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NSIC News

Shri Giriraj Singh, Hon'ble Minister of State (I/C) MSME, Inaugurates National SC ST Hub Conclave at Nagpur



The Ministry of MSME organized 22 states Conclaves nationwide along with Industry Associations, CPSE's State Government, incubators Banks to sensitize the Stakeholders under this scheme. 9555 number of SC/ST entrepreneurs participated in 22 states conclave. 58 Government Buying Agencies including PSUs, Indian Railways, BSNL, BSF, participated and highlighted their vendor registration process.

Shri Giriraj Singh, Hon'ble Minister of State (I/C) MSME, and Dr. Arun Kumar Panda, Secretary, MSME inaugurate NTSC - Advanced Training Centre



Shri Giriraj Singh, Hon'ble Minister, MSME congratulates Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC on this initiative of the NSIC for the growth of MSME sector and offering various types of advanced training for the youth of the country.

Shri Giriraj Singh, Hon'ble Minister of State (I/C) MSME and Dr. Arun Kumar Panda, Secretary, MSME applaud NSIC Rapid Incubation Centre for Entrepreneurship Development

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Shri. Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC while addressing the NSIC Employees on the occasion of the New Year 2018 extended his warmest wishes for the new year 2018 and urged each one to rededicate themselves for putting up the best ever results for NSIC in 2017-18 alongwith working towards maximum welfare of the maximum people. The special highlight of the program was a grand cultural performance by employees of the NSIC that greatly enthralled the audience. Thirty Children of the serving NSIC Employees who have scored 91% and above in Class X/Class XII were also given NSIC scholarship. Also present on this occasion were Shri P. Udayakumar, Director(P&M), NSIC and Shri A.K.Mittal.Director(Finance), NSIC



CMD, NSIC Releases NSIC's New Year Calendar



NSIC Scholarship Winners - A Proud Moment for NSICians

NSIC Conferred with “ET Now - CSR Leadership Award”

NSIC is conferred with “ET Now - CSR Leadership Award” at the Green Future Leadership awards held at Mumbai on 18th Feb 2018, acknowledging its CSR initiatives in activities like Health Care and Medical assistance to specially abled and other weaker sections of the society, education, Safe Drinking Water, Women Empowerment, Skill Development, Environment Sustainability etc.




Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC conferred with “Outstanding leadership Award”

Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC conferred with “Outstanding leadership Award” for achieving Business Excellence through Creativity, Innovation and Entrepreneurship at the 19th edition of the National Management Summit held at New Delhi.



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- He has also carried foreign assignments with African countries for developing policy frame work & guidelines towards MSME development.
- He has long experience of dealing with promotion, development and financing of industries, exports and other small & large projects.
- His vision is to provide a common platform to youth, from diverse economic backgrounds, to become self-employed through creation of new small enterprises and ease out the unemployment problem in the country.
- He is instrumental in spreading "NSIC innovative model of Rapid incubation for Entrepreneurship Development to diverse parts of the country and amongst different agencies so as to start the trend of converting "Unemployment to self-Employed"
- Introducing the concept of organizing "Job Melas" in the country to empower the NSIC Trainees/Incubates for placement in industry.
- His Hobbies are Reading Books, listening to Music.

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Special Vendor Development Program for SC/ST units

NSIC Cochin with Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre

A Special Vendor Development Programme (SVDP) for SC/ST Entrepreneurs was conducted by NSIC (Cochin) in association with Dalit Indian Chamber of Commerce and Industry (DICCI), Kerala Chapter & Central PSUs - Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd (Kochi Refinery), HLL Life Care Ltd (HLL), Thiruvananthapuram, Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre (VSSC), Thiruvananthapuram & Sree Chitra Thirunal Institute of Medical Sciences and Technology, Thiruvananthapuram on 25th October 2017 at Thiruvananthapuram. Shri P. Udayakumar, Director (Planning & Marketing), NSIC was the Chief Guest for this program. During his inaugural address, he highlighted the role played by the National SC-ST Hub and the schemes which have been designed by NSIC to benefit SC/ST Entrepreneurs. The Public

Procurement Policy 2012 and the benefits being granted to SC/ST Entrepreneurs therein were also highlighted upon and he urged the entrepreneurs to avail of the various schemes formulated upon for the benefit of MSMEs. The Central PSUs were also encouraged to avail this opportunity and register maximum entrepreneurs belonging to SC/ST category as their vendors and offered DICCI, Central PSUs and assured the SC/ST entrepreneurs all the support from NSIC in this regard.



