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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the 67th Annual General Meeting of The Plastics Export Promotion Council will be held on Friday, 30th September 2022 at PLASTINDIA Foundation, 401-B Landmark, Suren Road, Off Andheri - Kurla Road, Andheri (East), Mumbai – 400093 at 11:00 a.m to transact the following business.

ORDINARY BUSINESS

1. To receive, consider and adopt the balance sheet and income and expenditure of the Council for the year ended 31st March, 2022 and the report of the Committee of Administration (COA) and the auditors thereon.
2. To appoint statutory auditor of the Council to hold office from the conclusion of this Annual General meeting to the conclusion of the next Annual General meeting to be held in the year 2023 and to audit the accounts of the Council for the year 2022-23 and fix their remuneration.
3. To approve the appointment of new COA members for the year 2022-23.

By Order of the Committee of Administration
For The Plastics Export Promotion Council

Dated : 14th September, 2022

Place : Mumbai

Sribash Dasmohapatra
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1. REVIEW OF EXPORT PERFORMANCE

The export analysis shown in Table 1 indicates that growth in 2020-21 was positive at 35.40% implying exports of 13.35 billion US Dollars. Plastic raw materials – the largest category – constituted 31.70% of total Plexconcil product exports and recorded a positive growth of 26.55% in 2021-22. Export of value-added plastics registered a positive growth of 36.13%. Value-added items formed 62.53% of total Plexconcil product exports in 2021-22.

Table 1 : Composition of Plexconcil product exports

PRODUCT GROUP	2020-21			2021-22		
	USD Million	Growth %	% of Total	USD Million	Growth %	% of Total
GRAND TOTAL	9,860.99	-1.50	100.00	13,351.59	35.40	100.00
PLASTIC RAW MATERIALS	3,344.82	-3.12	33.92	4,232.87	26.55	31.70
VALUE ADDED PLASTICS	6,132.55	-2.57	62.19	8,348.47	36.13	62.53
CONSUMER & HOUSEWARE PRODUCTS	581.89	-14.00	5.90	816.14	40.26	6.11
CORDAGE, FISHNETS & MONOFILAMENTS	210.83	-0.10	2.14	279.21	32.44	2.09
FIBC, WOVEN SACKS, WOVEN FABRICS, TARPAULIN	1,268.73	-11.33	12.87	1,688.22	33.06	12.64
FLOORCOVERINGS, LEATHERCLOTH & LAMINATES	493.98	13.25	5.01	635.21	28.59	4.76
FRP & COMPOSITES	308.98	-4.71	3.13	457.56	48.09	3.43
MEDICAL ITEMS OF PLASTICS	356.56	-3.77	3.62	417.45	17.08	3.13
MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS AND ITEMS NES	533.66	4.03	5.41	889.85	66.74	6.66
PACKAGING ITEMS-FLEXIBLE, RIGID	489.05	0.11	4.96	623.81	27.55	4.67
PLASTIC FILMS AND SHEETS	1,534.07	7.21	15.56	2,034.41	32.62	15.24
PLASTIC PIPES & FITTINGS	188.69	3.11	1.91	289.07	53.20	2.17
WRITING INSTRUMENTS & STATIONERY	166.12	-27.65	1.68	217.54	30.96	1.63
HUMAN HAIR & RELATED PRODUCTS	383.62	45.38	3.89	770.26	100.79	5.77

The direction of Plexconcil product export, as shown in Table 2(a) and 2(b), indicates that exports during 2021-22 were extremely strong especially to destination countries like United States, Italy, Netherlands, Spain, and Belgium among others. China was the only export destination that did not report positive growth. Region-wise, Europe was the most important region, followed by NAFTA and WANA.

