को नए-नए तरीके और विचारों को प्रोत्साहित करने के लिए साथ कार्य पर अपना ध्यान केंद्रित करेंगे। इस सझेदारी से आभासीय के तरीके और प्रयास पर भी सहनिदेशक प्रदान कर इंस्टीट्यूट ने उसे आनंदने की राह आसान करेगी।

The Sunday Statesman

25.12.2022 Pg no : 8

SCOPE's 48th AGM reflects new commitments & pathways

SCOPE, an apex body of Public Sector Enterprises (PSEs) hosted its 48th AGM which was addressed by Soma Mondal, chairperson, SCOPE & chairman, SAIL; Atul Sobti, DG, SCOPE and Pradip Kumar Das, VC, SCOPE & CMD, IREDA. The meeting which was held in hybrid mode was attended by CMDs, Directors and Senior officials of PSEs. The AGM highlighted SCOPE's endeavours, lower

2022: SCOPE's Year in hindsight

SCOPE's 47th Annual General Meeting



DG, SCOPE meets Shri Ali R. Rizvi Secretary, DPE



SCOPE's tribute to Mahatma Gandhi on Martyrs' Day



SCOPE represents Employers' Group at ILO's meeting on 'Impact of Digitalization in the Finance Sector'



SCOPE & IMT Hyderabad Sign MoU on 'Digital Transformation in PSEs'



National Meet of Women in Public Sector (WIPS)



SCOPE Webinar decodes Union Budget 2022



SCOPE Health Committee meeting



International Women's Day celebrations



SCOPE signs MoU with BASE University, Bengaluru for skill enrichment



SCOPE Executive Board Meeting



SCOPE meeting with Chairman, Capacity Building Commission



SCOPE represents PSEs at EBMO Conference



JANUARY

Virtual Workshop on 'Mindfulness for Organizational Excellence'



SCOPE's Feature 'HEAL' telecasted on TataSky Famhealth



SCOPE at Foundation Day of Lal Bahadur Shastri Institute of Management



FEBRUARY

DG, SCOPE addresses OCCUCLAVE 2022



MARCH

SCOPE - ICAI sign MoU for capacity enhancement and knowledge building



SCOPE calls on Shri R. K. Mathur, Lieutenant Governor of the Union Territory of Ladakh



Executive Development Program by SCOPE APSE



Interaction with Assistant Director General and Regional Director for Asia and the Pacific, ILO



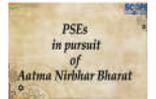
SCOPE in association with ICAI organises Workshop on Best Financial Reporting Practices



SCOPE organises National Meet on RTI Act in Leh, Ladakh



SCOPE's film commemorating AKAM released by Hon'ble Lt. Governor Shri R.K. Mathur of Ladakh



SCOPE at Meeting under Chairmanship of Hon'ble Minister for Labour & Employment



JULY

SCOPE at Dattopant Thengadi National Board for Workers Education & Development meeting



SCOPE & GIZ, Germany continue collaboration for building green skills of PSEs



Celebration of 'Har Ghar Tiranga' campaign in SCOPE



SCOPE address at Institute of Economic Studies (IES)'s Seminar



SCOPE represents PSEs at MSME Expo 2022



SEPTEMBER

SCOPE as Jury Member at BML Munjal Awards, graced by Shri Jagdeep Dhankhar, Hon'ble Vice President of India



SCOPE at Meeting of 'Audit Board for Central Public Sector Undertakings' organized by CAG, India





SCOPE & PSEs celebrate Public Sector Day

SCOPE and Center for Creative Leadership release study on preparing Future Fluent Leaders



SCOPE at UN's National Validation Workshop
Gol-UNSDCF 2023-27



SCOPE leads Indian Employers' delegation, at ILO's International Labour Conference, Geneva



DG, SCOPE conferred with Outstanding Leadership Award by IES

Second workshop on 'Mindfulness for Organisational Excellence'



AKAM Mega Week Celebrated

Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav (AKAM) grand celebrations by PSEs, organised by DPE in association with SCOPE.



Roundtable of CEOs on 'Role of CPSEs for a Self-Reliant India' held as part of AKAM Celebrations



APRIL

SCOPE at ILO preparatory meetings



DG, SCOPE's address at Public Sector Day celebrations, IOCL R&D Division, Faridabad



SCOPE represents Indian employers at International Organisation of Employers (IOE)'s General Council 2022



MAY

JUNE

SCOPE at 2nd ILO/IOE AP Regional Conference



SCOPE commemorates Yoga Utsav



SCOPE participates in Climate Dialogue Series by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change and GIZ, Germany



SCOPE's presentation at CIC Annual Convention, Vignyan Bhawan



SCOPE at the Global Lifelong Learning Summit 2022, Singapore



SCOPE address at EPFO program for Employers of Exempted PF Trusts



SCOPE's 48th AGM



DPE in association with SCOPE organises Workshop on Procurement by CPSEs from MSEs



World Project Management Forum (WPMF) Meet- SCOPE at Inaugural function



SCOPE at OECD Meeting of Asia-Pacific Network on Corporate Governance of State-owned Enterprises, Indonesia



SCOPE pays Tribute to Mahatma Gandhi



OCTOBER

NOVEMBER

DECEMBER

Dr. G. Sanjeeva Reddy, President, Indian National Trade Union Congress (INTUC) and Shri Ashok Singh, Vice President, INTUC visit SCOPE



SCOPE at BML Munjal University's Leadership Summit



DG, SCOPE meets Central Vigilance Commissioner



SCOPE represents Employers at ILO's Validation Workshop for Decent Work Country Programme, India



DG,SCOPE Inaugurates 1st PSU Badminton Tournament by PSU Connect media



Dr. Madhu Rani Teotia, Land & Development Officer, Ministry of Urban Development visits SCOPE



SCOPE trophy for the Best CPSU Team at the International Project Management Team Excellence Awards won by NTPC



DG, SCOPE interacts with Dr. Deepak Chopra, World Wellness Icon



SCOPE meeting with Former Chief Justice of India, T.S. Thakur



Green Economy: An architecture for Sustainable Development



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The green economy is the future. It fosters prosperity, creates decent work, addresses root causes of conflict and contributes to the full enjoyment of all human rights – not only civil and political but also economic, social and cultural.'

António Guterres
United Nations
Secretary-General

The Perspective

The current deterioration of the world's environmental issues has put human civilization in danger and accelerated the hunt for new strategies for advancing global economic growth. Present patterns of production and consumption degrade and deplete many of the world's environmental resources. There is thus a need for new approaches that can promote inclusive and environmentally sustainable economic development. Nature is a man's best friend, that's what they call

it. But humans failed to replicate the friendly bond. With massive deforestation for modernizing societies, humans failed to reconcile with nature and that's when the concept of Green economy came into play. As the world transforms with the evolution of technology, climate, politics and economics, there are interconnected practices which positively balance environmental and social goals for the good of nature, citizens, and businesses. Leading the way is the green economy, an economic model that prioritizes the success of human well-being and social equity, while reducing environmental risks and ecological scarcity. Ecology, economy, and equity. Those are the key points in a Green Economy.

What is Green Economy?

While the green economy was the organizing theme of the United Nations Rio+20 Conference, it is a term that generated many interpretations over the past decade. The concept of a green economy has gained currency in recent years as a paradigm for promoting economic growth and increased well-being while protecting the environment and contributing to poverty alleviation. There is no common definition of green

economy, but the term clearly emphasizes the economic dimension of sustainability. UNEP has defined the green economy as "one that results in improved human well-being and social equity, while significantly reducing environmental risks and ecological scarcities. A green economy is defined as low-carbon, resource-efficient, and socially inclusive. In a green economy, growth in employment and income is driven by public and private investment into such economic activities, infrastructure, and assets that allow reduced carbon emissions and pollution, enhanced energy and resource efficiency, and prevention of the loss of biodiversity and ecosystem services. These green investments need to be enabled and supported through targeted public expenditure, policy reforms, and changes in taxation and regulation.

A green economy is a broad-ranging policy agenda and a tool to support the achievement of Sustainable Development, with an emphasis on aligning economic goals with social and environmental ones. The green economy agenda recognizes the potential of new sustainable technologies and green sectors to become the

engine of a new development pathway. Green economics is a methodology of economics that supports the harmonious interaction between humans and nature and attempts to meet the needs of both simultaneously. The Green Economy is an alternative vision for growth and development; one that can generate economic development and improvements in people's lives in ways consistent with advancing also environmental and social well-being.

A green economy is strongly interlinked with SDG 13, Climate Action, but, moreover, it aims attention at life quality with people at the centre. One significant component of a green economy strategy is to promote the development and adoption of sustainable technologies. The Three Primary Focuses of the Current Green economy:

Green Economy ideas will be demonstrated, emphasizing investments, technology, and financial access.

Assistance with developing and implementing macroeconomic policies to help nations transition to a green economy.

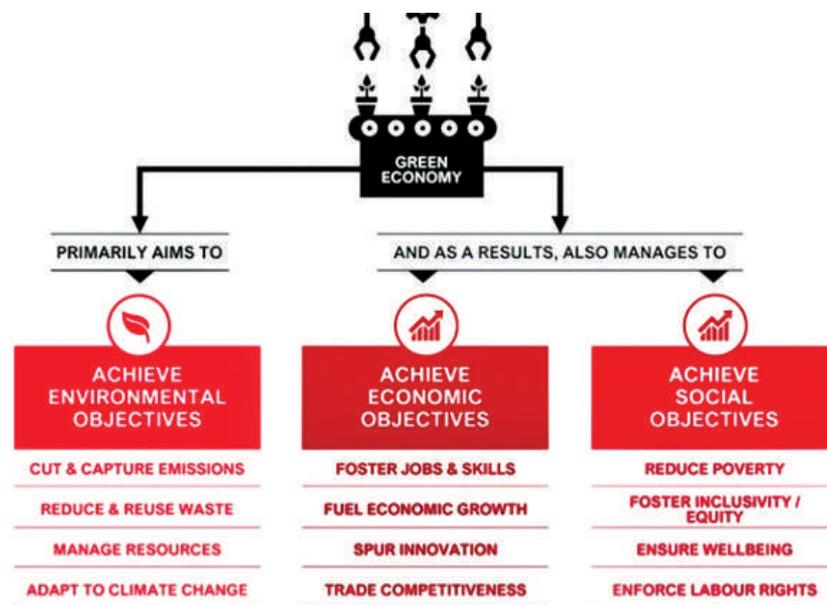
Employ regional, sub-regional, and national fora to promote the macroeconomic approach to sustainable economic growth.

Key Features of the Green Economy

Simply put, a green economy is low-carbon, resource efficient, and socially inclusive. Some of the key features include:

Abundant opportunities for good green jobs that pay a living wage.

A price on carbon, either through a cap-and-trade program or an economy-wide tax on carbon.



More efficient use of energy and other resources. For example, huge economic and environmental gains could be made if we had more energy efficient buildings and transportation.

Greater use of renewable resources, like wind and solar, instead of non-renewable resources, such as coal and oil.

Greener manufacturing which is resource efficient and doesn't use toxic chemicals.

Proper value assigned to natural environments and ecosystems, in recognition of all the services the environment provides such as carbon sequestration, flood protection, and waste water treatment.

A robust recycling and reuse industry, with minimal waste sent to landfill.

Advantages of Green Economy

Green economies can do wonders for both the financial sector and the environment. For example, a green economy:

Encourages more Sustainable Development: Green economics involves putting natural resources to responsible use, with an eye on recycling their usability. This ensures both current and future generations can benefit from natural resources while remaining good stewards of the earth.

Helps fight Climate Change: By steering the economy in a greener direction, governments and the private sector work together to achieve effective Climate Change Mitigation. Through lowering carbon emissions there's hope the earth's population can avoid many of the worst effects of anthropogenic warming.

Improves the Ecosystem: Consideration of environmental protections in any economic activities, helps protect biodiversity in ecologies across the planet. Effective ecosystem services help sustain human, animal, and plant life in equal measure—all of which are necessary to also keep the economy going.

Increases Equity: Green finance and economic development seeks to ensure equitable outcomes for all people throughout the global community.

Principles of Green Economy

Our vision of a green economy is one that provides prosperity for all within the ecological limits of the planet. It follows five key principles, each of which draws on important precedents in international policy, and which together can guide economic reform in diverse contexts.

