

Report on Inauguration and Valedictory of 30th& 31st Management Skills Orientation Programme 1st - 17th December 2017



The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter organized Inauguration of 30th& 31st batches of Management Skills Orientation Programme on 1st December 2016 at the Chapter Premises.

The Programme was presided by CS Hari Babu Thota, Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Gopalakrishna Hegde, Council Member, The ICSI, CS Nagendra D Rao, Immediate Past Chairman, The ICSI-SIRC, CS G M Ganapathi, Vice Chairman, The ICSI-SIRC, Cs Vasanth Kumar, Vice Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Vijay Kumar Sajjan, Member, Managing Committee, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter.

Mr. Gopal Krishna Agarwal, Council Member, The ICSI was the Chief Guest.

CS Hari Babu Thota, Chairman, in his welcome address thanked the participants for choosing Bengaluru Chapter for completing their MSOP. CS Gopalakrishna Hegde, Council Member in his address informed the gathering that many new areas (like NCLT/NCLAT, Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, GST) are evolving for Company Secretary Professionals for making their career, and urged them to be prepared.

Mr. Gopal Krishna Agarwal, Chief Guest, in his address informed the participants on Demonetisation and the advantages of demonetisation and how it will help the country in the long run which was very well appreciated by the participants.

CS Vasanth Kumar, Vice Chairman, proposed Vote of Thanks.



The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter organized valedictory of 30th& 31st MSOP on 17th December 2016 at the Chapter Premises.

The Programme was presided by CS Hari Babu Thota, Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Vasanth Kumar, Vice Chairman, CS Gopalakrishna Hegde, Council Member, The ICSI, CS Nagendra D Rao, Immediate past Chairman, The ICSI-SIRC.

CA Madhu Menon, CFO, Clutch Group, Bengaluru was the Chief Guest for the programme.

The dignitaries during the programme presented mementos to the winners of best project report, presentation, presenter and best participant followed by distribution of completion certificates to all the participants.

The programme ended with vote of thanks and presentation of memento to the Chief Guest.

Link for accessing photographs of the programme

Inaugural:<http://bit.ly/2qL8Xes>

Valedictory: <http://bit.ly/2hPXT2V>

Report on Study Circle Meeting on Prohibition of Prevention of Money Laundering Act, 2002 and The Prohibition of Benami Property Transactions Act 1988 [PBPT Act] – 1st December 2016



The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter organized Study Circle Meeting on Prohibition of Prevention of Money Laundering Act, 2002 and The Prohibition of Benami Property Transactions Act 1988[PBPT Act] on 1st December 2016 at the Chapter Premises.

The programme was presided by CS Hari Babu Thota, Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Vasanth Kumar, Vice Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter and Dr. Rajkumar S. Adukia, B.Com (Hons), FCA, ACS, ACMA, LLB, MBA Dip IFRS (UK), DLL&LW, DIPR, Dip Criminology.

The Speaker during his address informed the gathering on Law Commission Reports On Benami Transactions, Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Amendment Act 2016, Prohibition Of Benami Property Transactions Act, 1988 (Pbpt Act), Key features, Benami Transactions, Exemptions, Right To Recover Benami Property – Prohibited, Retransfer Of Benami Property, The Income Declaration Scheme 2016 (Ids 2016), Confiscation Of Benami Property, Confiscation On Order Of Adjudicating Authority, Prevention of Money Laundering Act, 2002, Structure, Powers of Investigating Officer, etc before concluding his session.

The Session ended with vote of thanks and presentation of Memento to the speaker.

Report on Study Circle Meeting on Recent Changes in Money Economy – 3rd December 2016



The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter organized Study Circle Meeting on Recent Changes on Money Economy on 3rd December 2016 at the Chapter Premises.

The Programme was presided by CS Hari Babu Thota, Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Vasanth Kumar, Vice Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter and Speakers CS S.Kannan, Practicing Company Secretary, Bengaluru and CS R Srinivasan, Practicing Company Secretary, Bengaluru.

CS S Kannan during his address informed the participants on demonetisation, causes, demonetisation in other countries, advantages of demonetisation etc before concluding his session.

CS R Srinivasan, during his address informed the participants on Recent changes in Money Economy, Business Classification, types of business, merits and demerits of demonetization etc before concluding his session.

The programme ended with vote of thanks and presentation of mementos to the speakers.

Inauguration of CS Acceleration Centre at The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter by CS Mamta Binani, President, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter - 12th December 2016



From Left to Right: CS Mamta Binani, President, The ICSI, CS Gopalakrishna Hegde, Council Member, The ICSI, CS Hari Babu Thota, Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Nagendra D Rao, Immediate Past Chairman, The ICSI-SIRC, CS Pradeep B Kulkarni, Treasurer, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter.



