

**CMIA HOSTED INTERACTION MEETING WITH
CHIEF COMMISSIONER CENTRAL EXCISE & CUSTOMS**



CMIA PAST PRESIDENT SHRI C.P. TRIPATHI HONORING SHRI R.K. JAIN, CHIEF COMMISSIONER CENTRAL EXCISE & CUSTOMS, NAGPUR ZONE





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SHRI R.K.JAIN, CHIEF COMMISSIONER CENTRAL EXCISE & CUSTOMS, NAGPUR ZONE INTERACTING WITH CMIA MEMBERS, FROM LEFT CMIA HON.SECRETARY SHRI ASHISH GARDE, PAST PRESIDENT SHRI C.P.TRIPATHI, SHRI ARUN SAHU, COMMISSIONER CENTRAL EXCISE AND CUSTOMS, AURANGABAD & CMIA VICE PRESIDENT, CAPT.PIYUSH SINHA

Chamber of Marathwada Industries and Agriculture (CMIA) had organized an interaction meeting with Shri R.K.Jain, Chief Commissioner Central Excise & Customs, Nagpur Zone, Nagpur, who visited Aurangabad on 01/02/2010 for the first time after assuming the charge of Nagpur Zone. Aurangabad region falls under Nagpur Zone. CMIA would also felicitate Shri R.K.Jain, Chief Commissioner Central Excise & Customs, Nagpur Zone, Nagpur on this occasion for his new posting.

Chamber of Marathwada Industries and Agriculture (CMIA) had also organized a programme on "Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism – (C-TPAT)". The said programme was held on Monday, 1st February, 2010 at CMIA Hall.

C-TPAT mission is to prevent terrorists and / or terrorist weapons from entering the United States by partnering with members of the trade community to enhance the security of their international supply chain, with priority focus on foreign manufacturers through CBP (Customs and Border protection) clearance process.

C-TPAT works in partnership with the trade community to leverage corporate influence throughout the international supply chain and beyond the regulatory reach of the U.S. government.

How Empty Containers should be inspected before stuffing cargo? This is called 7-point Container inspection test suggested by C-TPAT. This was explained by Mr.Jaykumar Nair, General Manager Commercial, Garware Polyester Ltd., Aurangabad, through a power point presentation. This unique presentation was of immense interest to all the exporters from Aurangabad region.

CMIA President Mr.Sacheen Mulay & Hon.Secretary, Mr.Ashish Garde and CMIA Members & Exporters from the region attended the said programme & also joined the felicitation of Shri R.K.Jain, Chief Commissioner Central Excise & Customs, Nagpur Zone.

During the interaction meeting Mr.R.K.Jain assured to resolve the issues of Industries related to export of goods. He further said that we have to act taking into consideration the situation & the provisions made in law. Rules & Regulations are being framed by the public representatives, however, we just implement the same. Govt. has

already given concessions in the taxes, however, if you expect any kind of amendments in the forthcoming budget; you have to put forth your suggestions to Govt. through CMIA. He further said that Recession has badly affected Local Industries. Imports may impact adversely on the Industries, however, to prevent the same, enough taxes are levied upon imports. In reply to some rules & regulations related to exports expressed by members present he told that Industries are being helped through internet. He also assured to resolve the issues arising out of the exports being done from Navasheva port. He also briefed the audience on various measures being taken to tackle terrorism under the Customs Trade Partnership Against Terrorism (C-TPAT).

For this programme Important Senior Govt. officials Commissioner Central Excise & Customs, Shri Arun Sahu, Shri A.G.Shakkarwar, Shri Vyankat Reddy along with CMIA Past President Shri Gautam Nandawat, Shri Shankar Jhunjhunwala, CMIA Members Shri Sunil Todi, Shri Arpit Save & representatives from Atra Pharma, Garware Polyester, Goodyear, Akar Tool Nirlep, Marathwada Auto Comp., Endress+Hauser, Yeshshree Press Comp. were present.