NSIC Noida with GAIL and IOCL

NSIC (Noida) organised a Special Vendor Development for SC / ST Entrepreneurs with GAIL (on 27th Oct. 2017) and IOCL (on 01 Nov. 2017) respectively to sensitize them on the benefits of GST, Udyog Aadhaar, MSME Databank & Public Procurement Policy. 51 entrepreneurs (out of which 31 belonged to SC/ST category) participated in the IOCL meet and 46 in the GAIL event (out of which 26 belonged to SC/ST category). Speaking on the occasion, Shri P. Udayakumar, Director (P&M), NSIC urged the participants to come forward and avail the various offerings of National SC/ST Hub.



NSIC Visakhapatnam with ONGC & HPCL



NSIC (Visakhapatnam) on the occasion of National Entrepreneurship Day i.e. on 09.11.2017 organized a Special Vendor Development Program for SC/ST entrepreneurs in association with ONGC & HPCL at Visakhapatnam. Keeping with the theme for this year “Catalyzing a cultural shift in youth entrepreneurship”, majority of the participants were first generation startup entrepreneurs. On this occasion Indian Overseas Bank participated in the program and explained their credit schemes for MSMEs. Sri K.Srinivas, Zonal Head (South-2), NSIC Ltd., addressed the gathering and explained the various schemes of NSIC for SC/ST entrepreneurs. More than 35 Entrepreneurs participated in the program.

NSIC Varanasi with NHDC



Special Vendor Development Program was organized by NSIC Ltd., (Varanasi) on 31.10.17 with National Handloom Development Corporation Ltd. The event was attended by 22 MSE's. The Event was chaired by Shri. Bani Ranjan Das ,Regional Manager (NHDC) and R.K Hajela, Sr. Branch Manager Varanasi. The event was coordinated by Shri. Vinod Jaiswal (Asst. Manager) B.O-Varanasi

NSIC Gurgaon with EIL

A vendor development programme on 02.11.2017 was organized by Engineers India Ltd, Gurgaon for the participation of SC/ST units in Public procurement policy. Shri P.Udaykumar, Director (P&M) NSIC was the Special Guest of the programme and delivered the lecture on benefits available for SC/ST units under SC/ST hub and also gave emphasis to avail the benefits under various NSIC schemes. The programme was also attended by Shri Harish Chandra ZGM



NCR and Shri Dhirender Kumar, Branch Manager NSIC Gurgaon. The Programme was attended by 32 SC/ST category entrepreneurs.

NSIC Peenya, Bangalore with SIDBI

The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd.- NSIC Branch Office, Peenya organized an awareness campaign for SC/ST enterprises with Mysore district SC/ST Industrial Association on 24-10-2017 in association with District Industries Centre, Mysore, MSME-DI, SIDBI, KIADB Mysore, MUDA Mysore and FKCCI Bangalore. Shri Dhruva Narayan, MP, Chamaraja Nagar graced the occasion as the chief guest of the program. The program was attended by 95 entrepreneur belonging to SC / ST category.



Hon'ble Minister, MSME Shri Giriraj Singh launches Public Procurement Portal for MSEs – “MSME Sambandh”

A Public Procurement Portal ‘MSME Sambandh’ was launched by Shri Giriraj Singh, Minister of State (Independent Charge) for MSME, on 8th Dec, 2017 at New Delhi. The objective of the portal is to monitor the implementation of the Public Procurement from MSEs by Central Public Sector Enterprises. The Procurement Policy launched in 2012 mandates the Central Government Departments/CPSUs to procure necessarily from MSEs i.e. every Central Ministry/Department/PSU shall set an annual

goal for procurement from the MSE sector at the beginning of the year, with the objective of achieving an overall procurement goal of minimum of 20 per cent of the total annual purchases of the products or services produced or rendered by MSEs. By creating an online portal, the Ministries and the CPSEs can assess their performance. The Micro and Small Enterprises would also be able to access the information about the products being procured by CPSEs. Thus, it would help the MSEs in participating in the procurement process. Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC addressed the participants at the launch of this portal. Also present on this occasion were Dr. A.K.Panda, Secretary, MSME, Smt. Seema Bahuguna, Secretary, BPE, Shri Ram Mohan Mishra, AS&DC (MSME), Shri B.H. Anilkumar and Ms. Alka Arora, Joint Secretary, MSME and officials from CPSEs and Various Ministries.



Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC interacts with Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, Hon'ble Minister for Skill Development and Entrepreneurship

Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC meets with Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, Hon'ble Minister for Skill Development and Entrepreneurship to discuss various activities carried out and to be undertaken by NSIC in the state of Odisha. CMD, NSIC also apprised Hon'ble Minister about the performance of NSIC in the last decade 2007-2017.

Sh. A.K. Panda, Secretary, MSME inaugurates India Sourcing Fair (Russia)

Sh. A.K. Panda, Secretary, MSME inaugurated India Sourcing Fair at Saint Petersburg, Russia (22-24 March, 2018). The Delegation was led by Secretary (MSME) accompanied by Sh. Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC, along with Dr. PGS Rao, Director, Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises, Government of India and Sh. Samar Nanda, Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises, Government of India visited Russia to promote Indian MSMEs and also to explore the possibilities of cooperation in MSME Sector between the two countries. 21 Indian MSMEs mobilized by NSIC participated in the India Sourcing Fair.



Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal, Hon'ble Minister of State for Water Resources, Ganga Rejuvenation and Parliamentary Affairs visits NSIC

Sh. Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC welcomed Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal, Hon'ble Minister of State for Water Resources, Ganga Rejuvenation and Parliamentary Affairs during his recent visit to NSIC's Rapid Incubation Centre for entrepreneurship creation and Advanced Training Centre for Skill Development at New Delhi. Sh. Nath apprised him about how NSIC has been assisting micro and small enterprises in India and Abroad. He also apprised him of how NSIC's Technical Centers are creating self-employment opportunities for the youth and also promoting setting up of new MSMEs in the country. Hon'ble Minister Sh. Arjun Ram Meghwal showed keen interest in the simple and low-cost projects in the centre which encourage entrepreneurship and transform youth from "Job seekers to job providers" by making them entrepreneurs and improving their skill sets by providing advanced training. Hon'ble Minister, Sh. Meghwal appreciated the excellent work been done by NSIC for the growth of MSMEs in the country. He also expressed that NSIC has improved a lot under the leadership of Sh. Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC and his team. He appreciated CMD, NSIC for excellent job done by him. Also present on the occasion were Sh. A.K. Mittal, Director (Finance) and other senior officials of NSIC.



Dr. Sumeet Jerath, Additional Secretary & Financial Advisor, Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, visited NSIC

A delegation led by Dr. Sumeet Jerath, Additional Secretary & Financial Advisor, Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, visited NSIC Rapid Incubation Centre for entrepreneurship development and Advanced Training Centre on 5th January, 2018. Shri Prashant Agrawal, Joint Secretary, Ms. Priyanka Chuhan, Director (Finance) and Shri S. Chinpau Ngaihte, Under Secretary from Ministry of External Affairs were also present during the visit. Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC apprised him of various activities of NSIC for the promotion and development of MSMEs in India and abroad. During the visit, Dr. Jerath expressed that such Incubation Centres are appropriate for creation and development of MSMEs in developing countries including Africa.



NSIC participates in National Public Procurement Conclave 2017

Shri P. UdayaKumar, Director (Planning & Marketing) addressed the officials from different CPSEs, Representatives from MSMEs at the “National Public Procurement Conclave, 2017” organized by CII in partnership with GeM at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi. The programme was inaugurated by Sh. Alphons

Kannanthanam, Hon’ble MoS, MeitY & MoS (I/C), Tourism and also addressed by Sh. K. Rajaraman, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Finance, Sh.PS Jayakumar, Executive Director, Bank of Baroda, Smt. S Radha Chauhan, CEO, Government E-Market Place (GeM) and attended by MSMEs and Government officials from various Ministries and CPSEs.

NSIC organises Vigilance Awareness Week

Vigilance awareness week has been observed by The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd.-NSIC from 30th October - 4th of November 2017 coinciding with the birthday of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. The week was celebrated at NSIC corporate office and its branches across the country. During the week, various activities like observing of integrity pledges, display of banners, deliverance of lectures, workshops, essay writing etc were undertaken. On this occasion, a Training Program on Preventive Vigilance was also organized on 04th Nov 2017 wherein 31 employees participated and faculty from various PSUs and Banks shared their experience and enriched the participants. Shri A. K. Mittal, Director (Finance), NSIC inaugurated this Training Program. NSIC Vigilance Department organized an essay writing competition on 01st November 17 which was open to all the



employees of the corporation. The competition was organized on the main theme of the vigilance week ‘My Vision-Corruption Free India’. The response was very encouraging as a large number of officers participated in the competition. Integrity pledge was administered and e-integrity pledge was taken by all the employees of the Corporation across the country.

Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC inaugurates a Free Diabetes Screening Camp

Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC inaugurated a free Diabetes/Hypertension related end-organ-damage screening camp for underprivileged high-risk diabetes patients, organised by Diabetes Care Foundation at Chattarpur Dispensary on



11th Feb 2018. The camp, which will continue till 31st March, aims to provide underprivileged and high risk patients in the community free and easy access to advanced, state-of-the-art life saving diagnostic facilities. Speaking on the occasion Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC stated that Diabetes is no longer “a rich man’s disease”, the burden that diabetes places on poor patients is much higher than that on patients who are well off because of the complications it causes for other major organ system and such initiatives would go a long way in providing the much needed care.



National Voters Day

In the presence of Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC; a pledge was administered by Shri A.K. Mittal, Director (Finance), NSIC to all the Officers and Staff of NSIC, on the occasion of National Voters Day on 25th Jan 2018. Speaking on the occasion, Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC stated that all NSICians must continue to give their best performance for the growth of NSIC and the MSME sector.

NSIC celebrates Constitution Day

The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd.- NSIC celebrated Constitution Day on 26-11-2017 also known as Samvidhan Divas. On this day in 1949, Constituent Assembly of India adopted the Constitution of India which later came into effect on 26th January, 1950. Previously this day was celebrated as Law Day Shri Gaurang Dixit, CGM, NSIC lead the employees in taking the pledge, by reciting the Preamble to the Constitution.



NSIC Celebrates International Women's Day 2018



On the occasion of International Women's Day 2018, an interaction meet was organized for the Women Employees with the Directors on Board, NSIC Shri P.Udayakumar, Director(P&M) and Shri A.K.Mittal, Director(Finance) on 08th March 2018. During the interaction it was emphasized that women must spare substantial time for self-care, healthcare and last but not the least for making the most of the precious life by giving their best for the growth of NSIC and living it to the fullest. Also present on this occasion was Shri Rajesh Tripathi, GM (HR), NSIC. 55 employees participated.

NSIC Incubation Centres & LBIs celebrate National Entrepreneurship Day

NSIC Incubation Centres & Livelihood Business Incubation Centres across the country celebrated National Entrepreneurship Day on 09.11.2017 by organizing various events including seminar & workshop on leadership, innovation, creativity and entrepreneurship by expert speakers. Deliberations on various schemes of Government of India to promote entrepreneurship were also made. The theme of the event was 'Catalysing a cultural shift in youth entrepreneurship'. The events organized at the Centres were attended by a large number of youths aspiring to take up entrepreneurship as carrier. The events were attended and addressed by the representatives of organizations associated in entrepreneurship development at regional level viz. DICs, Banks, Industry Associations etc.



Let's make Swachh NSIC Swachh Bharat



Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC welcomes Hon`ble Minister, MSME Shri Giriraj Singh and Secretary, MSME Dr. Arun Kumar Panda, to Swachthaa Pakhwadaa

Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC welcomes Hon`ble Minister, MSME Shri Giriraj Singh and Secretary, MSME Dr. Arun Kumar Panda, to Swachthaa Pakhwadaa organised by NSIC at NSIC-Technical Services Centre, New Delhi. Also present on this occasion were Shri P. Udayakumar, Director(P&M), NSIC along with senior officers of NSIC.





NSIC marches ahead in the direction of Swachh Bharat Abhiyan. NSIC has embraced Swachh Bharat Mission and aims to keep the streets, roads and infrastructure of India's industrial areas clean.

On the occasion of Swachhta Pakhwada NSIC carries out plantation drive



On the occasion of Swachhta Pakhwada The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd NSIC carried out plantation drive and planted around 30 saplings. Sh. Navin Chopra, CGM-SG NSIC began the drive by planting a sapling.

Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC inaugurates Seminar on Innovative Technologies on Cleanliness

On the occasion of Swachhta Pakhwada, Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC inaugurated Seminar on Innovative Technologies on Cleanliness on 09th Dec 2017 at NSIC -Technical Services Centre, New Delhi. More than 100 students undergoing various Entrepreneurship Development and Skill upgradation Training programs at the NSIC Advance Training Centre participated in this seminar. Speaking on the occasion, Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC stated that we should imbibe "Swachhta" in our day to day lives to build a healthy nation. Also present on this occasion was Shri P.Udayakumar, Director (P&M), NSIC alongwith senior officers of NSIC.



NSIC Conferred with 1st SWATCHTHA AWARDS 2017

Shri Giriraj Singh, Hon`ble Minister of MSME conferred NSIC Head office with 1st SWATCHTHA AWARDS 2017 under the most Cleanest Office. The Award was received by Shri P. Udayakumar, Director (P&M), NSIC. Also present on this occasion were Dr. Arun Kumar Panda, Secretary (MSME), Shri R. Iyer, Secretary, Ministry of Water Sanitation, Shri Ravindra

Nath, CMD, NSIC, Shri Ram Mohan Mishra, AS&DC (MSME), Shri B. H. Anil Kumar, Joint Secretary (ARI), Ms. Alka Nangia Arora, Joint Secretary (MSME) and senior officers from NSIC and Ministry of MSME including Industry Association representatives. NSIC Branch Office (Peenya) was awarded for being the second most cleanest office.





General Management Program
9-10 March, 2018
NSIC Campus, New Delhi

NSIC Conducts Training Program for Senior Officers

As per MoU signed for financial year 2017-18, NSIC deputed performers for one week training program in various Centre of Excellence such as Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Indian Institutes of Management (IIM), National Institutes of Technology (NIT), The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India Management Development Institute (MDI), International Management Institute (IMI), Indian Institute of Forest Management (IIFM), Administrative Staff College of India (ASCI) etc. The officers of NSIC participated in various training programs conducted by respective Centre of Excellence such as Digital

Marketing, Developing Strategic Mind-set, Individual Excellence for Organisational Effectiveness, Project and Contract Management, Positive Organisational Behaviour, Driving Performance through Transformational Leadership, Communication Strategies for Effective Employee Engagement and Managerial Effectiveness. The programs helped the participants to understand the real life workplace realities in order to become an effective leader and manager. They understood and analysed others' explicit behaviour and also the hidden part of others' behaviors along with the knowledge about own



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self, such programs explored the mechanisms that explain the effects of transformational leadership on task performance, intrinsic motivation, goal commitment and organisational performance. These Programs were intended to provide a broad project management perspective to executives in industrial, service and government organizations. It provided a forum for participants from different organizations to discuss various problems, issues and techniques of project and contract management and share their experiences for implementation of projects and contracts. Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC while addressing the participants of the

General Management Program (Knowledge Partner - Management Development Institute (MDI), Gurgaon) held on 09-10 Mar 2018 at New Delhi stated that each person must assimilate and disseminate the learnings of the program amongst their teams and be focussed and motivated to give the best results for the growth of NSIC. this year. The program at New Delhi focused on Value Driven Leadership and Business Risk Management. Shri P. Udayakumar, Director (P&M) and Shri A. K. Mittal, Director (Finance) also interacted with the participants during this training program. The program participants were Heads of Departments, Branch Heads, Zonal Heads, etc.



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CMD, NSIC addresses Conference on “Nurturing and Promoting Young Entrepreneurs”



Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC and his team visited Jaipur on 07.01.2018 to Grace the Panel Discussion as Guest of Honor for the Conference on the topic of “Nurturing and Promoting Young Entrepreneurs” Organized by Laghu Udyog Bharti during its India Industrial trade Fair 2018 at JECC, Sitapura, Jaipur.

NSIC (Coimbatore) in association with Tripura Exporters Association organizes a Marketing Campaign

NSIC (Coimbatore) in association with Tripura Exporters Association organized a program on 27.10.17 to disseminate the benefits of various NSIC Schemes with special focus on NSIC -Finance facilitation Centre. The program was chaired by Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC and others present on this occasion were Shri Vidyasagar Singh, Zonal Head, NSIC and Shri Gaurang Dixit, CGM(Fin), NSIC



Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC interacts with the key MSME Associations at Cochin

Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC interacted with the key MSME Associations at Cochin on 28th Oct 2017. Speaking on this occasion, Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC apprised the associations members about various initiatives of NSIC and Ministry of MSME for the benefit



of MSME sector in the country. The meeting was attended by Shri Damodar Avanoor, State President, Kerala State Small Industries Association (KSSIA), Shri Alex P. Cyriac, President, Southern Railway Contractors Organization, Shri Joseph Sander, President, Kerala Plastic Manufacturer’s Association (KPMA), Shri Sabu Thomas, Builders Association of India, Shri K.K. Vijayan, Secretary, Dalit Indian Chamber of Commerce and Industry(DICCI), Shri Joseph Basil, General Secretary, Kerala State ‘A’ Grade Electrical Contractors Association(KELCON), Shri S. Venketeswaran.