The Well-being Principle: A green economy enables all people to create and enjoy prosperity. The green economy is people-centered. Its purpose is to create genuine, shared prosperity. It focuses on growing wealth that will support well-being. This wealth is not merely financial but includes the full range of human, social, physical, and natural capital.

The Justice Principle: The green economy promotes equity within and between generations. The green economy is inclusive and non-discriminatory. It shares decision-making, benefits, and costs fairly; avoids elite capture; and especially supports women's empowerment. It promotes the equitable distribution of opportunity and outcome, reducing disparities between people, while also giving sufficient space for wild-life and wilderness.

The Planetary Boundaries Principle: The green economy safeguards, restores, and invests in nature. An inclusive green economy recognizes and nurtures nature's diverse values – functional values of providing

goods and services that underpin the economy, nature's cultural values that underpin societies, and nature's ecological values that underpin all of life itself.

The Efficiency and Sufficiency Principle: The green economy is geared to support sustainable consumption and production. An inclusive green economy is low-carbon, resource-conserving, diverse and circular. It embraces new models of economic development that address the challenge of creating prosperity within planetary boundaries.

The Good Governance Principle: The green economy is guided by integrated, accountable, and resilient institutions. An inclusive green economy is evidence-based – its norms and institutions are interdisciplinary, deploying both sound science and economics along with local knowledge for adaptive strategy.

The vision: a fair, Green Economic future

The three main areas for the current work on Green Economy are: Advocacy of macro-economic approach to sustainable economic growth through regional, sub-regional and national fora.

Demonstration of Green Economy approaches with a central focus on access to green finance, technology and investments.

Support to countries in terms of development and mainstreaming of macro-economic policies to support the transition to a Green Economy.

The green economy is based on six sectors: Renewable Energy, Green Buildings, Sustainable Transport, Water Management, and

Waste Management. In simple terms, Green Economy is defined as an economic system that is entirely focused on the concept of "green". The green economy is the future. It fosters prosperity, creates decent work, addresses root causes of conflict, and contributes to the full enjoyment of all human rights – not only civil and political but also economic, social, and cultural. It is also expected to create new economic

opportunities

Opportunities that emerge in the process of industry disruption – as certain businesses move quickly to adopt green measures, their operators can benefit from first-mover advantages, patenting new discoveries and establishing dominant market positions.

Green markets will emerge as demand for renewable energies and green technologies create new markets for green goods and services, creating 'waterfall effects' throughout the supply chain.

Productivity gains will be made as regions adversely affected by Climate Change and unsustainable use of natural resources, see those negative effects reversed, leading to a global economy built on a more sustainable footing.

Green Economy and Sustainable Development

Sustainable Development is the development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs. It contains within it two key concepts: the concept of needs, in particular the essential needs of the world's poor, to which overriding priority should

be given; and the idea of limitations imposed by the state of technology and social organization on the environment's ability to meet present and future needs.

Sustainable Development emphasizes the enhancement of environmental, social, and economic resources, with all three of them being critical to meet the needs of current and future generations. Sustainability remains a vital long-term goal, but the Green Economy is describing a pathway to sustainable development. To put emphasis on the importance of including social aspects, the concept of the Green Economy has evolved and many organizations now refer to an 'inclusive Green Economy'.

As a key feature, the Green Economy promotes investments in specific areas also broadly referred to as green sectors which either restore and maintain natural resources or increase the Global Economy Transition approach 2021-2025 proposed by European Bank for Reconstruction and Development adopts a systemic approach in supporting the transition to low-carbon and resilient economies. It does this by:

1. Assessing projects in relation to the principles of international climate agreements, principally the Paris Agreement;
2. Enhancing policy engagement for the development of long-term low carbon strategies and greening of financial systems; and
3. Scaling investments across a set of priority environmental, climate mitigation, and resilience themes, including greening the financial sector, energy systems, industrial decarbonization,

cities, and environmental infrastructure, sustainable food systems, green buildings, and sustainable connectivity.

Conclusions

The green economy is an important concept at multiple levels of governance. Going green is no more a choice, it has become a necessity for the modern era. Green Economy unifies different concepts under a single umbrella. A green economy is good for communities, businesses, and the planet. The idea that growth, development, and well-being can be achieved through sustainable practices is what undermines the concept of green growth. The green economy is a universal and transformative change to the global status quo. It will require a fundamental shift in government priorities.

There is neither a single model nor a single path to the green economy, reflecting the diversity of the world we live in as well as the distinctive national circumstances and development priorities of each nation. However, in order to transition to a green economy, which places the economy at the centre of generating sustainable development, all nations will need to make significant structural and technological changes across the economy, or at least "green" key sectors like energy, urban infrastructure, transportation, industry, and agriculture. It will also include "greening" investments both domestically and internationally, creating "green" jobs through the development of new "green" industries, and supporting and facilitating "green" international trade through domestic and global policies. Realizing this change is not easy,

but it is necessary if we are ever to achieve Sustainable Development Goals. However, each country experiences the transition to a green economy at a different pace. Resources, knowledge, and information are crucial for the shift to a greener economy.

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Exhibiting Performance



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“Image Building is 90% performance and 10% talking”

but at times later 10% gains more significance and priority in order to have a meaningful impact. In normalization phase of post COVID era, exhibitions are once again becoming a prudent tool of branding and innovative stakeholders interface. Recently, in last three months, THDCIL has participated in three different exhibitions in three different states which have made a reinforcing impact on our stakeholders.

The first exhibition was based on the theme Role of “**Nation Building & CPSE**” organized from 9th to 12th June 2022, at Gandhinagar, Gujarat by Department of Public Enterprises, Ministry of Finance, Govt. of India, wherein almost every Central Power Sector CPSE viz. NTPC, POWERGRID, NHPC, PFC, SJVNL including THDCIL participated along with the wider CPSE fraternity. The exhibition was jointly inaugurated by Hon’ble Union Finance Minister, Smt. Nirmala Sitaraman and Hon’ble Chief Minister, Gujarat, Shri Bhupendra Patel.

The second one was “**Rise in Uttarakhand 2022**”, A Mega Exhibition which was organized from 7th to 9th July, 2022 at Dehradun, Uttarakhand wherein THDCIL along with NHPC and other CPSE in Dehradun region participated. THDCIL stall in this exhibition was inaugurated by Shri Pushkar Singh Dhami, Hon’ble Chief Minister of Uttarakhand and many Hon’ble Ministers from Govt of Uttarakhand and Senior Bureaucrats along with general public visited THDCIL Stall.

The third and latest in the series was “**Vibrant North East-2022**”, A mega Exhibition organized by Center for Agriculture and Rural Development (CARD) and supported by Ministry of DONER (Development of North Eastern

Region) Govt. of India from 25th to 27th August, 2022 at Guwahati, Assam. As this was the first exhibition of THDCIL in Northeast. Recently, THDCIL has been allocated some hydro projects in Arunachal Pradesh, this proactive media outreach may help us in getting wider publicity in Northeastern region.

One of the unforgettable moments, which the THDCIL’s exhibition team came across during Gandhinagar Exhibition while exploring the “The Shipping Corporation of India Ltd.” (SCI) Stall that during the SCIs Diamond Jubilee celebrations and to commemorate the International Women’s Day on 8 March, 2021, an entire Indian ship MT Swarna Krishna for the first time in world



maritime history was commanded by women, in an effort to recognise women breaking down stereotypes in the formerly male-dominated maritime sector. The move demonstrated the gradual shift in the perception of seafaring as a male-oriented profession and the principles of Diversity & Inclusion that SCI upholds. This kind of efforts makes an inspiration for the other peer CPSEs too. Now the mole question arises that what do CPSE's gain from participation in these exhibitions apart from attracting footfalls in the stall and gaining publicity. Being a power generator, the end product electricity is a commodity, which can neither be stored physically nor showcased. But these kinds of opportunities pave the way for the other areas such

as consultancy work and create opportunity on the relatively new unexplored fields.

THDCIL has started constituting cross functional teams consisting of Communication Professional along with Engineers and Finance members for designing, conceptualization and fabrication of THDCIL stall in these exhibitions. It helps us in enhancing better co-ordination and team work between various departments of the corporation. Non PR persons also get a chance to know more about integrities of working of PR Department. When the publicity material for display in these exhibitions are finalized collectively by a cross functional team we tend to cover more undercover aspects of corporation which are generally tend to get

overlooked. Every time, the exhibition team comes up with new ideas of branding and to enhance the footfalls in the stall.

At these exhibitions we tend to meet colleagues from other Power CPSEs and PSU fraternity in general. This enhances the exposure level and encourages exchange of ideas and views. At these exhibitions potential vender, investors also visits these stall and give us an opportunity of direct outreach and display of our work/achievements.

As we know "picture speaks louder than words" these exhibitions are an opportunity to present a visual picture of the ethos for which THDCIL as a responsible corporate citizen stands for and paints a positive picture in the minds of last mile stakeholders also.



Four Pillars of Success in Digital Transformation



Sayan Chakraborty
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It may be a common misconception that digital transformation is about deploying a bunch of digital tools in the organization.

Actually, in digital transformation, people come first. Digital transformation is carrying out the process of digitalization in an organization through the digital tools to improve employee and customer experience.

As per an HBR article titled “Digital Transformation Comes Down to Talent in Four Key Areas” published in May 2020; the authors attribute four most important domains— technology, data, process and organizational change capability as the crucial factors for a successful digital transformation. The organizations must gather the right set of talent in these four domains while starting their digital transformation journey.

Technology— The emerging technologies like Blockchain, Internet of Things, Artificial Intelligence

all may become easier to use at some point of time; but understanding the gaps in current business and how that technology can be used with the available resources to use the transformational opportunity is a complicated task. Every organization must incorporate strong institutional IT team that will address the challenges of transforming the legacy systems and add business value with the right selection of new technology.

Data— While huge data is required for a successful digital transformation, bad quality of data may reverse the process in actual. The right expertise in human resources is required to handle structured/unstructured, external/internal data by cleaning, analysing and finally drawing inference for the transformation. So, it is also necessary to involve the frontline employees in the process and convince them to create the correct data for further use by the experts.

Process— Transformation needs the talent in this domain to be able to align the silos in the direction of customer experience to improve existing processes and design new ones. Without an end-to-end mindset, transformation gets reduced to a series of incremental improvements. So,

the organization should develop the right pool of talent who will be able to evaluate the right scenario about when to go with an incremental improvement process and when radical process re-engineering is required.

Organization change capability— It includes leadership, teamwork, courage, emotional intelligence etc. It may be possible that the organization may sometimes be less inclined to focus on the human side of the transformation, but it is an essential factor that must not be overlooked.

All the four domains as described above must exist together and work on all of these must proceed through the right sequence to enable effective digital transformation. Not a single talent can possess all the knowledge in the domains of technology, data, process and change capability. Hence, experts in each domain must be assembled together to form the team. Moreover, the organization must prioritize the problems and form the team in the four domains as per experience in the problem area.

“Technology is the engine of digital transformation, data is the fuel, process is the guidance system and the organizational change capability is the landing gear”.

Gender Equality: Empower Women



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Women are usually sensitive and compassionate because of their hormonal and neuro-biochemical makeup including high level of compassionate molecules such as oxytocin, oestrogen hormones, serotonin Dopamine, DHEA, Acetylcholine, and low levels of jittery molecules such as epinephrine, norepinephrine, steroids and androgens etc.

They have high levels of copper and lower levels of zinc, that is how they are more sensitive than men. It is the jittery, hostile and cynical environment at her home, work place, in society at a national and international level which may create high levels of stress in women depending on the situation and the coping capability of a women.

A women is unique in her nature archetypally, alchemically, etymologically, mystically, mythically, biochemically, emotionally, psychologically, atomically, bozonically and even at the level of quantum soup. The word women if analyzed represent W means wise, O means omnipotent believer, M means merciful, E means efficient and effective and N means noble that is what women is. She is an embodiment of love and compassion. She genuinely becomes stressed only with a reason.

A women is more compassionate, a perfect manager, a prolific value based leader, omnipotent believer, highly emotional with divinity, enjoy serving everyone including family and society. Everyone worships women in the form of Goddess of wealth as "Lakshmi", Goddess of knowledge, music and art as "Saraswati" and Goddess of power as "Durga". Why should one abuse the women when she so divine. Men should have perfect mind set to empower women and preserve her integrity and make

her strong. Time to reflect gender equality now.

Why do you need women empowerment?

Of the 1.3 billion people who live in absolute poverty around the globe, 70 percent are women. Poverty means rights denied, opportunities curtailed and voices silenced.