Table 2 (a): Direction of Plexconcil product exports

COUNTRY	2020-21			2021-22		
	USD Million	Growth %	% of Total	USD Million	Growth %	% of Total
GRAND TOTAL	9,860.99	-1.50	100.00	13,351.59	35.40	100.00
UNITED STATES	1,485.83	8.22	15.07	2,430.80	63.60	18.21
CHINA	1,266.08	20.91	12.84	883.49	-30.22	6.62
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	417.70	-17.56	4.24	625.97	49.86	4.69
UNITED KINGDOM	381.94	8.00	3.87	508.07	33.02	3.81
ITALY	265.87	-16.83	2.70	479.98	80.53	3.59
GERMANY	329.58	-5.89	3.34	469.71	42.52	3.52
NEPAL	282.37	3.21	2.86	400.22	41.73	3.00
BANGLADESH	265.73	-8.19	2.69	381.81	43.68	2.86
TURKEY	220.78	-1.01	2.24	298.81	35.34	2.24
NETHERLANDS	184.46	-5.17	1.87	277.02	50.18	2.07
SPAIN	172.63	1.53	1.75	273.24	58.28	2.05
NIGERIA	204.77	45.69	2.08	255.97	25.00	1.92
CANADA	172.21	9.17	1.75	242.79	40.98	1.82
FRANCE	162.37	-13.91	1.65	224.90	38.51	1.68
BELGIUM	136.68	-3.84	1.39	221.23	61.86	1.66
ISRAEL	127.28	-1.73	1.29	207.02	62.65	1.55
VIET NAM	179.39	15.58	1.82	205.03	14.29	1.54
MYANMAR	34.39	-5.70	0.35	188.18	447.21	1.41
SAUDI ARABIA	144.86	-3.43	1.47	178.60	23.29	1.34
EGYPT	100.83	-5.30	1.02	177.22	75.77	1.33
OTHERS	3,325.24	-10.22	33.72	4,421.55	32.97	33.12

Table 2 (b) : Direction of Plexconcil product exports

2020-21			2021-22		
REGION	USD Million	% of Total	REGION	USD Million	% of Total
GRAND TOTAL	9,860.99	100.00	GRAND TOTAL	13,351.59	100.00
AFRICA	979.40	9.93	AFRICA	1,320.76	9.89
ASEAN	627.40	6.36	ASEAN	881.18	6.60
CIS	118.98	1.21	CIS	156.79	1.17
EUROPE	2,309.00	23.42	EUROPE	3,423.86	25.64
LAC	460.08	4.67	LAC	561.24	4.20
NAFTA	1,769.38	17.94	NAFTA	2,842.75	21.29
N E ASIA	1,446.34	14.67	N E ASIA	1,064.76	7.97
OCEANIA	129.75	1.32	OCEANIA	171.78	1.29
OTHERS	54.23	0.55	OTHERS	35.29	0.26
SOUTH ASIA	727.45	7.38	SOUTH ASIA	986.42	7.39
WANA	1,238.98	12.56	WANA	1,906.76	14.28

2. PARTICIPATION AT INTERNATIONAL/ DOMESTIC TRADE FAIRS & EXHIBITIONS

2.1 Plexconcil Hosts the 'Largest Country Pavilion' with 35 Indian Exhibitors at ARABPLAST 2021 – 15 – 18 November 2021

PLEXCONCIL led a contingent of 35 exhibitors to the 15th edition of ARABPLAST- the flagship trade expo for plastics, petrochemicals, packaging and rubber industry in the Middle East. Held at Dubai World Trade Centre, UAE, from 15th to 18th November 2021, the event was the first confluence of the global plastic industry post-pandemic and ushered over 18,000 industry stakeholders to a showcase of world-wide innovation advancement and cutting-edge technologies in the plastics sector.

The latest edition of ARABPLAST attracted visitors from over 50 countries and participants from over 220 international companies in the plastics and petrochemical sector across 30 countries including India, Germany, Switzerland, Italy, Austria, Turkey and GCC members.

PLEXCONCIL, the Indian Associate of ARABPLAST, hosted the largest country pavilion comprising of Indian MSMEs that were overwhelmed by the presence and response from quality senior decision makers, influencers and global buyers.

Inaugurated on 15th November 2021 by Dr. Aman Puri- Consul General, Consulate General of India, Dubai, UAE, the India Pavilion exhibited a wide array of products ranging from plastic raw materials, finished plastic goods to plastic processing machineries. The Honorable Consul General interacted with the Indian exhibitors and was impressed with the representation of the country pavilion at the event. He applauded PLEXCONCIL's efforts in establishing exporters' trust in the resurging trade ecosystem and organizing one of the largest and most visited pavilions at ARABPLAST 2021 that helped them capitalize on the untapped potential.

The United Arab Emirates is an important source of plastic raw material for India and a trading hub facilitator between India and African countries with a sizeable market share. With the signing of the FTA thereby, providing tariff concessions will have a reciprocal effect that shall not only boost exports but also the duty concessions on imported goods, allowing growth of trade. The Dubai port and FTZs play key roles in facilitating smooth transport of Indian goods to the region.

