
BRIEF REPORT

Four Day Capacity Building Program (19th Edition): “Procurement (Policy & Procedures based on GFR, GeM & E-Procurement) and Contract Management for Good Governance: Challenges in Implementation” 8 - 11 March, 2022 at Goa

In the backdrop of National Initiative to become 5 Trillion Economy and AtmaNirbhar Bharat, **Centre for MSME, IICA** has organised Four Day Capacity Building Programme on “Procurement (Policy & Procedures based on GFR, GeM & E-Procurement) and Contract Management for Good Governance: Challenges in Implementation” during 8-11 March, 2022 at Goa.

In celebration of International Women’s Day on 8th March, 2022, Program Director - Shri Rajesh Batra, Head-Centre for MSME/IP&CC, IICA felicitated Women delegates associated with four day capacity building programme for their efforts.

The program was designed to provide insights on major issues like intricacies in Public Procurement, Enhancing efficiency of Public and Private sector through effective supply chain management, evolving trends in public procurement, e-procurement, Government guidelines & policies, regulatory issues and its practical aspects as well.

Besides, in view of the various amendments brought out in Public Procurement Order (PPO) of Government of India to promote domestic manufacturing and value addition in the country, the capacity building programme addressed the issues concerning various Departments, sectors with regard to the implementation of the Order. In this regard, a dedicated session was focused on – “Make in India & Public Procurement”

The programme was organized by IICA, witnessed engaged participation from Professionals (Joint Secretary, General Manager, Chief Manager, Independent Director, Asst. General Manager, Under Secretary, Administrative Officer, Sr. Manager, Manager, Dy. Manager, Asst. Director) involved in public procurement from major Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) / Govt. bodies under various Ministries of Govt. of India and Corporates.

A total of sixteen (16) sessions covered the pertinent areas under Drafting of Commercial Contracts, Contract administration & management, DPE Guidelines for Procurement, EPC (Engineering, Procurement and Construction) Contract, Cyber Contracts, Indian Contract and Dispute Resolution Mechanism and Resolution of Disputes- Arbitration proceedings, Existing Public Procurement Guidelines – Challenges & Areas of concern, Present Regulatory Framework for Public Procurement, Procurement Process, Bid documentation and Bid invitation (NIT), Make in India & Public Procurement, Contract Management & issues of Restoring &

The participants attended the program were from:-

- 1) THDC India Limited
- 2) Department of Chemicals & Petrochemicals
- 3) Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI)
- 4) Dedicated Freight Corridor Corporation of India Limited
- 5) Indian Institute of Management, Amritsar
- 6) MOIL Limited
- 7) GAIL (India) Limited
- 8) Department of Pension & Pensioners’ Welfare
- 9) Rashtriya Chemicals And Fertilizers Limited
- 10) SJVN Limited
- 11) Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd
- 12) Agra Smart City Limited
- 13) Rajya Sabha Secretariat
- 14) Institute Of Secretariat Training & Management
- 15) Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade
- 16) The New India Assurance Co. Ltd.
- 17) Aramco Asia India Private Limited
- 18) Vistra ITCL (India) Limited

Regenerating Sourcing & Supply Chain, Contract termination/renewal decision, E-Auction & Disposal, Effective Strategic Procurement Sourcing & Process Management, Risk Management in Public Procurement For Good Governance.

Major Highlights

- Each day with sharing in-depth knowledge, debating spiritedly & directing razor-sharp questions at each other enabled the participants to discover more about each other and set a baseline for future cohesiveness and bonding as a group.
- The referral of case studies followed by power point presentation and study material used as a guide during program delivery provided a source book to develop and implement appropriate Processes and tools in the organisation. It provided practical assistance and valuable inputs on best practices and analysis of the critical issues of today & the future

In this programme in-house as well as outsource Subject Matter Experts were engaged as Resource Persons. The Resource Persons for the programme were

- **Shri Bhaskar Narang**, Retd. Principal Executive Director /RS (P), Railway Board, Indian Railways
- **Shri M.C. Panda**, Former Additional Secretary – Ministry of Commerce, Govt. of India
- **Mr. Rajesh Batra**, Head, Centre for MSME/IP&CC - IICA

The programme started with welcome address on 8th March, 2022 and concluded with Valedictory Address on 11th March, 2022 by Mr. Rajesh Batra, Head-Centre for MSME / IP&CC, IICA.

The participants appreciated the programme content, Resource Persons and training sessions.