Women work 2/3 of the world's working hours.

Women earn only 10 percent of the world's income

Women own less than 1 percent of the world's property.

Women make up 2/3 of the estimated 876 million adults worldwide who cannot read or write, and girls make up 60 percent of 77 million children not attending primary school.

Health issues of female feticide, high prenatal mortality, anemia, blindness, TB, malnutrition, sexual assault in childhood, gender discrimination, obesity, hypertension, diabetes, CAD, Cancer including breast and cervix etc. osteoporosis, osteoarthritis, depression, Alzheimer etc.

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Gender differences are pattern of identities, attitudes, roles, relationships and resources.

Economic, social and cultural attributes and opportunities in women vs. men etc.

Lord Krishna had a total of 16,108 wives, out of which eight were his princely wives and 16,100 were rescued from demon Narakasura, who had forcibly kept them in his palace. But many do not believe that Krishna had 16000 wives. They say "Had Krishna married 16000 of them, it would have taken him more than 10 years even at rate of 4 marriages a day as per the prevailing rituals!" However, after Krishna killed Narkasura he rescued these 16,100 women and freed them, but all of them returned to him saying that they have been kept by demon Narkasura so now neither their family will accept them nor will any one marry them, thus remaining shelterless. Krishna married them and gave them his name, shelter in his new palace and a respectful status in the society. However apart from his princely wives, he never had any conjugal affairs with the other women and many Hindu scriptures describe them as dancing around Krishna, singing songs of praise. This is all the expression of Krishna consciousness. Lord Krishna, were expressions

of empowering women from the level of consciousness. Ravana on the contrary made Sita as the captive but worked at the level of intellect and mind and never at the level of consciousness. He never touched her.

Lord shiva is one of the most popular and loved deities in the Hindu mythology. His first wife was Sati and his second wife was Goddess Parvati. He is often considered to be an ideal husband. Unmarried women keep a fast commonly known as the '16 somvar vrat' and pray to Lord Shiva and ask for a husband like him. Lord Shiva is known to be ascetic who often meditated on the top of Mount Kailash. On the contrary he is also known to be a householder who is deeply involved with his wife and two sons. Historical texts say that Lord Shiva and Parvati shared a very loving and cordial relationship. Although he is mostly seen in graveyards with burnt ash smeared all over his body, the point cannot be denied that when he is with his wife, he is totally in love with her and thinks nothing beyond. Lord Shiva believed that for sustenance of the world men and women need to be interdependent. Lord Shiva is known for his power while Goddess Parvati is known to be the soft hearted one. This made them a couple

that truly complimented each other. When Shivji performs the destructive 'Tandav' dance, his wife matches steps with him but in a slow and subtle manner to cool down his temper. It was her deep desire to become a mother but Lord Shiva was not ready to take that responsibility. But as time proceeded, Parvati ji's motherly desire won the battle against Lord Shiva's resistance and they were blessed with two sons. After marriage Lord Shiva had moved to the mountains of Mt. Kailash to lead their married life. It was there, amidst the cold mountains that there love reached heights and passion soared. He is known to be a powerful lover and his love was so intense and passionate that it shook the cosmos and frightened the gods at times. The union of Shiva and Parvati represents the union of male and female in the form of ecstasy and sexual happiness. It is mentioned in some of the ancient texts that Parvati ji tames Lord Shiva's sexual powers as he is known for his deep and immense sexual vitality. Lord Shiva taught his wife transcendent knowledge while she gave him the knowledge of the cosmos.

Sometimes their relationship is also given adjectives like 'offbeat'. The prime reason for this can be the setting (snowy mountains



and sometimes dense forests) in which they lived and the way their relationship evolved. Since Goddess Parvati is Lord Shiva's second wife it took some time after their marriage for the love to blossom between the two of them, but once it did there was no looking back. It is said that there is a divine strength that connects them and thus in Indian culture they are referred to as the ideal couple. When an elder in the family calls a couple 'Shiv – Parvati' Jodi, it means that couple is a balanced example of love and understanding like Lord Shiva and Goddess Parvati. It was due to Parvati's strong will power that Lord Shiva was transformed from an ascetic to a complete householder. The couple together symbolise renunciation and marital bliss. They are at most times depicted as the happy couple, either meditating in the mountains or deep in discussion. In most of the pictures it has been noted that Goddess Parvati is either standing next to Lord Shiva which depicts equality or she is sitting near him which is considered to be an ideal family pose.

From all that has been discussed here it can be gathered that Lord Shiva and Goddess Parvati were a happily married 'in love' couple. When you have such a loving companion the journey of life automatically becomes more enjoyable. So do enjoy your life with your partner and keep seeking the blessings of Lord Shiva, Om Namah Shivaya!!!

Rape on the contrary is thus, an expression of anger at the level of the mind and physical body which should be condemned "as sin". Women should be empowered at the level of intellect

and consciousness. Thus sexuality sensuality and spirituality are interwoven at the level of consciousness and intellect. This can be achieved by meditation and regular practice of yoga. Men and women both need to practice meditation to enhance the potential of consciousness and intellect for making perfect choices and spontaneous right action. It is the consciousness which conceives construct and governs the human behavior. Sex is considered spiritual when performed with love, compassion and humility without hurting each other at the level of intellect and consciousness. The ecstasy of sex can be experienced as a bliss and enlightenment to enhance all the energy zones (Chakras System) to be healthy.

Sexual energy is a primal and creative energy of the universe. All beings that are alive come from sexual energy, sexual energy thus expresses itself as biological creativity, it is sacred and chaste. The suppression of sexual energy is unnatural & unchaste. Sexual union is therefore union between the flesh and spirit. Sex at the level of ego and mind with hidden guilt, anger, lust, hostility and negative attitude becomes a disaster. I would like to give an example of two monks who were waiting at the river bank and a beautiful young girl arrived and asked for the help to go to opposite bank of the river as the boats were not available, the senior monk refused and showed his inability to help her but the junior monk was excited to help the young girl and requested her to ride on his shoulder and he swam through the river and left her at the opposite bank of the

river. In the evening when the both the monks met, the senior monk was angry for the help rendered by the junior monk to the young girl suggesting thereby that the senior monk had carried that girl in his mind on the contrary the junior monk forgot the help and felt blissful. One should learn to empower women. Meaningful sex therefore is value based and sexuality with anger, rage, revenge is detrimental and catastrophic. Regular practice of meditation, yoga, exercise and sattvic diet take us to the blissful and spiritual experience of optimized sex. Sex is an expression of non stuff becoming stuff, non material becoming material and viceversa from the level of consciousness. Pandavas acted at the level of intellect and consciousness while the Kauravas acted at the level of mind and ego. We need more pandavas and not kauravas. Lord Krishna by his divine power created stuff from non stuff for Draupadi when she was being undressed by the kauravas. Consciousness based or spiritual based model will definitely empower the women.

Meerabai from the Rajasthan, India was a great devotee of Lord Krishna consciousness and was worshiped and admired by many people around her for her devotional songs for the Lord. Seeing this her brother in law Vikramjit who was an angry and ill-natured youth felt threatened and send poison to Meera in Krishna's name. She drank it and it is said that the poison became the nectar. The message is with a positive emotion of love, so much welcoming, if someone drinks even poison it must turn into divine nectar. And if in anger, in

violence, in hate, in enmity you drink ambrosia it too will become poison. Uncontrolled rage is like expressing a poison which is detrimental for women. Men should get rid of this rage to empower women.

One should respect the divine power (Shakti) while she is in the womb, care for her and not subject her to any kind of abuse including female foeticide by any method while she is in the womb. There should not be any discrimination between male and female child at home or in the school and college and should not be subjected to any kind of abuse physically, mentally, socially and psychologically which make them fall to victim of chemical imbalance and become embodiment of rage. Further discrimination, suppression, repression and negative competition in the hostile environment with ethnoracism may further enhance uncontrolled stress in women. Job stress, marital disharmony and the stress of pregnancy and new born further adds to stress. Stress Management is necessary in the female gender right from the time they are born. Lifestyle optimization, perfect diet, regular yoga and meditation enhance the coping capacity for expressing and response to stress in a women. On the contrary she should be empowered by every men at an every moment, if we really want to maintain the qualities of equilibrium of women. Gender equality is the need of the hour to promote productivity.

Cycling variation including premenstruation, postmenstruation, postdelivery and postmenopausal with variations in the neurobiochemistry may be related to mood's swing in women. Cordial

environment at home, school, college, work place, post marital and society may be productive with balanced attitude in women which is possible by respect and helping hand of men.

I would like to quote examples of my patients which are as follows:

Renuka who was a young girl of 22 working in a hotel, used to get feeling of palpitation off and on when the boss was angry on somebody else in her presence. The message is that the girls are highly sensitive to any negative emotion such as that of anger which has negative influence on their system which is neurochemically mediated. Discipline at the work place in a cordial manner is the need of the hour to be productive and a culture of anger is counterproductive.

Konika was born in India, had her graduation in India and was a brilliant girl. She had her post graduation from England and started working in Multi-National Company with lot of negative competition and racism. To fight such an environment she developed assertion, aggression and controlled anger. Ultimately she became a very powerful and productive president of the company. The message is control anger here is productive and constructive and the uncontrolled anger could have been unproductive and distractive.

Women need to learn healthier ways to manage their stress, how to face challenges in life by enhancing their willpower by effective lifestyle and not falling victim to smoking and excessive alcohol. Regular Exercise, yoga, music singing, chanting and spa are stress and anger busters if promoted in practice by men.

When women bring anger into relationship aggressively with the goal of hurting another, their self-judgment is usually negative. Positive approach in a constructive manner help solve the issues. The women should share their feeling and find a solution for the problem instead of brooding. Women should not be influenced by luring, motivational false assurances by men for procuring a job or marriage. They should remain steady, firm and balanced and take a decision at intellect level and should not fall victim to intimidation by men in a uncontrolled way.

Women should take care of their physical, mental, social, psychological, emotional, spiritual and environmental well-being by optimizing their lifestyle such as regular exercises, practice of all eight limbs of yoga limbs of yoga are Yama, (do and don'ts), Niyama (Self discipline), Asana (Postures), Pranayam (Breathing Exercise), Pratihara (Contemplation), Dharma (Concentration) Dhyana (Meditation), Samadhi (Transcendence). This is the essence of life including meditation. Consumption of more of sattvic diet including fruits, vegetables, nuts and milk and avoiding junk food and fried food. What we eat definitely matters and what is eating in us matters more. Experiencing ecstasy by regular massage and health spa. Avoiding toxic emotions, toxic consumption such as excess of alcohol and tobacco in any form.

Common roots of stress in women

Even though anger is a primitive reflex and may be influenced by our work environment. If you

are working in a hostile environment without compassion then the women may frequently get stressed. Environmental stress has tremendous influence on the growth and potential of women. Cynical and hostile environment make them non productive and environment with peace and harmony make them more productive. The stress coping capacity of women can be enhanced by lifestyle optimization supported by men.

What is the biochemical difference in women versus men?

Women are biochemically having higher levels of oxytocin, dopamine, endorphins, serotonin and acetylcholine which are compassionate molecules and lower levels of epinephrine, norepinephrine, steroids which are jittery molecules as compared to men. The levels of copper are higher and zinc are lower as compared to men. Copper stimulates the biogenic amines, which accentuate the emotions. On the contrary, balances the emotions and are calming. Women have higher levels of estrogens as compared to the men who have higher levels of testosterone. Women are more attractive, less strong, physically as compared to men. This make them more prone to fear related issues as compared to men. The oxidation rate, glandular activity rate and the energy levels are less in women as compared to the men. This should be appreciated by men and have the mind set to empower the women.

What does this have to do with emotions?

The cycling variations in the

biochemistry, hormonal display, make them vulnerable to significant variations in their emotional behavioral profile as compared to the men. This looks to be understood by men.

Nurture attitude of gratitude

If everyone in the family including father, grandfather, brother, husband nurtures females with positive emotions of love, compassion, altruism, empathy, sympathy, peace, harmony and hope then the women can be empowered right from the time she born and to her journey through adulthood in school, college, society, jobs and after marriage.

Lack of understanding of men

Many women and men do not understand the biologically “programmed” desire and preferences and confuse love with a sexual desire. It is therefore necessary for a men to understand the biological programming in women to care for them.