Mr. Arvind Goenka, Chairman, PLEXCONCIL, said, "The

United Arab Emirates is the third most important export destination for India due to close proximity to GCC. Within plastics segment, the trade is currently in favor of the UAE with exports of US\$ 778.3 million to India and a trade surplus of US\$ 351.4 million. Our internal assessment shows that the current Indian plastics' exports to the UAE worth US\$ 426.9 million can increase additionally by US\$ 2.5 billion."

The UAE's plastic imports are largely catered to by China (35.4%) and Saudi Arabia (15.9%). India also has an extremely good standing in the UAE's plastic import segments such as woven sacks/ FIBCs- market share of 65.1% (Rank 1); decorative laminates- market share of 58% (Rank 1); ropes, twines and cordage- market share of 42.5% (Rank 1); leather cloth- market share of 21.5% (Rank 2); plastic sheets and films- market share of 12.4% (Rank 2)

Taking the opportunity of the first physical networking meeting post-pandemic, PLEXCONCIL interacted with eminent plastic associations, Chambers of Commerce and Industry from across the globe.

PLEXCONCIL stall was notably visited by the Bangladesh Plastic Goods Manufacturers & Exporters Association and The Federation of Bangladesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry. The delegations expressed their interest to improve the bilateral plastic trade between India and Bangladesh and specifically to boost the Indian plastic exports to Bangladesh. Both trade bodies have also agreed to MoUs for trade promotion in the respective countries and to associate for all upcoming exhibitions by organizing a delegation and trade awareness booth at the events.

To further strengthen the partnership with the European region, which is the second-largest export destination for Indian plastics industry, PLEXCONCIL engaged with Switzerland Global Enterprise; Advantage Austria; Aussenwirtschaft Austria and VDMA Plastics and Rubber Machinery, Germany among others to gauge the market potential for Indian plastic exports in the associations' respective nations and to understand the myriad avenues opening up for exporters in the re-opening global trade.

ARABPLAST 2021 has been a significant cornerstone in launching 'Global Business Re-boot' for Indian plastic exporters. Considering the exhibitors' feedback, PLEXCONCIL may consider a larger participation at the next edition of the exhibition. The Council remains committed to keep assisting its members in participation at several leading trade fairs that serve as footholds for the tremendous networking opportunities ahead.

Images from the event



Dr. Aman Puri- Consul General, Consulate General of India, Dubai, UAE inaugurates the India Pavilion at ARABPLAST 2021

PLEXCONCIL welcomes Dr. Aman Puri- Consul General, Consulate General of India, Dubai, UAE to the inauguration of India Pavilion at ARABPLAST 2021



(L to R): Mr. Arvind Goenka, Chairman, Plexconcil; Ms. Farah Abdulhamid, Arabplast Media PR; Dr. Aman Puri, Consul General, CGI, Dubai; Mr. Nadhal Mohamed, Assistant General Manager, Al Fajer Information & Services; CGI Officer; Mr. Sribash Dasmohapatra, Executive Director, PLEXCONCIL; Mr. Mhd Rachid Mbayed, Arabplast Exhibition Manager



Dr. Aman Puri interacts with the Chairman and Executive Director of PLEXCONCIL



Mr. Iqbal Hossain, Vice-President, Bangladesh Plastic Goods Manufacturers & Exporters Association (second from R) expressed interest in improving the India-Bangladesh bilateral plastic trade in collaboration with PLEXCONCIL



Dr. Aman Puri interacts with the exhibitors during a tour of the India Pavilion



Bangladesh plastic associations visit the PLEXCONCIL stall at ARABPLAST 2021

2.2 Plexconcil visits India Pavilion at EXPO 2020 Dubai

PLEXCONCIL visited the India Pavilion at Expo 2020 Dubai during the second month of the launch to witness an impressive spectacle of India's soft power and highlights of the nation's industrial accomplishments, trade development initiatives undertaken by the Government of India, export proficiency of the Indian states and the corresponding opportunities available to them in the international trade ecosystem that shall augment India's potential as a global sourcing hub and attract foreign investments.

The PLEXCONCIL delegation was headed by Council Chairman, Shri. Arvind Goenka and Executive Director, Shri. Sribash Dasmohapatra, to understand and explore the prospects for the plastic industry as exhibited at the India Pavilion.