NSIC participates in the Seminar organized by PHDCII and Indian Air Force

NSIC participated in the Seminar organized by PHDCII and Indian Air Force on “Indigenisation of IAF Aviation requirement” on 05 February 2018 at Banaglore. Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC addressed the gathering comprising of senior officials of Armed Forces such as Air Marshal, Brigadier including host of MSME units and highlighted the benefits of NSIC Schemes for MSMEs and the Armed forces.

NSIC and SME Corp. Malaysia sign MoU of Cooperation in MSME Sector

Sh. Giriraj Singh, Hon'ble Minister of State (Independent Charge), Ministry of MSME, Government of India and Minister of International Trade & Industry, Government of Malaysia, Dr. Mustapa Mohamed, witnessed the MoU for Cooperation in MSME sector signed between National Small Industries Corporation of India and SME Corp. Malaysia. The MoU was signed by Mr. Ravindra Nath, Chairman & Managing Director, NSIC and Dr. Hafsa Hashim, CEO, SME. Corp. Malaysia.

Also present on the occasion were Sh. A.K. Panda, Secretary (MSME), Ms. Alka Arora, Joint Secretary (SME), and other senior officials of Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India and officials of Ministry of International Trade, Government of Malaysia were present on the occasion.



Hon. Soomilduth Bholah, Minister of Business, Enterprise and Cooperatives of Republic of Mauritius, visits NSIC

Mr. A. K. Mittal, Director (Fin.) welcomed the Hon. Mr. Soomilduth Bholah, Minister of Business, Enterprise and Cooperatives of the Republic of Mauritius at NTSC, New Delhi during his visit to India for bilateral talks. Mr. Mittal apprised him of various activities of NSIC for the promotion and development of SMEs in India and abroad. Hon. Mr. Soomilduth Bholah found NSIC's Rapid Incubation Centre for entrepreneurship development quite useful in the context of Mauritius and expressed his desire for cooperation with NSIC for development of MSMEs in Mauritius.



NSIC organizes India-Korea Technology Exchange Conference



Sh. Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC and Ms. Alka Arora, Joint Secretary, Ministry of MSME addressed the Korean and Indian SMEs on the opportunities of cooperation in MSME sector between the two countries at the "India Korea Technology Exchange Conference" organized by NSIC along with SBC, South Korea at New Delhi on December 5, 2017. During the event, NSIC organized one to one meetings for the nine Korean enterprises with around 70 Indian SMEs who were willing to have business or technical alliances in their respective fields. Useful linkages have been initiated during the event which are expected to result into technical collaborations in the field of auto components, solar and LED products in near future. Mr. Kyunghan Kim, Minister (Counsellor) from Embassy of South Korea also addressed on Opportunities in South Korea". Also present on the occasion were Dr. P.G.S Rao, Director, Ministry of MSME, Mr. Satvinder Singh, CGM, NSIC.

Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC inaugurates Livelihood Business Incubator



Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC inaugurated the Livelihood Business Incubator (LBI) (Centre for Apparel Skill Training and Entrepreneurship Development) in presence of Padma Shri Dr. A. Sakthivel, Chairman, AMHSSC, Mr. M. Shanmugham, President, Tripur Exporters Association, Mr. CMN Muruganandan, Chairman, NIFT-TEA Institute and office bearers of other industry associations of Tripur. Mr. Satvinder Singh, Chief General Manager (Technology) and Mr. Vidya Sagar, Zonal General Manager and other officers of NSIC were present during inauguration of LBI. The centre established by NIFT-TEA in partnership with NSIC in Tripur under the ASPIRE Scheme of Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India.