Resentment being a women

Some women resent their gender. They resent being physically weaker, being not treated equally to a men, and some resent the inconvenience, discomfort and emotional upset of their menstrual cycle. Every women must work with these issues and find her true identity in a rapidly changing world with all sorts of strange teachings about sex education, motherhood, womanhood and related issues. Until a woman does this, most of the women become stressed. They need to enhance the stress coping capability.

Higher Intelligence & Spiritual insight in Women

Many women are very intelligent, wise and compassionate and have intense power of discrimination between good and bad. At times when they are lured, seduced and falsely assured by men for their future security, wealth, job and marriage. This false assurance makes them very angry and helpless.

More intelligent and spiritually aware young girls and women are wise enough to understand the reality of life and manage the crisis in a very effective and controlled manner. The women have only one quest and that is truth and real love. They need to empowered and nurtured with love in a optimized manner by men.

Fatigue, poor diets and unhealthy lifestyles

As mentioned above, women tend to be more delicate creatures than men, biologically, and they tend to be lower energy creatures. For this reason alone, they are more affected when they follow toxic and unhealthy diets and lifestyles.

Women’s stress is often hidden because women are less action-oriented than Men

The message is women should be in action all the time and not inactive. They should have renunciation in action and not renunciation of action. Active women are healthy and satisfied women with better stress coping capability.

Women should learn to manage stress in an effective way

Anger in women is circumstantial based and not value based. By nature women are more compassionate. They need to be nurtured with the emotion of love, altruism, hope, selflessness, devotion and dedication without ethnocentrism. All women can become very strong to cope with anger in a positive and productive way by optimizing their lifestyle. With appropriate diet, work schedule, regular exercise regimen, regular relaxation techniques including meditation and yoga can make them strong. Men should help to achieve this on a daily basis.

I would like to quote some of the examples of my own patients, which are as follows:

1. A young female recently married aged 34 years, working in a prestigious hotel in Delhi had repeated arguments in anger with her husband. As the consequences she had repeated episodes of

palpitation, insomnia, restlessness and anxiety. The lesson is one should be calm and not emotionally imbalanced to cope with any kind of stress.

2. A young female advocate at the age of 36, smoker, takes alcohol occasionally and had fits of anger during argument in the court. She suffered a massive heart attack and was brought in emergency. The lesson is have a positive attitude of mind and not fall victim to excessive smoking, drinking and anger stress. This is possible by regular meditation and yoga.

I personally feel the gender equality and women empowerment is the need of the hour which is possible by changing our mindset by optimizing the lifestyle right from the childhood. Job opportunities, appropriate positioning, education, cultural, spiritual and economic development should be programmed with gender equality and women empowerment to promote growth and development in our country.

Sir Albert Einstein once said

“We are not the packages of flesh and bone with wisps of memory and desire but we are web of information and energy interwoven with emotions and intelligence from the eye of the soul (consciousness) and not from the eye of the body or eye of the mind”

There is an expression which says: “Tranquility is truth, truth is beauty
Beauty is bliss and bliss is divine”

“Path of compassion & Love is the path of enlightenment and empowerment”

Gender equality and the women empowerment can be reality with a perfect mindset.



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The chamber has capacity of 92 persons (86 Nos. Chairs + 6 Nos. Chairs on Dais) equipped with 2 Nos. projector screens and mikes on dais, tables & podium.

Auditorium



The Auditorium has a capacity of 310 persons (300 Chairs + 10 Nos. Chairs at stage) capacity equipped with projector, screen and mikes on dais and podium on stage.

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The chamber has the capacity of 44 persons (24 Nos. Chairs on round table and 20 Nos. Chairs on sides) equipped with 4K advanced VC system for 12 person, projector screen and mikes on dais, tables & podium.

Mirza Ghalib Chamber



The chamber having capacity of 108 persons (102 Nos. Chairs + 6 Nos. Chairs on Dais) equipped with 2 Nos.-projector & screen and mikes on table, dais and podium.

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The chamber has a capacity of 25 persons (15 Nos. Chairs on round table and 10 Nos. Chairs on sides) capacity with board room type seating arrangement equipped with screen and mikes.

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Annexe II



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The banquet hall has a capacity of 500 Persons for the purpose of lunch & dinner with variety of cuisines. Seating can be arranged for 40 persons.

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Annexe I



The Annexe-I has a capacity of 20 Persons and is equipped with projector screen.

Amir Khusro Chamber at UB



The Amir Khusro Chamber has capacity of 35 persons with facility of stage & podium equipped with projector screen.

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VIP Lounge has seating capacity of 30 delegates. CMDs, Directors, and other high level officials can use it as waiting lounge also,

Meeting Hall



Meeting hall having "U" shaped table, has a seating capacity of 62 delegates. Most widely used for small size meetings and training programmes, group power point presentations etc. and is equipped with projector and screen.

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There is a wide space for vehicle parking that cater to a capacity of 550 cars, including the newly built good quality Banquet Hall wherein 300 delegates can comfortably dine at a time, making it special to deliver an all-round conducive meeting environment.



Hon'ble PM inaugurates NBCC built All India Institute of Ayurveda, Goa

Hon'ble Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi inaugurated NBCC built All India Institute of Ayurveda (AIIA) in the presence of Goa Chief Minister Shri Pramod Sawant. Implemented at a cost of Rs. 268 crore AIIA will provide treatment in 36 specialty areas, including panchakarma, diet, lifestyle, yoga, Ayurveda, that is supported with ultra-modern diagnostic technologies, including an ICU.

The institute consists of an academic block, a hostel, a convenience centre, a sports facility, and a dietary centre. It also offers auxiliary services, such as Panchkarma cottages with open



Hon'ble Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi inaugurating All India Institute of Ayurveda (AIIA) built by NBCC in the presence of Shri Pramod Sawant, Chief Minister of Goa and other dignitaries.

area landscaping, a playground, and a herbal garden for the holistic well-being of the patients.

NBCC has been playing a major role in developing the Healthcare

infrastructure of the country by executing many landmark Healthcare projects across the nation such as AIIMS Medical College and Hospitals etc.

Hon'ble PM inaugurates HSCC built AIIMS, Nagpur

Hon'ble Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi inaugurated the All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Nagpur. Executed by HSCC, at a cost of Rs 1577 crore Newly built 960 bedded hospital is equipped with state-of-the-art facilities and will provide modern healthcare facilities to the people of the region.

NBCC has been consistently playing a major role in developing the Healthcare infrastructure of the country by executing many landmark Healthcare projects across the nation such as AIIMS, Medical College and Hospitals etc. This is the 6th AIIMS that



Hon'ble Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi inaugurating the All India Institute of Medical Science (AIIMS) Nagpur in the presence of other dignitaries.

NBCC Conglomerate (4 by HSCC and 2 by NBCC) have constructed so far for the Government in recent time. It is worth mentioning

AIIMS Deoghar and AIIMS Bilaspur have also been recently inaugurated by our Hon'ble Prime Minister.

Hon'ble Vice President of India visits HCL's Khetri Unit

The Hon'ble Vice President of India, Shri Jagdeep Dhankhar, along with the Second Lady of India, Dr. Sudesh Dhankhar, paid a visit to Khetri Copper Complex (KCC), HCL's Unit in Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan. He was welcomed by Shri Arun Kumar Shukla, CMD, HCL; Shri Sanjay Panjiyar, D (OP), HCL; Shri Sanjiv Kumar Singh, D(M), HCL; Shri Sreekumar, ED, KCC, and other senior officials, on his arrival at KCC.

Delighted with his presence, the Hon'ble Vice President was warmly greeted with vibrant traditional songs by the local school children at the Director's Bungalow of KCC. Later, he held deliberations with Shri Vivek



The Hon'ble Vice President of India, Shri Jagdeep Dhankhar, along with the Second Lady of India, Dr. Sudesh Dhankhar, Shri Vivek Bharadwaj, Secretary, Ministry of Mines, Shri Arun Kumar Shukla, CMD, HCL and other senior officials at Khetri Copper Complex (KCC), HCL's Unit in Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan.

Bharadwaj, Secretary, Ministry of Mines, HCL, CMD, Directors and senior officials of KCC regarding growth plans of the Company.

Shri Dhankhar also held discussions with Union representatives and employees of KCC Unit of HCL.

Fifth Scorpene Class Submarine Vagir delivered to Indian Navy

Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Limited ("MDL") continues its saga of 'self-reliance' 'Aatma Nirbhar Bharat' and 'Make in India' Initiative of the Government of India, with the delivery of the fifth Scorpene Submarine 'VAGIR' of Project P-75 to the Indian Navy, subsequently to be commissioned into Indian Navy as INS Vagir. The Acceptance Document was signed by VAdm Narayan Pra-sad, AVSM, NM, IN (Retd.), Chairman & Managing Director MDL and RAdm C Raghuram, VSM, Chief Staff Officer (Tech), Western Naval Command in the presence of Commanding Officer (desig) CdrS Divakar, MDL Directors and Navy personnel at MDL.



Vagir, was launched on 12 November 2020 and has undergone a very comprehensive and rigorous set of tests and trials, for more than a year, to ensure delivery of a fully combat worthy submarine, capable of operation in all modes and regimes off deployment.

Speaking on the occasion, CMD, MDL said that with the delivery of Vagir, India further cements its

position as a submarine building nation and that MDL has lived up to its reputation as one of India's leading shipyards with capacity and capability to meet requirements and aspirations of the Indian Navy in all dimensions. The delivery of five Submarines namely, Kalvari, Khanderi, Karanj, Vela and now Vagir, reaffirmed India's membership in the exclusive group of submarine building nations.

Union Minister for Law and Justice visits Numaligarh Refinery

Union Minister for Law and Justice, Govt. of India, Shri Kiren Rijiju visited Numaligarh Refinery and took stock of its ongoing activities including its ongoing mega refinery expansion project. He was received at the Central Control Room by Shri Bhaskar Jyoti Phukan, MD, NRL and there after interacted with NRL officials. The Minister was briefed about Refinery Operation processes, interlocks and alarms and presented a glimpse of the wax packaging process. Later, he visited the Assam Bio Refinery Project site adjacent to the Refinery, where the first-of-its-kind 2G Bio Refinery is being implemented with bamboo bio mass as feed stock.

Earlier, the Minister was accorded a warm and hearty welcome by



Union Minister for Law and Justice Gol, Shri Kiren Rijiju during his visit to Numaligarh Refinery along with other dignitaries.

Dr. R. Rath, CMD, OIL upon his arrival at Numaligarh Refinery Township. The Minister reviewed the performance of NRL and OIL along with its future

plans in the presence of Shri Ashok Bhattarai, State Vice President BJP Assam, Sarupathar MLA, Shri Biswajit Phukan and senior officials of OIL and NRL.

EIL wins job for Overall Project Management & EPCM Services for Group-II LOBS Project at Manali Refinery of CPCL

Engineers India Limited (EIL) has been entrusted by Chennai Petroleum Corporation Limited to render the Overall Project Management & EPCM Services for OHCU Revamp, CDWU and related Off-site facilities for Group-II LOBS Project at Manali Refinery.

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EIL is a leading global engineering consultancy and EPC company and has been providing

its services ranging from project conception to commissioning since its inception in 1965. EIL has diversified its operations in other sectors such as Fertilizers, Power, Water and Waste Management, Metallurgy, Nuclear, Strategic Storages, Infrastructure, Green Technologies etc. other than its robust Oil & Gas portfolio.

CMD, NLC Inaugurates High-end Cardiac Centre at NLC India Hospital First of its Kind in Cuddalore District

Shri Rakesh Kumar, CMD, NLC India Limited, inaugurated the High-end Cardiac Centre with state-of-the-art Cath Lab, jointly developed by NLCIL and Sri Kauvery Medical Care (India) Ltd., Trich, at NLC India Hospital.

Among the crucial emergency treatments, the 45 minutes, soon after a heart attack is said to be the golden hour to treat and rescue the affected person. To treat the heart attack patients, NLC India Hospital is developing a Modern Cardiac Centre, an exclusive treatment facility. This facility was inaugurated in the premises of NLC India Hospital adjacent to Casualty Wing of the Hospital.

This is the only such advanced Cath Lab in Cuddalore District which provides Cardiology Out-patient services & Inpatient treatment for any Cardiac Diseases for patients referred by NLC India Hospital and stakeholders and is also open to the public. Procedures like Coronary angiogram, Emergency and Elective Coronary peripheral Angioplasty, Pacemaker implantation & other procedures can be carried out here.

The Centre will be equipped to handle all medical emergencies.