The delegation met with Shri. Dilip Chenoy, Secretary General of FICCI, to discuss the possibilities of showcasing the SME sector of Indian plastic industry at the Pavilion. The Secretary General congratulated PLEXCONCIL for being one of the first EPCs to visit the Pavilion and hailed the Council's initiative to evaluate the opportunities that shall benefit the plastic industry, particularly the SMEs.

Shri. Dasmohapatra regarded the various trade potential destinations for the plastic industry by visiting several country pavilions and gauged the future outlook of industrialization, and thereby, the possible government policies that would affect the consumption of plastics globally and impact world trade.

Climate change and a concentrated focus on maximizing the use of recycled plastics being among the prevalent themes of Expo 2020 Dubai, Shri. Dasmohapatra particularly visited the Germany and Japan pavilions- the established pioneers in the technology of sustainable recycling, to understand the advancements in plastic recycling industry and its potential in the global markets.

Expo 2020 Dubai proved an excellent avenue for PLEXCONCIL to study the forward trajectory of exports and trade which shall aid the EPC in assisting its members in a direction that aligns them with the global demand.



The PLEXCONCIL delegation meets with Shri. Dilip Chenoy, Secretary General of FICCI- the organizers of the India Pavilion at Expo 2020 Dubai, UAE

Mr. Ashutosh Kumar, Regional Director, Mr. Anuj Sharma, Assistant Manager and Mr. AshokKumar Shah, officiating Assistance represented the Council at the above event.

2.3 Home Décor, Gifts, Houseware Show, Greater NOIDA, UP – 30 November 2021 – 3 December 2021

The Council Delhi office successfully participated at above event that targeted the Consumer items and Gifts items which were primarily from Plastics and Textiles. The Delhi office had a complimentary fully furnished booth measuring 9 sqmtrs and exhibitors were informed regarding the various services offered to members by the Council relating to their exports/ product etc. The event was highly successful with regard to the mobilization of members from the Northern Region.

2.4 Participation at Plast Eurasia, Istanbul, Turkey – 1-4 December 2021

The Council facilitated Indian participation at 30th International Istanbul Plastic Industry Fair Plast Eurasia 2021, the largest industry fair held every year in Europe. The fair was organized by M/s. Tuyap in cooperation with PAGE V (Turkish Plastics Industry Foundation) in Tuyap Fair Convention and Congress Centre, Istanbul from 1st – 4th December, 2021. Plast Eurasia 2021 brought together 852 exhibitors from 39 countries and 60,742 professional visitors from 99 countries.

Seven (7) Indian companies participated through the Council. Ms. Sudhi Choudhary – Consul General of India in Turkey visited the exhibition and interacted with the Indian participants. Indian participant's brochure was printed and distributed among the visitors and other exhibitors. Mrs. Alka Lopes represented the Council at this exhibition.



PLAST EURASIA 2021 Inauguration



Ms. Sudhi Choudhary – Consul General of India in Turkey at Plexconcil stall



Ms. Sudhi Choudhary – Consul General of India in Turkey interacting with Indian exhibitors.

2.5 IPLEX COCHIN – 3-5 December 2021

The Council participated in the 11th edition of International Plastics Exposition (IPLEX) 2021 which was held at the Adlux International Convention Centre, Cochin from December 03-05, 2021.

The event was Inaugurated by Sri. V.D Satheesan MLA, Honorable Leader of Opposition, Kerala Legislative Assembly in the presence of Prof. Dr. Shishir Sinha, DG – CIPET, Sri. Kishore P. Sampat, President AIPMA, Sri. VKC Mammed Koya, Ex-MLA, Sri. Biju P. Abraham, General Manager - DIC, Sri. P.J. Jose, President KSSIA – Ernakulam, Sri. Balakrishna Bhat Kakunje, President KPMA and Sri. P.J. Mathew, Convenor, IPLEX 20.



The Promotional booth was used to disseminate information on the Council's services, events and on the export potential and opportunities for Plastic products from India. The Council was represented by Mr. Dayanidhi, Asst. Director – South.

2.6 PLEXCONCIL Pavilion @ THE INSPIRED HOME SHOW, Chicago, USA – 5-7 March 2022

The PLEXCONCIL in its endeavour to promote the export of plastics products took part in The Inspired Home Show, Chicago, USA for the first time with 10 exhibitors participating from this sector. Council as per their strategic plan to position the Indian Plastic industry in the global market participated in this show in the USA.

