

## ITI Limited Observes Vigilance Awareness Week 2022

ITI Limited observed Vigilance Awareness Week (VAW) 2022 complied with the guidelines of Central Vigilance Commission with the theme 'Corruption free India for a developed Nation' at its Corporate Office and across Manufacturing Plants/Units/Marketing, Services & Projects Centers from October 31 to November 6, 2022. The observance of VAW 2022 began with administration of Integrity Pledge at ITI Limited. The Integrity Pledge was administered by Shri Rakesh Chandra Tiwari, Chairman and Managing Director in Hindi, followed by Shri B. Kasiviswanathan, Chief Vigilance Officer in English and Shri B R Ramesh, AGM-PP in Kannada to Senior Officers and Employees to fight against corruption.



Corporate Vigilance Department organized an inaugural function of Vigilance Awareness Week 2022 as part of week-long observation through video conference which was attended by the employees of Manufacturing Plants/Units/Marketing, Sales & Projects Centers on October 31, 2022.

Shri Rakesh Chandra Tiwari, Chairman and Managing Director, ITI Limited emphasized on the theme and urged all to be vigilant, maintain high standards of integrity and transparency at work place. Shri Rakesh Chandra Tiwari inaugurated an 'Online Vigilance Management and MIS Portal System' developed by Corporate Vigilance Department which can generate comprehensive reports in the presence of Shri Rajeev Srivastava, Director (Finance), Shri B. Kasiviswanathan, Chief Vigilance Officer, Senior Officers and Employees. Shri B. Kasiviswanathan, CVO spoke about the theme and said, "The need for a corruption-free India is essential for the country to develop and progress in all spheres of life".

Shri B. Kasiviswanathan gave a detailed presentation about 'Online Vigilance Management and MIS Portal System', and how to generate quarterly reports required in CVC Formats.

The messages from Hon'ble President, Prime minister and CVC about Vigilance Awareness Week 2022 were read by Senior Officers at ITI Corporate Office. To create awareness against corruption, Public Interest Disclosure & Protection of Informers (PIDPI) posters in English, Hindi and local language were displayed in the offices and premises across the Manufacturing Plants/Units and Marketing, Sales & Projects Centers. PIDPI posters were also circulated through emails and displayed in pop-up window in Company's website and social media pages.

The Officers and Employees of Corporate Office, ITI Bangalore Plant and NS Unit participated in the walkathon along with Employees of Office of Controllers of Communication Accounts organized by Department of Posts and Department of Telecommunications on October 30, 2022. The Officers and Employees of Business Co-ordination Office and Regional Office participated in a Pada Yatra organized by all organizations under the DoT, Ministry of Communications, Gol on November 5, 2022.



Corporate Vigilance Department organized various activities throughout the Company as part of observance of VAW 2022. Essay, Slogan and Poem writing competitions on the theme were organized for Officers and Employees. A Quiz competition on Procurements & Contracts and CDA Rules of the Company was also organized as part VAW 2022 observation.

Integrity Pledge was administered by Shri B. Kasiviswanathan, CVO to school children and teachers of ITI Central School and Vidya Mandir School on November 4, 2022. Shri B. Kasiviswanathan delivered a lecture on the VAW theme and its importance in prevention of corruption. Vigilance Department also organized essay, slogan writing and poster making competitions for school children.



A walkathon was organized for ITI School students by Corporate Vigilance Department at Bangalore.



The Valedictory Function of the Vigilance Awareness Week 2022 was organized by Corporate Vigilance Department at ITI Bangalore Plant which was attended by the employees of Manufacturing Plants/Units/Marketing, Sales & Projects Centers through video conference on November 8, 2022. Shri Rakesh Chandra Tiwari, Chairman and Managing Director, ITI Limited presided over the function in the presence of Shri Rajeev Srivastava, Director (Finance), Shri B. Kasiviswanathan, Chief Vigilance Officer, Chief Guest Shri R. Srikumar, Former Vigilance Commissioner, CVC, Senior Officers and Employees of ITI Limited. On the occasion, Shri B. Kasiviswanathan, CVO highlighted the importance of understanding each and every word of the

Integrity Pledge, to work towards propagating and complying with it, and significance of moral values, its impact and the role of all stakeholders, officers and employees to prevent corruption.



Chief Guest, Shri R. Srikumar emphasized on the theme and spoke about the requirement for bringing discipline in routine activities to achieve excellence in all spheres of life. The prize winners of various competitions were felicitated by Shri R. Srikumar, Shri Rakesh Chandra Tiwari, Shri Rajeev Srivastava, and Shri B. Kasiviswanathan.