The Cath Lab is Set up with 25 bedded Cardiac facility with all amenities (3 ER, 6 CCU, 2 Recovery, 5 Wards, 6 semi private and 3 single room beds). This facility will become full-fledgedly operational by the end of next month.



Shri Rakesh Kumar, CMD, NLCIL inaugurating the High end Cardiac Centre at NLC India Hospital Complex. Also seen are Directors of NLCIL, Shri Shaji John, Shri Mohan Reddy, CVO Dr L. Chandrasekar, IFS, and senior officials of NLCIL and Kauvery Hospital.

Shri Rakesh Kumar also inaugurated the IP based Surveillance System Project in Neyveli Township Area at the Central Control room near Security Office. The objective of implementing this system is to improve safety & security in Neyveli Township, as part of the Smart City Project.

This project consists of 322 Bullet Cameras and 14 Automatic Number Plate Cameras (ANPR) at strategic and vulnerable locations. The project was executed by M/s Zigma Technologies India Pvt. Ltd., Erode at a cost of Rs. 13.40 crores.

The cameras are monitored from 8 locations, out of which the central control room is located adjacent to Security Office. The project uses latest technologies for cameras, storage, networking & software. This Surveillance system in an excellent deterrent measure to prevent events like theft, unwanted gathering, quarrelling

etc. It also helps authorities to investigate events like accidents, intrusion, thefts, pilferage etc. by retrieving and analysing the recorded videos. This Project enhances the safety and security for the well-being of Township residents and NLCIL establishments.

Both the events were witnessed by Directors of NLCIL, Shri Shaji John, Shri Mohan Reddy and CVO, Dr. L. Chandrasekar, IFS, ED/HR, Shri SadishBabu, ED/HR, Shri C. Thiagarajan, CGM/Hospital Administration, Shri P. Sathiamoorthi. Shri A. Kuppasami, Chief General Manager/Township Administration, Shri Digvijay Kumar Singh, DIG, CISF, Dr. Dharanimouli, General Superintendent, NLC India Hospital and Dr. T. Senthil Kumar, ED and Dr. Shanthi, Medical Administrator of Kauvery Hospital senior officials of NLCIL and Kauvery Hospital were the other dignitaries who participated in the event.



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GRSE launches 3rd Survey Vessel (Large) within a year after 1st Vessel

Maintaining the best of the maritime traditions, the 3rd Survey Vessel (Large)- Yard No 3027, built by Garden Reach Shipbuilders and Engineers (GRSE) Ltd. was launched recently by Smt. Madhumati Hampiholi, President, NWWA (SR). This is the third vessel in a series of four such ships built by GRSE for the Indian Navy. Vice Admiral MA Hampiholi, AVSM, NM, Flag Officer Commanding in Chief, Southern Naval Command was the Chief Guest at the event.

Vice Admiral Kiran Deshmukh, AVSM, VSM, Controller of Warship Production & Acquisition, Vice Admiral Adhir Arora, NM, Chief Hydrographer, Cmde P. R. Hari IN (Retd.), CMD, GRSE, Cdr S. Bose, IN (Retd.), Director (Ship building), GRSE, other Senior Officials of GRSE, L&T and Indian Armed Forces also witnessed the ceremony.



Vice Admiral MA Hampiholi, AVSM, NM, Flag Officer Commanding in Chief, Southern Naval Command, officials from GRSE, L&T and Indian Armed Forces during Launch of 3rd Survey Vessel (Large).

Prior launch, the vessel was named "INS Ikshak" and once delivered, this Ship would play a vital role in charting the seas and safe guarding India's maritime assets as a part of the Indian Navy. The latest Survey Vessels (Large) series built by GRSE are far more advanced

than the earlier survey ships in the Indian Navy's fleet. These modern, indigenously developed 110-metre long and 16-metres wide vessels have a displacement of nearly 3,400 tonnes and can attain a top speed of 18 knots with an endurance of 6,500 nautical miles.



Aero India 2023: MoD/HAL officials meets Karnataka CM, visits Air Force Station Yelahanka

The Ministry of Defence, Department of Defence Production will conduct the 14th edition of Aero India at Air Force Station, Yelahanka, Bengaluru from February 13-17, 2023. Aero India has carved a niche for itself globally as a premier aerospace exhibition with 13 successful editions organized in Bengaluru since 1996.

In connection with this, the Ministry of Defence team led by Shri Anurag Bajpai, Joint Secretary (DIP) and Cdr. Achal Malhotra VSM, CEO, Defence Exhibition Organization along with Shri C. B. Ananthkrishnan, CMD, HAL met Shri Basavaraj Bommai, Chief Minister of Karnataka, Smt. Vandita Sharma, IAS, Chief Secretary to Govt. of Karnataka and Shri Gaurav Gupta, IAS, Addl. Chief Secretary to Govt. of Karnataka. They also met Air Cmde Manoj Kumar Yadav AoC, Air Force Station,



Officials from Ministry of Defence and HAL during their meet with Shri Basavaraj Bommai Chief Minister of Karnataka.

Yelahanka and discussed issues related to Aero India 2023.

The Chief Minister thanked the Hon'ble Prime Minister and Raksha Mantri and Ministry of Defence for selecting Bengaluru as the venue for Aero India 2023 and assured of complete support of the host State to make this edition the largest ever since its inception.

The Ministry of Defence team took an on-site assessment at

the Air Force Station Yelahanka and has fast-tracked all planning and execution of the mega event which will showcase India's resolve to achieve 'Aatmanirbharta' in Aerospace and Defence.

HAL as a nodal organization has constituted its teams and are ready to interact with the nodal teams of Govt. of Karnataka and Indian Air Force to ensure seamless execution of Aero India 2023 which has multiple stakeholders.

NMDC records its best ever production in November 2022

NMDC reported iron ore production of 3.61 MnT and sales of 3.04 MnT in the month of November, 2022. The company has reported an 8% growth in production and 5.5% growth in sales compared to its performance in November 2021.

NMDC's iron ore production for the period September-October-November, 2022 is recorded as the best ever production of these months in a row, in company history. With exceptional iron

ore production in the last three months, NMDC is preparing to surpass all records in FY23.

Commenting on the company's performance, Shri Sumit Deb, CMD, NMDC said, "With an upswing in the demand for steel, we are in the path to escalate production and ensure a healthy supply of iron ore consistently." The growth trajectory of our performance in the last three months has been exceptional and displays NMDC's commitment towards



Shri Sumit Deb, CMD, NMDC

a self-sufficient nation by setting new benchmarks."

IRFC celebrates 36th Annual Day

Indian Railway Finance Corporation (IRFC) celebrated its 36th Annual Day at its office premises in New Delhi.

Addressing the employees on the occasion, Smt. Shelly Verma, CMD (Addl. Charge) and Director (Finance), said that IRFC, which initially began as a rolling stock investment vehicle of the Indian Railways, has evolved over time and is now also funding core railway infrastructure projects.

She further said that the company has posted a stellar performance in the last few years and its credit goes to all the hardworking employees of the organization who



Smt. Shelly Verma, CMD (Addl. charge), IRFC along with other officials during 36th Annual Day celebrations.

have pushed their limits to take the company to newer heights.

She said that IRFC has also been supporting the Indian Railways in achieving its plan of 100% electrification by 2024 and net

zero carbon emission network by 2030.

The Vote of Thanks was proposed by Shri Rahul Kumar Maurya, Joint General Manager (HR & Admin.), IRFC.

Swachhta Pakhwada at BEML

To support the nationwide cleanliness initiative of the GoI, BEML Limited observed the fortnight long program 'Swachhta Pakhwada' across all its units for spreading the awareness on cleanliness.

On the first day of fortnight long celebrations, 'Swachhta Pledge' was administered for fostering the spirit of cleanliness among all BEML employees across all establishments and offices.

Various activities, such as disposing of scrap material, cleanliness drive at the public places, township, weeding out of old files and equipment, plantation of tree saplings, fumigation, disposal of e-waste, clearing drainage etc. are planned.

To spread awareness about cleanliness, posters and banners are placed at various strategic locations in and around the Factories, Complexes and Residential Townships.

Programmes such as Seminars, Essay writing and drawing competitions on the subject of swachhta are being organized for all employees, their spouses and children during this fortnight.



BEML officials administering then Swachhta Pledge.

Coal Rake Dispatch begins from NTPC Talaipalli to NTPC Lara in Chhattisgarh



Shri Gurdeep Singh, CMD, NTPC and Shri Chandan Kumar Mondol, Director (Commercial), NTPC along with RED (Coal Mining) & RED (WR II & OS) flagging off the first Coal Rake.

NTPC Ltd. dispatched its first Coal Rake from NTPC Talaipalli Coal Mine to NTPC Lara Super Thermal Power Project in Chhattisgarh.

The MGR Track Length from Talaipalli to Lara is 65 km. The

commencement of rake loading paves the way forward for Talaipalli Mine to dispatch coal in a smooth and eco-friendly manner to meet the coal requirements of 1600 MW NTPC Lara.

Shri Gurdeep Singh, CMD, NTPC and Shri Chandan Kumar

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NHPC observes Constitution Day

NHPC Limited observed 'Constitution Day' across all its power stations, projects and units to commemorate the adoption of the Constitution of India. On the occasion, Shri Y. K. Chaubey, CMD, NHPC read out the 'Preamble' of the Constitution of India in the presence of NHPC officers and employees connected through online medium.



Shri Y.K. Chaubey, CMD, NHPC reading out the 'Preamble' to the Constitution of India during the Constitution Day celebrations at NHPC.

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Second Class Destroyer of P15B Class 'Mormugao' delivered to Indian Navy

Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Limited (MDL) has delivered Second Ship of Project 15B Class Guided Missile Destroyer i.e. Yard 12705 (Mormugao) to the Indian Navy. The Acceptance Document was signed by VAdm Narayan Prasad, AVSM, NM, IN (Retd.) CMD, MDL and RAdm C Raghuram, VSM, CSO (Tech) at MDL in the presence of Commanding Officer (Designate) Capt Kapil Bhatia, MDL Directors and Navy personnel.

The ship is constructed using Indigenous Steel DMR 249A and is amongst the largest Destroyers constructed in India, with an overall length of 164 meters and a displacement of over 7500 tons. The ship is a potent platform capable of undertaking a variety of tasks and missions, spanning the full spectrum of maritime warfare. It is armed with supersonic Surface-to-Surface 'Brahmos' missiles and 'Barak-8' Long Range Surface to Air Missiles. Towards undersea warfare capability the Destroyer is fitted with indigenously developed anti-submarine weapons and sensors, prominently the Hull mounted Sonar Humsa NG, Heavy weight Torpedo Tube Launchers and ASW Rocket Launchers.

Significantly more versatile than the previous classes of Destroyer and Frigates in Naval inventory, the Mormugao's all round capability against enemy submarines, surface warships, anti-ship missiles and fighter aircraft will enable it to operate independently without supporting vessels, and



also to function as the flagship of a Naval task force.

The ship can accommodate a crew of 312 persons, has an endurance of 4000 Nautical Mile and can carry out a typical 42 days mission with extended mission time in out of area operation. The ship is equipped with two helicopters onboard to further extend its reach. The ship is propelled by a powerful Combined Gas and Gas Propulsion Plant (COGAG), consisting of four reversible Gas Turbines, which enables her to achieve a speed of over 30 knots (approx 55 Kmph). The Ship Boasts of a very high level of automation with sophisticated digital networks such as Gigabyte Ethernet based Ship Data Network (GESDN), Combat Management System (CMS), Automatic Power Management System (APMS) and Integrated Platform Management System (IPMS).

The indigenous content in P15B Class Destroyers is 72% which is a notch above their predecessors

P15A (59%) and P15 (42%) Class Destroyers, reaffirming the Government's focus in 'Make in India' Programme.

The first Ship of P15B (Visakhapatnam) was commissioned last year on 21 Nov 2021. The third ship (Imphal) was launched on 20 Apr 2019 and is at an advance stage of outfitting the fourth ship (Surat) was launched on 17 May 2022. MDL has always been at the forefront of the nation's progressive indigenous warship and submarine building programme. With the construction of the Leander and Godavari class Frigates, Khukri class Corvettes, Missile Boats, Delhi and Kolkata class Destroyers, Shivalik class Stealth Frigates, the SSK submarines and four in number Scorpene submarine under its belt, the history of modern day MDL almost maps the history of indigenous warship and submarine building in India there by deservedly earning the soubriquet 'Warship and Submarine Builders to the Nation'.

