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Two-day National Conference of Corporate Company Secretaries concluded in Kochi, Kerala



Left to Right: CS Asish Mohan, Secretary, The ICSI; CS Nagendra D. Rao, Immediate Past President & Programme Director, The ICSI; CS Devendra V. Deshpande, President, The ICSI; Hon'ble Justice Devan Ramachandran, Judge, High Court of Kerala; Shri S. Suhas (IAS) Managing Director, Cochin International Airport Limited; CS Mithun B Shenoy, Programme Coordinator & Chairman, Kochi Chapter of ICSI

The two-day National Conference of Corporate Company Secretaries culminated with much fanfare in Kochi, Kerala on May 7, 2022.

Sharing his experience of working with Company Secretaries both as Counsel as well as Judge, Chief Guest **Hon'ble Justice Devan Ramachandran**, Judge, High Court of Kerala, said, “Company Secretaries are the best Arbitrators. They are the experts who lead the Board today and govern the manner in which it functions and formulates policies”. He also appreciated the ICSI Motto and said it is the guiding force for pursuing perfection.

Guest of Honour, **Shri S. Suhas (IAS)** Managing Director, Cochin International Airport Limited, complimented the Company Secretaries for their significant service and commitment in ensuring Corporate Governance. He said, “Company Secretaries remain one of the most valuable professionals in the development of the country, as they align Corporates with the Laws laid by the Government, and Laws are the fundamentals on which an economy grows”.

Overwhelmed with the successful culmination of the event **CS Devendra V. Deshpande, President, The ICSI**, thanked everyone and announced the setting up of an Arbitration Institute in ICSI Centre of Excellence, Hyderabad and also a Mediation Centre to help Company Secretaries learn and practice the nuances of the trade. He also shared a couple of more initiatives of the Institute that would further the opportunities for Company Secretaries in the MSME and Start-up Sectors.

CS Asish Mohan, Secretary, ICSI and other Council Members were also present at the event.

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About ICSI

The Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI) is a premier professional body set up under an Act of Parliament, i.e., Company Secretaries Act, 1980, for the regulation and development of the profession of Company Secretaries in India. It functions under the jurisdiction of Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India. The Institute, being a pro-active body, focuses on best and top-quality education to students of Company Secretaries Course and best quality set standards for CS members. The Institute has over 67,000 members and about 2 lakh students on its roll.