Hon'ble Minister of Social Justice (Delhi Government) Mr. Rajendra Pal Gautam visits NSIC

Hon'ble Minister of Social Justice (Delhi Government) Mr. Rajendra Pal Gautam and senior officials from Department of Welfare (Delhi Govt.) visited in The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd.- NSIC Technical Services Centre (NTSC), Okhla, New Delhi on 16.11.2017. During the visit to NTSC Okhla, Hon'ble Minister & other officials appreciated to the training being given in Incubation Centre and Advance Training Centre of NTSC Okhla. Hon'ble Minister discussed with Mr. Ravindra Nath (CMD, NSIC) and Mr. Satvinder Singh (C.G.M., NSIC) about



entrepreneurship training and technical being conducted in NTSC Okhla and expressed desire to work together to impart entrepreneurship and skill training for the weaker sections of society in order to make them self-reliant.

Lt. Gen. Satish Dua, (UYSM, SM, VSM), Visits NSIC's Rapid Incubation Centre and Advanced Training Centre

Sh. Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC welcomed Lt. Gen. Satish Dua, Chief of Integrated Defence Staff to the Chairman Chief of Staff Committee (CISC), on his visit to NSIC. Lt. Gen. Dua was shown NSIC's Rapid Incubation Centre (RIC) for entrepreneurship



creation and Advanced Training Centre for Skill Development. Sh. Nath apprised him about how this Centre is transforming youth from "employment seeker to job provider" by making them entrepreneurs and improving their skill sets by providing advanced training. Avenues between NSIC and Army for transforming their soldiers into entrepreneurs on completion of their terms, were also discussed. Lt. Gen. Dua appreciated the appropriate technologies placed in the RIC and expressed his willingness to partner with NSIC to train/skill the retiring soldiers or families of soldiers. He was accompanied by Col. Manoj Deshpande, DA to CISC during the visit.

Shri L. Murugan, Vice Chairman, National Commission for Scheduled Castes, visits NSIC's Rapid Incubation Centre and Advanced Training Centre

Sh. Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC welcomed Shri. L. Murugan, Vice Chairman, National Commission for Scheduled Castes during his visit to NSIC's Rapid Incubation Centre (RIC) for entrepreneurship creation and Advanced Training Centre for Skill Development at New Delhi. Sh. Nath apprised him about how this Centre is transforming youth from "employment seeker to job provider" by making them entrepreneurs and improving their skill sets by providing advanced training. Mr. L. Murugan appreciated the appropriate technologies placed in the RIC and appreciated the efforts of NSIC in creating self employment opportunities for youth including weaker section of the society.



CMD, NSIC Interacts with Saurashtra Plastic Manufacturers Association (SPMA) & Shapar Veraval Industries Association (SVIA), Rajkot



Shri Ravindra Nath, CMD NSIC during his visit to NSIC Technical Services Centre, Rajkot on 11.12.2017 held meeting with members of Saurashtra Plastic Manufacturers Association (SPMA) & Shapar Veraval Industries Association (SVIA), RAJKOT apprised them about the Skill Development Training Programmes imparted in various core engineering discipline like Tool Room, Incubation Centre as well as the Common Facility Services being rendered to the local MSMEs in the area of Diesel Engine Testing, Material Testing including Plastics, Submersible Pump Testing Facility and Precision Machining facility available in state-of-art modern Tool room being established in NTSC Rajkot. Further he emphasized that, in order to reach more MSMEs with our services, New Solar Pump Testing facility as well as additional Plastic Testing facility will also be established in future in NTSC Rajkot.

NSIC employee ward develops new method of multiplication

While young children of the age of eleven are trying to learn the nuances of the basic additions and subtractions, Master Pranit Mathur son of Sh. Vikas Mathur, DGM, NSIC creates multiplication tables of double digit numbers in a "second". On observing his skill, the Principal of Master Pranit's school (St. Paul Sr. Sec. School, Udaipur) tested his innovative method by asking him to demonstrate in school assembly and felicitated him for developing his own way of creating multiplication table. The school is now approaching NCERT and CBSE to further verify his discovery.



Sh. K Y Naik, IAS, Director (Employment & Training), Govt. of Telangana, visits NSIC Technical Service Centre, Hyderabad

Sh. K Y Naik, IAS, Director (Employment & Training), Govt. of Telangana, visit to The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd.-NSIC Technical Service Centre, Hyderabad. He was very happy to see the infrastructure available at the centre and was impressed by the demand driven Skill Development courses being conducted at the centre.