NSIC pavilion at IITF 2022

268 MSEs (SC/ST Enterprises) displayed their products at the National Small Industries Corporation Ltd (NSIC) pavilion at IITF 2022, New Delhi which was inaugurated by Shri Narayan Tatu Rane, Cabinet Minister of MSME and Shri Bhanu Pratap Singh Verma, Minister of State (MSME) in the presence of Shri B. B Swain, Secretary, MSME, Shri Gaurang Dixit, CMD, NSIC.

The NSIC pavilion highlighted the various offerings of The National SC ST Hub (NSSH) for SC ST entrepreneurs as also the benefits of various NSIC schemes for the MSME sector. The 268 MSEs (SC/ST Enterprises) under the NSSH scheme Units are participating in from across the country such as, Maharashtra



Shri Narayan Tatu Rane, Cabinet Minister of MSME, Shri Bhanu Pratap Singh Verma, Minister of State (MSME) in the presence of Shri B. B. Swain, Secretary and Shri Gaurang Dixit, CMD, NSIC during the inauguration.

Rajasthan, Karnataka, Punjab, Gujarat, UP, Haryana, West Bengal, Telangana etc. The display profile includes Textile, Handcrafted products, Food

products, Leather, Gems & Jewellery, Furnishing, Embroidery & Laces, Paper Product, Herbal & Ayurvedic/Unani, Inlay Paintings, Hair product etc.

REC organizes 'Bijli Utsav' in Gujarat as a Part of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav

As a part of 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' – to celebrate 75 years of Independence, REC Limited, organized 'Bijli Utsav' in Mota Fofaliya village, Taluka Sinor, Vadodara district in Gujarat. Officials from Madhya Gujarat Vij Company limited (MGVCL) and REC Regional Office Mumbai, Vadodara had graced the occasion.

The event witnessed speaker sessions by utility officials highlighting the consumer rights of electricity, benefits of electricity and the challenges faced during electrification in remote areas and how the quality of life improves with access to power. Beneficiaries from the villages



were also invited on-stage to share their experience and views on how access to electricity has transformed their lives.

To engage with the villagers and children, quiz competition was also held. Nukkad Natak was

also performed to impart knowledge on subjects such as consumer rights of electricity, energy conservation and the benefits of electricity. The event concluded with distribution of LED bulbs as prizes to the winners of the competitions.

TCIL pays Dividend for the year 2021-22

Shri Sanjeev Kumar, CMD, Telecommunications Con- su Itants India Ltd. (TCIL) presented a dividend cheque of Rs. 12.13 crore to Shri K. Rajaraman, Chairman, DCC & Secretary, Telecom.

Since its inception, TCIL has been a profit making Company continuously. TCIL has paid dividend of Rs. 279.99 crore to Govt. till 2021-22 on Government's initial investment in equity of Rs. 0.3 crore. Rs.16 crore was further infused during 2015-16. The group and stand alone networth of the company are Rs. 1527.24 crore and Rs. 612.78 crore respectively as on 31st Mar-ch, 2022.

In 2021-22, TCIL achieved stand-alone revenue and profit after tax of Rs. 1581.18 crore and Rs. 30.33 crore respectively.

Government of India holds 100% of its share capital. TCIL is a prime engineering and



Shri Sanjeev Kumar, CMD, TCIL presenting dividend cheque to Shri K. Rajaraman, Chairman, DCC & Secretary, Telecom.

consultancy company. TCIL undertakes project in all field of Telecommunications, IT and Civil construction in India and abroad. TCIL has executed projects in over 70 countries across globe.

Overseas operations of the Company are in Kuwait, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Oman, Mauritius, Nepal etc. in addition to Pan Africa e-Vidya Bharti &

Arogya Bharti Network project operating in more than 15 African countries and more African Countries are likely to join.

The Company is also executing high value Govt. of India prestigious projects of Rural ICT for Department of Posts, Defence, Navy OF C Projects, APSFL, Telengana Fiber, BBNL VSAT and Eklavya School.

REC, PFC & IREDA organize Foreign Currency Fund Raising meet for Energy Transition in India

REC, PFC and IREDA jointly organized "Foreign Currency Fund Raising Meet for Energy Transition in India" with the participation of senior officials from KfW, JICA, NDB, World Bank, ADB, EIB to accelerate the renewable and upcoming energy funding requirements of the country.



Foreign Currency Fund Raising Meet for Energy Transition in India.

IndianOil launches 'TB MukT Indian Oil Parivar Program' to reach out to almost 7 lakh stakeholders to eradicate Tuberculosis by 2025

Shri S. M. Vaidya, Chairman, IndianOil, launched the 'TB MukT IndianOil Parivar' program that aims to eradicate the menace of Tuberculosis from the Indian Oil family by 2025. This pledge is in line with the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi's clarion call to end TB in India by 2025, five years ahead of the Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) target of 2030. The announcement was made by Shri Vaidya in the presence of IndianOil Functional Directors at the company's Corporate Office. The program will reach out to almost 7 lakh IndianOil stakeholders & family members. The stakeholders include employees, contractual workers, Fuel Station Customer attendants, LPG delivery personnel and Tank Truck Crew.

IndianOil will thus be implementing a tuberculosis elimination workplace policy at its locations across the country, by screening the entire workforce for Tuberculosis, creating awareness and capacity building of IndianOil's in-house medical doctors and paramedical staff. This is aimed at accelerating the National Tuberculosis Elimination Program. During the event, a 'TB MukT IndianOil Parivar' Application was also launched to facilitate monitoring and screening of IndianOil employees.

Speaking on the occasion, Shri S. M. Vaidya said, "Tuberculosis remains a public health crisis and a



Shri S.M. Vaidya, Chairman, IndianOil and other Functional Directors of IndianOil during the launch.

health security threat, and its rising footprint in India is a matter of grave concern. Our Health & Safety and HR Teams have crafted a blueprint for achieving the 'TB MukT IndianOil' mile stone by reaching out to our stakeholders in phases. IndianOil is a mini-India, with diverse cultural threads and multitudes. Thus a 'TB MukT IndianOil' will be a significant step towards achieving the national aspiration of a TB MukT Bharat".

Touching upon IndianOil's crusade against Tuberculosis beyond the workplace, Shri Vaidya added, "Under the aegis of the MoP&NG, IndianOil is also supporting India's fight against Tuberculosis through an integrated program to screen the population of Chhattisgarh and Uttar Pradesh. This mammoth endeavour is a strong demonstration of our core value of 'Care', the driving force for brand IndianOil over the last several decades".

Earlier, Shri Ranjan Kumar Mohapatra, Director (HR), Indian Oil, said, "IndianOil has drawn up a detailed program for achieving 'TB MukT IndianOil Parivar'. We will collaborate closely with the Central TB Division of the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare to make all efforts to fight against the disease".

This campaign, apart from enhancing awareness of Tuberculosis at IndianOil installations, will also identify high-risk populations, conduct systematic screening camps, and support the treatment of TB while securing the employability and earnings of the affected groups. IndianOil shall also carry out special training and workshops on TB diagnosis for IndianOil's Doctors, paramedical staff, and nurses. For smooth implementation, the teams will collaborate with District TB Officers for guidance, training of industrial staff and treatment & monitoring of affected stakeholders.

SAIL announces result of 'SAIL Swarna Jayanti Story Writing Competition – 2022'

Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL) announced the result of "SAIL Golden Jubilee Story Writing Competition- 2022", which SAIL had launched on 27th May, 2022, during the current "Golden Jubilee Year" of its inception (January 24, 1973). The competition was organized in both Hindi and English language on the theme: 'पिछले पांच दशकों में सेल का राष्ट्र निर्माण में योगदान'। 'SAIL's contribution in Nation building in the last five decades'.

The names of the winners in the Hindi category are as follows:

1st Prize winner is Shri Dani Prasad Sharma of Bhilai, Chhattisgarh.

2nd Prize winner is: Dr. Kamlesh Gogia of Raipur, Chhattisgarh.

3rd Prize winner is: Shri Ramesh Chand of Laxmi Nagar, New Delhi.

Consolation prize winner is: Smt. Animika Sahai of Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh.

The names of the winners in the English category are as follows:

1st Prize winner is: Smt. Sumona Rathaur of Durgapur, West Bengal.

2nd Prize winners are: Smt. Anindita Mahapatra of Rourkela, Odisha.

Smt. Munmun Mittra of Rourkela, Odisha.

Shri Abhilash Kumar Sharma of Burnpur, West Bengal.

3rd Prize winners are: Shri Rajib Banerjee of Ranchi, Jharkhand.

Shri Piyush Kamal of Burnpur, West Bengal.

Smt. Advika Sahai of Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh.

Consolation prize

winner is: Shri Laxmi Narayan Mallik of Kolkata, West Bengal.

Shri Sampad Mishra of Rourkela, Odisha.

Master Advay Sahai of Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh.

The competition was organized to provide an opportunity to the participants to showcase their creativity and writing skills, in which a large number of participants from across the country participated and showcased the role of SAIL in building the nation and society in the last five decades through their stories. The winners will be awarded with attractive prizes and certificates. All the participants will be provided participation certificates.

HSL completes Refit of INS Astrodharini and delivers the Vessel to Indian Navy Ahead of Schedule

Hindustan Shipyard Ltd (HSL) achieves another milestone of completing Normal Refit of INS Astradharini twenty one days ahead of schedule and the vessel has been handed over to the Indian Navy recently. This project was awarded to HSL on a competitive basis amongst stringent competition from Public and Private Yards. Incidentally, HSL has completed refit on the same vessel ahead of schedule in 2019 also. This a testimony that HSL has consistently been completing refits on or ahead of schedule for the last two



years. HSL has completed refits of 17 Ships during last year out of which 15 were on or ahead of schedule. In successful completion of refit of INS Astradharini, M/s Patel Engineering Works (PEW), an MSME played a crucial

role and PEW continues to work with HSL in many other projects. CMD, HSL said that it was made possible due to support of Indian Navy, ecosystem at ENC and experienced MSMEs available in Visakhapatnam.

PSEs Ink MoU

BEL, AWEIL signs MoU

Bharat Electronics Ltd (BEL) has signed an MoU with Advanced Weapons and Equipment India Limited (AWEIL), to jointly address the requirements of Indian Defence and Export markets. The MoU aims at leveraging the complementary



Shri Dinesh Kumar Batra, then CMD, BEL and Shri Ravin Kulshrestha, Director (Finance), AWEIL, exchange the MoU signed between BEL and AWEIL at Defexpo 2022, in the presence of Shri Bhanu Prakash Srivastava, Director (Other Units), Shri Manoj Jain, Director (R&D), and other senior officers of BEL and AWEIL.

strengths and capabilities of BEL and AWEIL to address domestic and export opportunities in the areas of Air Defence, Artillery Gun Systems, Medium Caliber Weapons, Small Arms and related systems.

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REC signs MoU with PFC for FY 23



Shri Vivek Kumar Dewanga, CMD, REC and Shri Ravinder Singh Dhillon, CMD, PFC and other Senior officials from REC & PFC after MoU signing.

REC Limited signed an MoU with PFC recently as per the DPE Performance Evaluation System for FY 2022-23 for CPSEs. Shri Vivek Kumar Dewangan, CMD, REC signed the MoU with Shri Ravinder Singh Dhillon, CMD, PFC in the presence of Shri Ajoy Choudhury, Director (Finance), REC, Shri V.K. Singh, Director (Technical), REC, Shri Manoj Sharma, Director (Commercial), PFC, Shri RR Jha, Director (Projects), PFC, Shri T.S.C. Bosh, Executive Director, REC and other senior officials from REC & PFC.

BHEL enters into Technology License Agreement with Sumitomo SHI FW, Finland for CFBC Boilers



Dr. Nalin Shinghal, CMD, BHEL; Shri Jai Prakash Srivastava, Director (Engineering, Research & Development), BHEL; Shri Asif Hussain, Sr. Vice President (Licensing, Strategy & Business Development), SFW and other Functional Directors of BHEL after MoU Signing.

Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) has entered into a long-term Technology License Agreement (TLA) with Sumitomo SHI FW, Finland (SFW) for design, engineering, manufacturing, erection, commissioning and sale of subcritical as well as supercritical Circulating Fluidised Bed Combustion (CFBC) Boilers in India and in overseas territories except select countries.

The agreement was signed by Shri Jai Prakash Srivastava, Director (Engineering, Research & Development), BHEL and Shri Asif Hussain, Sr. Vice President (Licensing, Strategy & Business Development), SFW, in the presence of Dr. Nalin Shinghal, CMD, BHEL and functional Directors on the Board of BHEL.