From Left to Right: CS Mamta Binani, President, The ICSI, CS Gopalakrishna Hegde, Council Member, The ICSI, CS Hari Babu Thota, Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Nagendra D Rao, Immediate Past Chairman, The ICSI-SIRC, CS Pradeep B Kulkarni, Treasurer, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter.



CS Mamta Binani, President, The ICSI, Inaugurating the CS Acceleration Centre



From Left to Right: CS Mamta Binani, President, The ICSI, CS Gopalakrishna Hegde, Council Member, The ICSI, CS G M Ganapathi, Vice Chairman, The ICSI-SIRC, CS Hari Babu Thota, Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Nagendra D Rao, Immediate Past Chairman, The ICSI-SIRC, CS Pradeep B Kulkarni, Treasurer, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter.



CS Mamta Binani, President, The ICSI addressing Members and Students at the Inauguration of CS Acceleration Center, at Bengaluru.



From Left to Right: CS Nagendra D Rao, Immediate Past Chairman, The ICSI-SIRC, CS G M Ganapathi, Vice Chairman, The ICSI-SIRC, CS Rekha Kamath, Secretary, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Pradeep B Kulkarni, Treasurer, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Gopalakrishna Hegde, Council Member, The ICSI, CS Mamta Binani, President, The ICSI, CS Hari Babu Thota, Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Sivakumar P, Chairman, The ICSI-SIRC, CS Vasanth Kumar, Vice Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Vivek Hegde, Member, Managing Committee, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter.

Programme Report:

The 3rd CS Acceleration Centre at ICSI Bengaluru Chapter was inaugurated by CS Mamta Binani, President, The ICSI on 12th December 2016 at the Bengaluru Chapter Premises.

Other dignitaries present during the inauguration are CS Gopalakrishna Hegde, Council Member, The ICSI, CS Sivakumar P, Chairman, The ICSI-SIRC, CS Hari Babu Thota, Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS G M Ganapathi, Vice Chairman, The ICSI-SIRC, CS Nagendra D Rao, Immediate Past Chairman, The ICSI-SIRC, CS Vasanth Kumar, Vice Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Rekha Kamath, Secretary, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Pradeep B Kulkarni, Treasurer, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Vivek Hegde, Member, Managing Committee, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter and other Members and Students of ICSI.

Speaking on the occasion of the Inauguration of the CS Acceleration Centre (CSAC), [CS Mamta Binani](#), President, ICSI stated that "ICSI is a Premier National Professional Body, which is on a constant endeavour for evaluation of Company Secretaries as Governance Professionals and to be a Global Leader in Promoting Good Corporate Governance". She informed CSAC is a well-equipped and equally well-furnished office facility which provides platform for young and upcoming Company Secretaries. This initiative is under the 'Start-up India', 'Stand-up India' campaign of the Government of India, where The Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI) is contributing towards encouraging the start-up culture by setting up incubation centers for aspiring Company Secretaries.

The objective of the CS Acceleration Centre (CSAC) is purely for training and academic initiative, to groom the young professionals joining the CS profession by giving them an initial opportunity to stand up on their own. It will be a non-commercial activity and is intended to provide service to the members of the Institute as part of their professional development.

The prime objectives and scope of the new initiative are:

CSAC to be used by the Practicing Company Secretaries intending to have office facilities for dealing with their clients, where he/she can utilize the facility, in the existing premises of Chapter office.

CSAC to help the newly inducted members by facilitating them to get an office at a nominal cost by making prior online booking (in different slots during office hours).

CSAC is well equipped with state-of-the Art facilities like Wi-Fi/internet, Telephone, Scanning & Printing, Reception Desk, Reference Library, Cafeteria, Meeting Chamber(s) and other basic amenities.

CSAC to have provisions to accommodate 2 CS professionals (PCS) in a single slot on advance payment basis with early confirmation in writing.

Interacting with Students and Members of ICSI, President, briefed on the opportunities for Company Secretaries and urged the students to constantly visit website of the Institute for all the latest notifications, regulations and amendments.

While addressing the Members, President, informed that 2016 has been a year of many new initiatives by ICSI and thanked the council members for their support extended in all the new initiatives. She then informed that Bengaluru Chapter is one of the vibrant chapters of the ICSI and congratulated the Managing Committee of The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter for their contribution towards the development of profession.