Indian Pavilion :

The Indian pavilion had 11 Exhibitors displaying various houseware products. The exhibition provided a great platform for the first-time exhibitors at the show to create awareness about the Indian Products at this important houseware show in the USA market. The Indian Pavilion has made a footprint at the show even though this was the first time the Plexconcil had organized the Pavilion.



Consulate General, the Consulate General of India, Chicago, USA

Shri. Amit Kumar, Consulate General, the Consulate General of India, Chicago, USA inaugurated the Indian Pavilion during a brief function at the India Pavilion. He was impressed with the Indian Companies who had ventured to participate in the show even though there was so much uncertainty surrounding the show including the pandemic situation. He held discussions with the exhibitors and observed their inputs and their needs to promote and have a better show next year. He was accompanied by Mr. Laxman Prasad Gupta, Consul (Eco & Commerce), Consulate General of India, Chicago.



During the brief meeting with Executive Director Shri. Sribash Dasmohapatra and Shri. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director, Plexconcil, the Consul General appreciated the efforts of the Council and assured of all help to promote the show and the sector in the USA.

2.7 PLEXCONCIL Pavilion @ PLASTIMAGEN 2022, Mexico –8-11 March 2022

Plexconcil participated in this most important show covering entire Latin America for the Plastics Industry for the 4th time. The Indian pavilion had 5 Exhibitors displaying various products including packaging, machinery, and other related products. The exhibition provided a great platform for the first-time exhibitors at the show to create awareness about the Indian Products at this show which is considered as the hub for Latin American plastic industry sourcing.

Indian Ambassador to Mexico - Visit to the Indian Pavilion

His Excellency Indian Ambassador Pankaj Sharma, PhD visited the Indian Pavilion during the show along with Ms. Vallari Gaikwad – Second Secretary (Press & Information and Economic & Commercial) and Ms. Ankita Wakekar – Third Secretary (Political) and were impressed with the presence of Indian Exhibitor at the show. He interacted with each exhibitor in understanding their products and the support they needed from the Embassy of India in the future. Executive Director Mr. Sribash Dasmohapatra, Plexconcil, and Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director, Plexconcil had a detailed discussion with the Ambassador in highlighting the importance of the exhibition and to have a larger presence during the next year's show in 2023.

continuous follow-up and the good relationship with the India-Mexico Business Chamber in the recent past. The IMBC has been instrumental in furthering this effort in signing this MoU with ANIPAC which is the sole National Association of the Plastic Industry in Mexico which will go a long way for the members of the Council to increase and establish their footprint in this market in the future.



Other meetings during the Show

Messe Dusseldorf (K Show 2022)

Executive Director Mr. Sribash Dasmohapatra and Regional Director Mr. Ruban Hobday, Plexconcil had a discussion with Mr. Erhad Wienkamp, Managing Director, Messe Dusseldorf, and Ms. Eve Rowe – Vice President, Messe Dusseldorf North America with regarding their support for the PLEXCONCIL'S PLEXCONNECT 2023 to be held during September 2023 in Mumbai. However, as they have already committed to promote PLASTINDIA, they will not be able to promote another show in India.



PLEXCONCIL's MoU with ANIPAC (National Association of the Plastics Industry – Mexico) & IMBC (India-Mexico Business Chamber AC)

PLEXCONCIL signed an MoU with ANIPAC and IMBC in a historic event considering the importance of Mexico which is the major hub for the Latin American market for Plastic exports from India. This was possible mainly to the

PLASTICS INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION, USA

Executive Director Mr. SribashDasmohapatra and Regional Director Mr. Ruban Hobday, Plexconcil discussed with Mr. A. Tony (Radoszewski) President & CEO, Plastics Industry Association (PLASTICS), USA concerning their support for PLEXCONNECT 2023, the exclusive exhibition to be organized by PLEXCONCIL in 2023. Executive Director requested their support towards the proposed Business Delegation Visit to the USA by Plexconcil during September 2023/

Mr. Tony informed that as their association members were mainly from Raw Materials, Machinery Manufacturers and Traders they may not be interested to participate in a 'finished goods' segment exhibitions. However, he requested the Council to write to him about the support required and that he will revert after discussing with his team.



Meeting with Mr. Paul St. Amour, Latin American Vice President - Tarsus Mexico

Executive Director Mr. SribashDasmohapatra and Regional Director Mr. Ruban Hobday, Plexconcil discussed with Mr. Paul, Vice President – Tarsus Mexico organizers of the Plastimagen 2022, Mexico.