The TLA with SFW will strengthen BHEL's comprehensive capabilities to cater to power plant requirements meeting extant emission norms and contribute to the Government's 'Make in India' initiative.

CFBC boiler technology has inherent benefits viz. fuel flexibility while meeting extant emission norms and better operational flexibility at part loads vis-à-vis conventional coal-based technologies. Further, CFBC boilers have lower SOx and NOx emissions and hence do not require installation of additional emission control equipment/

systems. Significantly, this technology will also enable BHEL to provide bio-mass co-fired CFBC Boilers.

SFW is a global, innovative provider of energy and environmental technologies and services focusing on high efficiency and flexible generation of energy. SFW has the largest global network for CFBC technology, having delivered 540 plus CFBC boilers, which includes state-of-the-art Once-Through supercritical boilers supplied to large power plants running successfully over the past several years.

Personalia



Shri Ajit Kumar Saxena
assumes charge as Chairman & Managing Director of MOIL Limited.



Shri Santosh Kumar Yadav, IAS
assumes charge as Chairman of National Highways Authority of India.



Shri R.K. Vishnoi
CMD, THDC assumes additional charge as Chairman and Managing Director of NHPC Limited.



Shri S. N. Kapri
assumes charge as Director (Technical) P&P of South Eastern Coalfields Limited.



Shri Mukesh Choudhary
assumes charge as Director (Marketing) of Coal India Limited.



Shri Amit Garg
assumes charge as Director (Marketing) of Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited.



Shri Jitendra Malik
assumes charge as Director (Technical) of Northern Coal fields Limited.



Shri Nilendu Kumar Singh
assumes charge as Director (Technical) of Eastern Coalfields Limited.

PSEs CSR Activities

SAIL undertakes CSR on International Day of Persons with Disabilities with distribution of assistive device



Chairman, SAIL and other Directors with persons with disabilities to whom the assistive devices were distributed at New Delhi.

On the 'International Day of Persons with Disabilities' Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL), distributed assistive devices to Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjans) across its Plants/ Units and Corporate Office at New Delhi. SAIL has engaged Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India (ALIMCO) to undertake this Priority Programme under SAIL's Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR). Smt. Soma Mondal, Chairman, SAIL along with other senior officials of the Company was present during the event at New Delhi.

This priority programme of SAIL will be held across several locations in the country, mostly in the areas of operation of SAIL, in a phased manner under 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav'. The Divyangjans are being empowered through assistive aids like tricycle, motorized tricycles, smart canes & smart phones for visually impaired and hearing aids among others.

Currently, SAIL supports various focused facilities dedicated for Divyangjans at its plant locations viz ' School for Blind, Deaf and Mentally challenged children' and 'Home and Hope' at Rourkela, 'Asha lata Kendra' at Bokaro, 'Handicapped Oriented Education Program' and 'Durgapur Handicapped Happy Home' at Durgapur, and 'Cheshire Home' at Burnpur.

NLC India Limited organizes Free Medical Camp at RR Colony, Indira Nagar, Neyveli

NLC India Limited organized a Free Medical Camp at RR Colony, Indira Nagar, Government High School under its CSR initiative, benefitting the RR Colony, Neyveli & surrounding areas.

Social responsibility:

NLC India Hospital conducts free medical camps every year in surrounding villages of Neyveli as part of its Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) initiatives. Following the Free Medical Camp that was conducted at RR Colony (B-2 Block), Indira Nagar, Neyveli.

Specialist Doctors:

The camp was inaugurated by Dr. C. Dharini Mouli, General Superintendent (I/C) of NLC India



Dr. C. Dharini Mouli, General Superintendent (I/C) of NLC India Hospital, just after presenting Wheel chairs, at the Free Medical Camp organized on RR Colony, Indira Nagar, Neyveli by NLC India Limited.

Hospital, at Indira Nagar Government High School Campus. Specialist doctors, Medical staff, Nurses and Pharmacists of NLC India Limited from various departments like General Medicine, Pediatrics, Gynecology, Ophthalmology, Dental, ENT, Dermatology, Ortho-pediatrics, Ayurveda participated in the Medical Camp and provided treatment to the surrounding areas.

Free treatment along with Free Medical Aids & Equipment:

Blood tests were conducted and based on the reports, treatments were given accordingly. Free Medical Aids & Equipment like 18 Nos. of Hearing Aids, 9 Nos. of Wheel Chairs, 13 Nos. of Tripods and 4 No. of Walker was presented to the needy public. Also, First Aid Kits and a modern Water Purifier, named 'Water Doctor' were donated to the Indira Nagar Government High School by NLC India Limited.

Participants:

A total of 1145 persons including 332 Male, 553 Female and 260 pediatrics were benefitted by this camp. The occasion was graced by Smt. Rajalakshmi Krishna Murthy, President of Indira Nagar, Neyveli, Smt. Maanvizhi, Head Master, Indira Nagar Higher Secondary School

BEL installs Apheresis machine at Govt. MMG Hospital, Ghaziabad



General V. K. Singh, Minister of State for Road Transport and Highway, cutting the ribbon to inaugurate the Apheresis machine installed by BEL-Ghaziabad at the MMG District Hospital, Ghaziabad, as part of CSR. Shri Giriraja N, General Manager (DCCS/BEL-Ghaziabad), and Smt. Aparna Tiwari, Sr. DGM (CSR)/BEL-Ghaziabad

The Ghaziabad Unit of Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL) has donated an Apheresis machine to the blood bank of MMG District Hospital, Ghaziabad, as part of its Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activities.

General V. K. Singh, Minister of State for Road Transport and Highway, inaugurated the machine

installed at the hospital. Shri Vikramaditya Singh Malik, Chief Development Officer, Dr. Bhavtosh Shankhdhar, Chief Medical Officer, Ghaziabad, Dr. Manoj Chaturvedi, CMS, MMG Hospital, Shri Giriraja N, General Manager (DCCS/BEL-Ghaziabad), Shri Chetan Auti Patil, Sr. DGM (HR)/BEL-Ghaziabad, Smt. Aparna Tiwari, Sr. DGM (CSR)/BEL-Ghaziabad, doctors and senior officers were present.

The Apheresis is a high-end machine used for assistance in blood component therapy. The machine takes blood from the donor and separates it into different components: platelets, plasma, white and red blood cells, using a single-use kit for each donor. Only those components required for the patient are finally extracted and remaining components are returned to the donor. The machine is best utilised for treatment of Anaemia (RBC), Dengue (platelets) and COVID (plasma). At MMG Hospital, a team of doctors have been trained to operate the machine. Apheresis was hitherto not available in Government hospitals in Ghaziabad, and patients were being treated manually.

BEL-Ghaziabad is engaged in many significant CSR projects in the areas of health care, education, sanitation, vocational skill development, etc., all of which are aimed at the development and well-being of the society at large.

Power Minister inaugurates 10 Mobile Health Clinics 'Doctor Apke Dwar' under REC's CSR project worth 12.68 Crore in Bhojpur, Bihar

Shri R.K. Singh, Cabinet Minister of Power and New & Renewable Energy inaugurated REC's CSR initiative for procurement, operation and maintenance of ten Mobile Health Clinics (MHC) at Sadar Hospital, Aarah, Bhojpur District Bihar. The total cost of the project is Rs. 12.68 crore which will facilitate operational expenditure for three years for smooth functioning of the project. At the occasion, Minister, Shri R.K. Singh emphasized that the benefit of such projects should reach the poorest of the poor and people from the under privileged sections of the society in order to provide better healthcare



Shri R.K. Singh, Minister of Power and New & Renewable Energy inaugurating REC's ten Mobile Health Clinics (MHC) at Sadar Hospital, Aarah, Bhojpur District Bihar.

facilities to all. In his address he further reinstated that active participation of the district administration and constant monitoring by all agencies involved in the implementation is imperative for speedy and timely progress of the project. The event was also attended by Shri Ajoy Choudhury, Director (Finance), REC, Shri Vikram Virkar, DDC, Bhojpur, Shri Rajat Jain, President, Doctors for You, Shri Bhupesh Chandolia, HOD (CSR) and Shri Joginath Pradhan, Sr. CPM, Patna. Other senior officials from REC, District Administration and DFY were also present at the ceremony.

The 10 MHCs, out of which three are exclusively for women, will provide door-step primary health care service to the underprivileged population across all 14 blocks of Bhojpur district in Bihar. Each MHC shall be equipped with additional basic equipment and shall have a four-person team including a doctor, a nurse, a pharmacist and a driver cum support staff. Free generic medicines shall also be dispensed to the patients. Each MHC will organize over 20 camps per month and see 50-70 patients every day.

PFC donates Critical Care Ambulances to Nubra Health Dept. under CSR



Shri R.S. Dhillon, CMD, PFC; Shri Jamyang Tsering Namgyal, Member of Parliament and senior officials from UT Ladakh and PFC during the flag-off ceremony at Ladakh Bhawan, New Delhi.

Power Finance Corporation Ltd (PFC) has donated four advanced critical care ambulances with a view to upgrading the Public Health Infrastructure in Nubra Sub-Division, Leh District through Rogi Kalyan Samiti (Nubra) under its CSR.

The flag-off ceremony took place at Ladakh Bhawan in the presence of the Member of Parliament Shri Jamyang Tsering Namgyal, Shri R.S. Dhillon, CMD, PFC, Shri Manoj Sharma, Director (Commercial), PFC, Shri Tsering Angchuk Deputy CEC, and other senior officials from UT Ladakh and PFC.

The ambulances are part of a health infrastructure project worth Rs. 6.93 crore sanctioned by PFC to Health Department of Nubra, which also includes a CT Scan Machine, essential Laboratory equipment and construction of basic accommodation facilities at Sub-District Hospital and other Primary Health Care Centres. The project was proposed by Health Department, Nubra through District Administration, Leh considering the fact that the nearest District Hospital is about 120 km away at Khardungla.

Almost all the equipment including Ambulances have been procured and the construction of the building is also in progress. Speaking on the occasion, Shri R.S Dhillon, CMD, PFC stated that positioning a Cardiac and Critical Care Ambulance in the valley would save valuable time, as medical intervention can be undertaken early within the vehicle by trained staff, thereby saving precious lives.

Awards & Accolades to PSEs

NTPC conferred with SHRM HR Excellence Awards 2022



Shri D. K. Patel, Director (HR), NTPC, along with other senior officials of NTPC during "SHRM HR Excellence Awards 2022".

NTPC Limited received the "SHRM HR Excellence Awards 2022" in a function held at New Delhi. NTPC has been awarded Winner for both "Excellence in Developing Leaders of Tomorrow" and "Excellence in Community Impact". Shri D. K. Patel, Director (HR), along with other senior officials received the Award on behalf of NTPC.

These awards recognize the pioneering and innovative people management practices that impact not just organizations but also business, society and the profession as a whole, all Applications are put through a three – level rigorous evaluation process.

"Excellence in Developing Leaders of Tomorrow" Category recognizes organizations that conduct programs and/or follow best practices to identify, from within the organization & develop leaders of tomorrow to take on the new and challenging organizational roles that they will play in the future.

"Excellence in Community Impact" Category recognizes organizations that have effectively leveraged their human resources to undertake initiatives for the betterment of the environment, or the upliftment of underprivileged sections of society.

NHPC wins Gold Award for best presented Annual Report for FY 2020-21

The South Asian Federation of Accountants (SAFA) has awarded the "Gold Award" to NHPC Limited



Shri R.P. Goyal, Director (Finance), NHPC receiving Gold Award from Auditor General of Nepal.

for the best-presented Annual Report for FY 2020-21 in the category "Infrastructure & Construction Sector". This award is given by the SAFA Committee for Improvement in Transparency, Accountability & Governance from the published annual reports of entities of South Asian countries.

The Auditor General of Nepal presented the award to Shri R.P. Goyal, Director (Finance), NHPC Ltd. in the programme organized at Kathmandu, Nepal.

