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CONSTRUCTION EXCELLENCE AWARDS - 2008

'LIFE TIME ACHIEVEMENT' Award

Presented to

Dr. Parmod Chander Sehgal

Construction & Business Records is pleased to present this "Life Time Achievement" Vishveshvaraiya Construction Excellence Award-2008 to Dr. Parmod Chander Sehgal during the INDIA INFRATECH – 2009 International Conference on MRTS at Mumbai.

Dr. Sehgal is an Electrical Engineer having completed his B.Sc. (Elec. Engg.) in 1972 from Punjab University but is also specialised in Human Resource Development with an MBA degree and a PhD from Saurashtra University. He has devoted all his expertise and knowledge to the Railways. He is currently the Managing Director of Mumbai Railways Vikas Corporation (MRVC) which is executing the World Bank funded MUTP projects, Phase I & II, for improvement and expansion of the suburban railways for Mumbaikars with an estimated cost of Rs. 10,000 crores.

During his illustrious career of 35 years Dr. Sehgal has made numerous contributions to the Railways. These include spearheading in the design of 'Garib Rath' (a fully air-conditioned train for low income group), manufacture of 3-phase state-of-art 6000 HP G.T.O. based locomotive for the first time in India, addition of track on the Thane-Turbe-Vashi section, quadrupling the Borivali - Virar section, the first ECO friendly high-tech AC/DC EMU rake with special attention to passenger comfort for the 6.6 million Mumbaikars that use suburban railways through improved ventilation, reduced noise & jerk levels, improved coach interiors, introduction of GPS based Audio-Visual Passenger Information System etc.

In light of the rapid infrastructure investment currently underway in the country, the contribution by Dr. Parmod Chander Sehgal is of great significance and importance. He therefore richly deserves the "Life Time Achievement" Award being conferred on him on 11th April, 2009 at this International Conference.

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