Government of India Ministry of Mines Indian Bureau of Mines Nagpur Regional Office

Brief Note

Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM): Training-cum-Workshop

- Under Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM), Indian Bureau of Mines, Regional Office, Nagpur has organised One Day Training-cum-Workshop at IBM Headquarter, Nagpur on 01st March'2018 under the theme 'Swachhata Se Satat Vikas'.
- During the inaugural of the Training-cum-Workshop, dignitaries on the dais were Shri Ranjan Sahai, Controller General, IBM as President, Shri Ravindra Nath Jha, CMD (In-charge), MECL as the Chief Guest, Shri Suresh Kumar Adapa, Scientist D, Western Central Region, MoEFCC as Guest of Honour and Shri Arun Prasad, Regional Controller of Mines as Nodal Officer of the Workshop.
- The Workshop started with welcoming the dignitaries by the bouquet by IBM Officers and lightening of the lamp by the dignitaries.
- The Welcome Address given by Shri Arun Prasad, RCOM. He briefed about the purpose of conducting this workshop which were to understand sustainable mining by the industry, issues and constraints of SBM and to achieve capacity building of mines staff for implementing the plan of SBM.
- After the Welcome address, Shri S. K. Adapa from MoEFCC said that there are issues and challenges related to Swachhata and environment in the mining sector but it can be overcome by adopting sustainable practices.
- Shri Ravindra Nath Jha, CMD, MECL apart from the basic importance of health and hygiene, urged the Industry to think towards R&D in the mining sector as we are falling quite short in the exploration and reserves.
- Shri Ranjan Sahai, CG, IBM thrusted upon the need of sustainability in the mining sector and the profitability of the company is required to be looked into by the companies for ensuring a socially responsible and economically feasible work environment. He also wished all the success for the workshop and asked the participants of the workshop to learn from the others by interactions during the Workshop for ensuring a healthy environment in and around the mine areas by adoption of best practices towards Swachhata and make the dream of Swachh Bharat come true.
- The inaugural session was followed by Technical Session in which presentation in form of slides and short video clips were deliberated by various mining industry persons from Maharashtra and Chhattisgarh states on "Innovative Measures adopted for clean and green environment, Sustainable Mining (SDF) and Showcasing of work towards Swachhata, ODF & others".
- Senior IBM officers present during the workshop were Shri S. Tiu, Smt. Indira Ravindran, Shri P. K. Jain, Shri Abhay Agrawal, Shri Parag Tadlimbekar, Smt Sandhya Lal, Shri D. W. Beck and Shri M. U. Siddiqui. Other officials present were Shri S. M. Dorle, Shri R. Masram, Shri Deepak Chinchkhede, Shri A. S. Chachane, Shri B. D. Sonare alongwith Shri Snehankit Chatte.
- Vote of Thanks was given by Shri Kewal Krishan and Shri Ashish Mishra.