OIL's CSR projects OIL Swabalamban and SDI, Guwahati bags CSR Times Award 2022

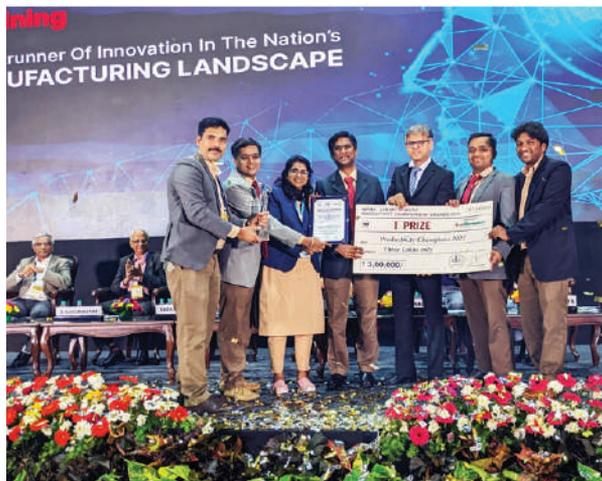


Smt. Pratibha Bhowmik, Union Minister of State for Social Justice and Empowerment Presenting the Award to Shri Ranjan Goswami, CGM (PR), OIL in the presence of other distinguished guests.

Oil India Limited (OIL) was conferred with the CSR Times Award 2022 in Gold category for its Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) projects in the area of Skill Development viz. OIL Swabalamban and Skill Development Institute, Guwahati at the 9th CSR Times Summit and Awards ceremony held in New Delhi.

Smt. Pratibha Bhowmik, Union Minister of State for Social Justice and Empowerment in the presence of other distinguished guests presented the award. On behalf of OIL, Shri Ranjan Goswami, CGM (PR) received the award.

BEL bags 2 IMTMA Productivity Awards



The BEL team from Export Manufacturing SBU of Bangalore Complex receiving the IMTMA Productivity Awards.

The Export Manufacturing Strategic Business Unit of the Bangalore Complex of Bharat Electronics Limited bagged 2 awards at the National Productivity Summit organised by the Indian Machine Tool Manufacturers' Association (IMTMA). BEL received the Champion of Champions Award (First Prize) and the Vox Populi (Voice of the Audience) Award for outstanding contribution to raising manufacturing productivity. The prize-winning team consisted of Shri Premkumar D, Shri Nagendra Babu R, Shri Deepak G H, Smt. Kalyani B, Shri Changappa N. R. and Shri Anjan K N of Export Manufacturing SBU, Bangalore Complex, BEL.

The award winning case study focussed on how BEL entered into the field of manufacturing ICU

ventilators for the first time and took up the challenge to manufacture 30,000 ICU ventilators in a record time of 90 days, against all unprecedented odds during the first wave of the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Government of India reposed confidence in BEL and its agile production system capability when it placed an order for 30,000 ICU ventilators. Manufacturing these ventilators was undertaken during the lockdown period. BEL received immense support from various government agencies to resolve the supply chain disruptions. The project was taken up in the first week of April 2020 and the production of 30,000 Ventilators was successfully completed on August 14, 2020, surmounting many challenges.

Some of the key challenges faced by BEL were: BEL entered into critical care medical equipment manufacturing with no prior experience/domain knowledge/infrastructure; Design to Delivery of 30,000 ventilators in a short span of 90 days; importing critical components with export restriction and overseas domestic demand, dynamic pricing and unpredictable lead times; sub-contracting of work packages from MSMEs due to the nationwide lockdown; logistics issues due to cross border and inter-State traffic closure, etc.; meeting various technical parameters during concurrent production phase since the CV 200 Ventilator was continuously being upgraded by the design teams (DRDO, Skanray and BEL) to cater to indigenization efforts of critical components; Clinical trials and approvals by DGHS as the CV200 was a new launch; realignment of manufacturing facility to meet production of medical grade ICU Ventilator in lieu of defence products.

The approach adopted by BEL which led to success include: Creation of War Room for making faster and dynamic decisions; ToT partners' identification and co-location of BEL and ToT teams; infrastructure creation/realignment; formation of cross-functional task force teams with specific tasks; obtaining statutory certifications; multiple/alternate sourcing for critical and long lead parts; timely indigenisation of imported parts; production at multiple business units; online training of medical professionals on use of the ventilator; pan India installation network.

BHEL wins record number of CII-EXIM Bank Awards for Business Excellence - 2022



Dr. Nalin Shinghal, CMD, BHEL receiving the award in the presence of other dignitaries.

Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) has achieved another major milestone in its journey of Business Excellence under its 'Quality First' movement with a record number of CII-EXIM Bank Awards for Business Excellence 2022.

BHEL is the recipient of CII-Exim Bank's first-ever 'Special Jury Commendation for Adoption and Nurturance of Business Excellence'. The company's Trichy, Haridwar, Bhopal and Hyderabad units have received the Platinum recognition, and Project Engineering Management, Electronics Division - Bengaluru, Power Sector – Northern Region and Ranipet divisions have been awarded the Gold Plus recognition.

The awards were received by the divisions in the presence of Dr. Nalin Shinghal, CMD at the 30th CII Excellence Summit in Bengaluru. These awards are based on the internationally recognised European Foundation for Quality Management (EFQM) excellence model. Notably, BHEL was the first PSU to get the CII-EXIM Bank award in the year 2006.

POWERGRID bestowed International Award for CSR

Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd



Shri V. K. Singh, Director (Personnel), POWERGRID receiving the CSR World Leader 2022 Award at the Houses of Parliament, Palace of Westminster, London

(POWERGRID) conferred the "CSR World Leader 2022" Award at a carbon-neutral presentation ceremony at the Houses of Parliament, Palace of Westminster, London recently. The award was received by Shri V. K. Singh, Director (Personnel).

The honor was bestowed upon POWERGRID in appreciation of its commitment to a successful Corporate Social Responsibility program that has its credentials as Company that Cares about its community, colleagues, clients, suppliers and the environment. POWERGRID is the only Indian entity to have been honored with this international recognition competing against 500 Global nominees. POWERGRID was honored with **International CSR Excellence Award 2022**, London.

Corporate Social Responsibility is embedded into POWERGRID's business model. Much before the CSR Act 2013 was enacted, POWERGRID had been consistently contributing in the field of social development in and around its business establishments spread all across the country. Adopting a 360-degree approach towards implementation of CSR interventions, the Company consults and engages with all its stakeholders. With well-defined and customized Exit Policy for the implemented CSR projects this state utility emphasizes on Community Participation by way of effective Collaboration, Capacity Building and Sustainability aligned to the UN Sustainable Development Goals.

ONGC 'Sagar Samrat' starts Oil and Gas production in Arabian Sea

The iconic offshore drilling Rig of ONGC 'Sagar Samrat' has been commissioned as a Mobile Offshore Production Unit (MOPU). Sagar Samrat MOPU will handle up to 20,000 barrels per day of crude oil, with a maximum export gas capacity of 2.36 million cubic meters per day and is expected to add 6000 bbls/day of oil to ONGC's production in the coming days. The first oil from WO-16 cluster flowed into the processing system of MOPU and dispatch to onshore terminal commenced.

WO-16 is a cluster of four marginal fields in the Arabian Sea at a water depth of 75-80 m and 130 km from Mumbai which is about 40 km from the Mumbai High. Since, no nearby facility exists to produce from this field, it was planned to install a MOPU for production, processing and transportation of oil and gas from WO-16 Cluster.



Sagar Samrat, the Legend, stands tall in its new Avatar as MOPU in WO16 Field.

The project to convert Jack-up rig Sagar Samrat into a MOPU was awarded to a Consortium of Mercator Oil & Gas Ltd, Mercator Offshore (P) Ltd and Gulf Piping Company (GPC) on 17 November 2011. After several hurdles like the legal challenges and Covid-19, the MOPU was transported to India, on a Heavy Lift Vessel and post statutory clearances, successfully installed close to the

WO-16 wellhead platform on 16 April 2022.

The Sagar Samrat conversion project is one of the most complex projects executed by ONGC. The MOPU stands tall in the Arabian Sea, as a testimony, to narrate the stories of several tough decisions taken during its execution and the excellent stakeholder consultation by ONGC which eventually yielded results.



Sagar Samrat Jack up Rig being towed to GPC yard for conversion.

WAPCOS successfully constructs National Institute of Unani Medicine

Hon'ble Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi inaugurated the "National Institute of Unani Medicine (NIUM)"- A 200 bedded hospital complex with Medical College and residential facility at Ghaziabad, virtually, during 9th World Ayurveda Congress & Arogya Expo held at Goa.

WAPCOS has successfully constructed this premier Institute, equipped with all State-of-the-art facilities for Ministry of Ayush, Government of India. The ceremony at NIUM, Ghaziabad was led by General Dr. V.K. Singh (Retd.), Hon'ble Union MoS for



General Dr. V.K. Singh (Retd.), Union MoS for Road Transport & Highways and Civil Aviation, Shri Atul Garg, MLA, Ghaziabad, Smt. Kavita Garg, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Ayush and Shri R. K. Agrawal, CMD, WAPCOS during the inauguration of National Institute of Unani Medicine at Ghaziabad.

Road Transport & Highways and Civil Aviation. The institute was constructed in a time bound manner.

New Downstream Product of NALCO Launched by Secretary, Mines, GoI

National Aluminium Company Limited (NALCO), has launched a new downstream product- Aluminium LED Cap stock in Alloy AA1100 with temper H12 in coil form. The product was formally launched by Shri Vivek Bharadwaj, Secretary, Ministry of Mines, Govt of India, in virtual mode during his visit to NALCO Corporate office. Shri Sridhar Patra, CMD, NALCO, Dr. Veena Kumari D, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Mines, Govt of India, Directors and senior official of NALCO were notably present during the product launching ceremony. Besides, as part of the launching ceremony, special arrangements were also made at the production unit i.e at the Rolled Product Unit at NALCO's Smelter Plant at Angul. The 1st consignment of the product was also dispatched on the



Shri Sridhar Patra, CMD, NALCO, Dr. Veena Kumari D, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Mines, Govt of India, Directors and senior official of NALCO during launch.

occasion. Worth mentioning that the Aluminium LED Cap stock in Alloy AA1100, is used for manufacturing of Aluminium cup, which is used as cap in LED bulbs that acts as heat sink. Aluminum is an ideal choice

for heat sink applications and Alloy AA1100 having higher conductivity is therefore suitable for LED bulb cap. With launching of this new downstream product, market share of NALCO will be enhanced.

CAMPUS FOR NEWLY QUALIFIED CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS (NQCAs) FEBRUARY - MARCH, 2023

Maintaining strong and spontaneous relationship with the industry and other business houses remains the main focus of the **Committee for members in Industry & Business (CMI&B)** of **The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI)**. An initiative to that effect remains the Campus Placement Programme (held twice a year) that provides a platform to both the NQCAs and the organizations looking for to hire the best available talents to fulfil their human resource requirement. ICAI simply acts as a facilitator to bring the recruiter and NQCAs together.

Invitation to Organisations- Any corporation, irrespective of its size, standing in the market and boundary of its business, can take part in this placement programme being held at 27 centers across the country during February- March, 2023.



Campus Interview Schedule (Virtual):

S.No.	Centre	Dates
1	Mumbai	21st, 23rd, 27th February, 2023, 1st, 6th & 10th March, 2023
2	Delhi	22nd, 24th, 28th February, 2023, 2nd, 6th & 10th March, 2023
3	Bengaluru	23rd, 27th February, 2023, 1st, 3rd, 7th & 10th March, 2023
4	Chennai	24th, 28th February, 2023, 3rd, 7th, 9th & 13th March, 2023
5	Kolkata	28th February, 2023, 3rd, 7th, 9th, 13th & 15th March, 2023
6	Ahmedabad, Hyderabad, Jaipur & Pune	1st, 7th, 9th, 13th, 15th & 17th March, 2023
7	Durgapur, Nagpur, Rajkot, Lucknow, Raipur, Bhopal, Ernakulam, Visakhapatnam, Patna, Vadodara & Ranchi	13th April 2023
8	Kanpur	14th & 17th April, 2023
9	Noida & Thane	17th & 19th April, 2023
10	Bhubaneswar, Chandigarh, Coimbatore & Indore	21st & 25th April, 2023

Invitation to Candidates: The above Campus is meant for the candidates, who would be passing the CA Final examination held in November, 2022 and also for others who have qualified earlier and are fulfilling the criteria mentioned in the announcement available on <https://cmib.icai.org/>.

Organizations intending to recruit NQCAs through campus scheme are requested to get in touch with the **CMI&B Secretariat, ICAI Bhawan, Indraprastha Marg, New Delhi - 110002**, and Email: campus@icai.in, Tel No. (011) 30110555 and to register log on to <https://cmib.icai.org/>.

Candidates may email at cajob@icai.in, Tel No. (011)30110491/550 and to register log on to <https://cmib.icai.org/>.

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