NTSC Hyderabad organises Job Mela



NTSC (Hyderabad) organized a Job Mela on 24th March 2018 at NSIC-TSC Hyderabad campus wherein more than 15 MSME companies/industries participated and conducted the first level scrutiny and preliminary round of selection for the candidates. The stalls were arranged inside the NTSC Building for companies to conduct the written test/ interview for the selection of the required manpower. More than 300 job aspirants participated out of which 67 candidates were shortlisted on the day of Job Mela

NTSC (Okhla) organises a Training Program for Machine Operators of Auto- Components Sector



NSIC Technical Service Centre, Okhla organised a Training Program for Machine Operators of Auto- Components Sector on 4th February 2018. The program was conducted in association with SIDBI & PWC and supported by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA). 33 representatives from different industries participated in this training program. Mr. Satvinder Singh, CGM (Tech), Mr. Subodh Jaiswal, GM (NTSC), Mr. Harikishan, Manager (NTSC), Mr. P. Nair, Associate Director (PWC), Mr. Manish Soni, Manager (PWC), Mr. K. P. Yadav, Manager (Batliboi Ltd.) were present on the occasion.

NTSC (Okhla) signs an MoU with Amity University



NSIC Technical Services Centre, New Delhi & Amity University Uttar Pradesh (AUUP) signed an MoU to synergize the resources and give impetus to generation of new entrepreneurs by imparting training during internship to the students of Amity on new technologies using the infrastructure in Advance Training Centre in NSIC Technical Services Centre, Okhla. Mr. Satvinder Singh, Chief General Manager, NSIC & Dr. Babu Lal Arya, Registrar, Amity Univ. signed and exchanged MOU on 14.11.2017 in the presence of Mr. Ravindra Nath, CMD, NSIC, Prof. (Dr.) Balvinder Shukla, Vice Chancellor, Amity University.

Panasonic Team visits NSIC

Panasonic Team visited NSIC to explore areas of Mutual Cooperation in the area of Training and Skill development for MSME sector and budding entrepreneurs. Shri N.M.Mehra, Vice President Panasonic India had a glimpse of the NSIC Advanced Training Centre and applauded the efforts of NSIC in this direction. Also present in this occasion were Shri Manoj Lal, GM(SG) and Shri O.P.Singh, DGM.



NTSC Rajkot organises Job Mela

The National Small Industries Corporation Ltd.- NSIC Technical Service Centre at Rajkot organized a Job Mela on 10-11-2017 wherein 28 MSME units participated to select the trained manpower from 114 youths who participated in the mela. 46 candidates were preliminary selected, who will be called later for final round of interview.



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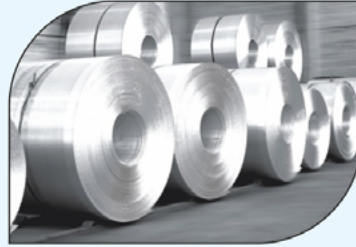
NSIC intends to highlight achievement of NSIC Branch/Zonal Offices/NTSCs for the for the growth of MSME Sector as well as invites contribution from each and every one of NSIC family, such as achievements of your children and your family as well as your hobbies like poems, quotes, jokes and articles, success story of NSIC associates under various schemes in the coming issues of this newsletter.

Kindly send your contribution to General Manager (SG) (Corporate Communication/Training), NSIC on email – newsletternsic@gmail.com or manojlal@nsic.co.in

Assistance to MSMEs for procurement of Raw Material



Iron and Steel



Aluminum



Zinc



Copper

and others

Features of the scheme for the benefits of MSMEs

- Arrangement with bulk manufacturers for supply of raw materials viz Iron & Steel, Aluminum, Copper, Paraffin Wax, Zinc, Coal, Petroleum & Polymer Products etc. to MSMEs.
- Timely availability of quality raw materials at manufacturers' prices to facilitate MSMEs to produce quality products
- Elimination of dealers / traders / middlemen.
- Benefit of bulk purchases like quantity discount even for the purchases in small quantity as per the requirement of MSME.
- Availability of materials either on advance payment or on credit, if required by the unit.
- Credit is available for short term (for 90 days) against the bank guarantee at competitive rates.
- Payment released directly to the supplier.
- Minimum documentation and ease of doing business.

Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) may avail assistance for procurement of the raw materials as per their requirement through any of NSIC's office (for details log on to our website).

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