BRANCH NEWS

MUMBAI BRANCH

“Orientation Programme regarding Public Procurement at a Regular Interval as a Part of Systematic Improvement” for Mumbai Port Authority (conducted on 2nd January & 3rd January 2023 at Port Management Training Centre, Mazagaon Mumbai)

Mumbai Port Authority contacted IIMM Mumbai Branch in early August 2022 to enquire whether IIMM Mumbai Branch could conduct an In House Training Program related to Public Procurement for its Officers.

Faculty Mr. V. Badrinath

Certificate Distribution

Faculty Mr. A.R. Sarkar

Group Photo Of The Participants

Faculty Mr. Pankaj Kumar Sinha

Session In Progress

As per the customised requirements of Mumbai Port, IIMM Mumbai Branch stated that they could cover sessions on the following topics by IIMM Faculty and as requested gave approx. duration for each topic as under:

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<td>1) Indian Contract Act</td>
<td>3 Hours Alok Ranjan Sarkar</td>
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<td>2) Non Disclosure Agreement</td>
<td>30 min. Alok Ranjan Sarkar</td>
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3) Workmen Compensation Act 2 Hours Alok Ranjan Sarkar
4) INCO Terms 45 minutes Pankaj Sinha
5) Customs Duty 45 Minutes Pankaj Sinha
6) GST ACT 1.5 hours V.Badrinath
7) GFR Rules 2017 for Goods 3 Hours Alok Ranjan Sarkar
8) GFR Rules 2017 for Services 1 hour Alok Ranjan Sarkar
9) GFR Rules 2017 for Works 1.5 Hours Alok Ranjan Sarkar

IIMM Mumbai Branch gave its Commercial Offer to Mumbai Port Authority on 9th August 2022 for conducting all the above topics in an “In House Training Program for Two Days” and also submitted the Names and Profile of the IIMM Mumbai Faculty as under:

a) Mr Alok Ranjan Sarkar Advisor IIMM Mumbai Branch & Ex G.M -Materials and G.M(Engineering & Projects) BPCL
b) Mr Pankaj Sinha Retd G.M Indian Oil Corp. Ltd.
c) Mr V. Badrinath Retd G.M (Indirect Taxation) BPCL

After regular follow up at various levels, Mumbai Port Authority conveyed approval of IIMM Mumbais Commercial Offer by their Competent Authority on 29th November 2022.

The session commenced with lighting of the lamp and Mr.R.A.Sawant – Senior Assistant Traffic Manager made the welcome speech.

IIMM Mumbai Branch conducted the Two Day Training Course at Port Management Training Centre on 2nd January & 3rd January 2023 in a successful manner. The Total Number of Participants were 34 Nos Officers. The Sessions were conducted in an interactive mode and various queries raised by the participants were replied. MCQ type Quiz/Assessment questions on each topic covered were discussed and the correct answers were discussed with the Participants.

IIMM Certificates were distributed and Feedback Forms about the Program was filled up by the Participants.

The activities of IIMM Mumbai Branch and Benefits of IIMM Membership were explained to the Participants.

As per discussions with Senior Mumbai Port Officials, this Program on Public Procurement may be Repeated by Mumbai Port Authority after 6 months.

Following topics on Public Procurement were to be covered by Mumbai Port (In House Faculty) on one day on 5th January 2023:

a) General Principles of Public Procurement
b) Estimation of Cost
c) Formulation of Specifications
d) MbPA Manual for Procurement of Goods
e) Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises (Order 2012)
f) Start ups
g) Make in India, Order 2017 and its subsequent Orders
h) MbPA Works Manual (Civil)
i) Implementation of SORs
j) MbPA works Manual (MEED)
k) MbPA transparency Plan
l) MbPA Integrity Pact
m) GeM Portal
n) CPPP Portal
o) CVC Guidelines

The above In House Training Program was coordinated by Mr Alok Ranjan Sarkar, Advisor, IIMM Mumbai Branch and was well supported by Mr RB Menon Dy Director IIMM Mumbai Branch and his team members.

Some comments from the participants who attended the in house training program.

“All lectures were very informative and knowledge gained would definitely help while performing our duties”

“Very valuable guidance by the faculties”

“I liked most the content of the session and interaction with participants”

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PUNE BRANCH

IIMM, Pune Branch, participated in the Auto Expo 2022 held at the Creaticity, Yerwada, Pune from 22nd to 26th of December 2023.

This year happened to be the 20th addition of this Indian automobile trade fair which not only gave an overview of the Automobile Industry but also provided a platform for interaction for all concerns.

Close to 70 organizations from Manufacturing, Automobile & Defence sector took part in the expo.

Mr. Yagnesh Nair, Manager - Pune Branch, was present at the exhibition for all five days to introduce IIMM to the visitors.

The exhibition received a good response and succeeded in generating some enquiries from the students as well as working professionals.
NEW DELHI BRANCH

Delhi Branch Executive Committee met on 11th December 2022 at its Branch Office and expressed happiness at being awarded “Best Metro Branch in Educational Activities” and for best Article contribution to MMR Award to Shri Prem Narayan. Shri H K Sharma, National President gave a talk about latest developments in the field of Public Procurement and GeM.

KOLKATA BRANCH

IIMM, Kolkata organized its annual picnic and get-together on 15th January at Panchabati resorts in the outskirts of Kolkata. Nearly 80 students, faculty, and staff along with their family took part in the event. The programme began in the morning with a session of self-introduction by the students and faculty followed by a variety of party games. Tambola was the last event enjoyed by all the participants. Breakfast, lunch, tea along with some lip-smacking snacks were served during this day-long event.