CS Gopalakrishna Hegde, Council Member, ICSI, while speaking to the Members and Students thanked CS Mamta Binani, President, The ICSI for inaugurating CS Acceleration Centre and said "In pursuit of professional excellence, Company Secretaries aspire to be Champions who enrich the Indian Economy by Innovative Governance Tools."

CS Hari Babu Thota, Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, in his concluding remarks thanked CS Mamta Binani, President, The ICSI for inaugurating CS Acceleration Center and assured

Members and Students that Bengaluru Chapter will continue to keep up the good work for the benefit of the profession and Institute as a whole.

The Programme ended with vote of thanks by CS Rekha Kamath, Secretary, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter.

Report on Half Day Discussion on Draft Secretarial Standards on Dividends and Boards Report – 17th December 2016



The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter organized Half Day discussion on Draft Secretarial Standards on Dividends and Boards Report on 17th December 2016 at the Chapter Premises.

The Programme was presided by CS Hari Babu Thota, Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Rekha Kamath, Secretary, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS S kailasam, Director, PMCS Advisors Pvt Ltd and CS V Karthick, Partner, JKS and Associates.

The discussion was participated by both practicing company secretaries and CS in employment.

The Discussion ended with vote of thanks and presentation of mementos to the speakers.

Report on Study Circle Meeting on SEBI LODR Regulations – Practical Aspects – 23rd Dec 2016



The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter organized Study Circle Meeting on SEBI LODR Regulations – Practical Aspects on 23rd Dec 2016 at the Chapter premises.

The programme was presided by CS Hari Babu Thota, Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter and Speaker CS Mangal Kulkarni, Associate Vice President, Hinduja Global Solutions India Ltd.

The Speaker in her address informed the gathering on LODR Regulations as on date, Disclosures and Obligations - Governing Principles, Obligations - Practical aspects (Specified Securities), Compliance Requirement, Roles and responsibilities, Good Practices, Case Study – Discussion before concluding her session.

The Session ended with vote of thanks and presentation of memento to the speaker.

Report on Joint Seminar in association with Rotary Bangalore South East on Goods and Service Tax on 10th December 2016

The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter organized Joint Seminar in association with Rotary Bangalore South East on GST on 10th Dec 2016 at Hotel Sheraton Grand.

The programme was presided by CS Hari Babu Thota, Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Vasanth Kumar, Vice Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, and speakers Mr. Venkataramani S, Chartered Accountant, Member GST Committee ICAI, & Member GST Committee, All India Federation of Tax Practitioners, Bangalore, Dr. Murali Krishna, Joint Commissioner of Commercial Taxes (admn), Divisional VAT Office- 1, Commercial Taxes Dept., Bengaluru, Karnataka, Mr. Rajen Kumar, Chief Editor, SME World, New Delhi

Report on Joint Seminar in association with Bangalore Chamber of Industry and Commerce (BCIC) on Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code 2016 on 16th December 2016



The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter organized Joint Seminar in association with Bangalore Chamber of Industry and Commerce (BCIC) organized a Joint Seminar on Insolvency and bankruptcy Code 2016 at Hotel ITC Windsor Manor on 16th December 2016.

The Inaugural session of the programme was presided by

CS Gopalakrishna Hegde, Council Member, The ICSI, Mr. Thyagu Valliappa, President, BCIC, Mr. N Venkatakrisnan, Chairman, Banking, Finance and Corporate Affairs Expert Committee, BCIC, Mr. M S Sahoo, Chairman, Insolvency & Bankruptcy Board of India, Mr. K K Baalu, Former Vice Chairman, Company Law Board, FCA Shraavan Gudathur, Secretary Bangalore Branch, ICAI.

Speakers:

Dr. K S Ravichandran

Managing Partner, KSR & Co Company Secretaries LLP, focused on key insolvency principles – how the IB code would institutionalize and professionalize insolvency proceedings – the benefit derived in terms of assurance of time bound resolution and any other benefits)

Mr. Shreyas Jayasimha

Founder Aarna Law, focused on key insolvency principles with focus on the core challenges the IB code needs to address such as accurate legislative drafting, capacity building, IT infrastructure to achieve desired outcome)

Mr. H Jayesh,

Founding Partner, Juris Corp, focused on existing Banking Law Ecosystem and its challenges and the need to consolidate multiple insolvency laws. How would India now be comparable to other countries for speedy resolution of insolvency under new regime)

FCA Sandeep J

BMR Advisors, focused on key insolvency principles and provide a “walk through” on how the insolvency game would be played – what are the rules, players and role of IBB (information & Bankruptcy Board), insolvency professionals & Agencies, Adjudication authorities)