Executive Director confirmed that Plexconcil would be participating in the 2023 edition to be held from November 7-10, 2023 hopefully with a bigger Indian Pavilion.

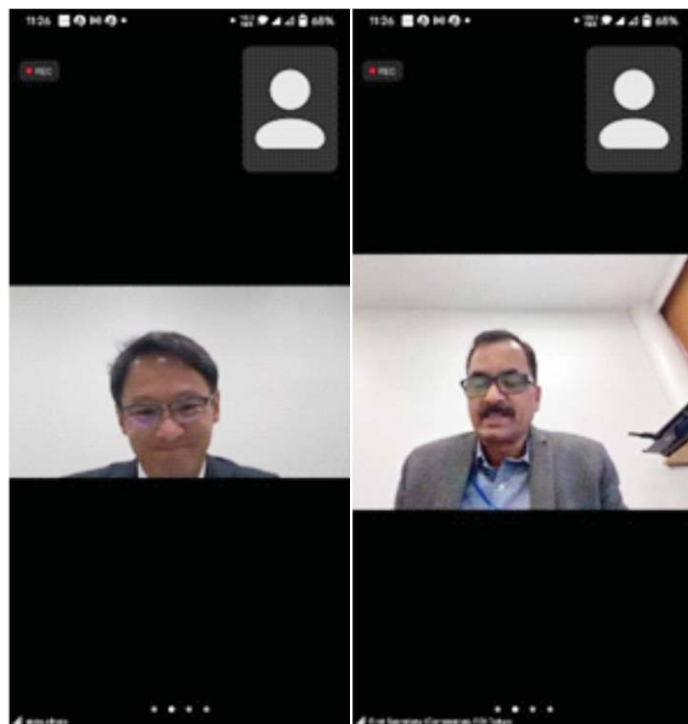
Mr. Paul who was requested to support the proposed BSM in Mexico during September 2022 informed that on principle their company would market and promote only their events. However, he said any information and date if required would be willing to help the Plexconcil.

3. VIRTUAL BUYER–SELLER MEETS

3.1 Japan VBSM with M/s. Daito Co, Ltd, Japan – 8.12.2021

The Plexconcil organized the virtual Buyer-Seller Meet with the help of the Embassy of India, Tokyo, Japan for one buyer from Japan M/s. Daito Co, Ltd.

The Embassy of India, Tokyo approached Plexconcil to organize a B2B with one buyer from Japan who was keen to source suppliers from India for 15 HS Codes that fall under PLEXCONCIL's purview. The buyer was an established organisation with multiple business interests with a good reputation amongst manufacturing and retailing businesses across Japan.

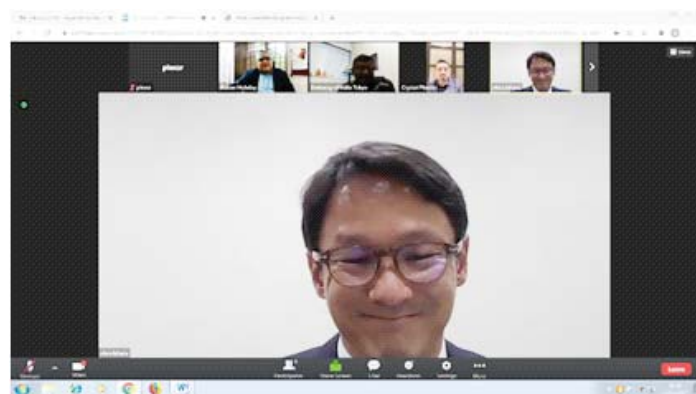


Plexconcil short-listed 14 Indian Companies matching the buyer's requirements and provided each company a time slot to meet the buyer in dedicated virtual rooms to promote their company profile and products. Following a brief introduction by the First Secretary (Commercial) Mr Manoj Singh Negi, the buyer represented by their Sr. Executive Director Mr. Akira Kihara thanked the Indian Embassy highlighting that only the Indian Embassy for the detailed and timely information. Mr. Rajesh Duggal, Attache (Commercial) guided the Council to make the VBSM success in terms of business and concept.

This event promoted by the Council and Embassy of India, Tokyo was very well appreciated by the Indian Companies and the Buyer who was keen to get more suppliers for his requirement from India.

3.2 Japan VBSM with M/s. Daito Co, Ltd, Japan organized by the Embassy of India, Tokyo, Japan – 23.12.2021.

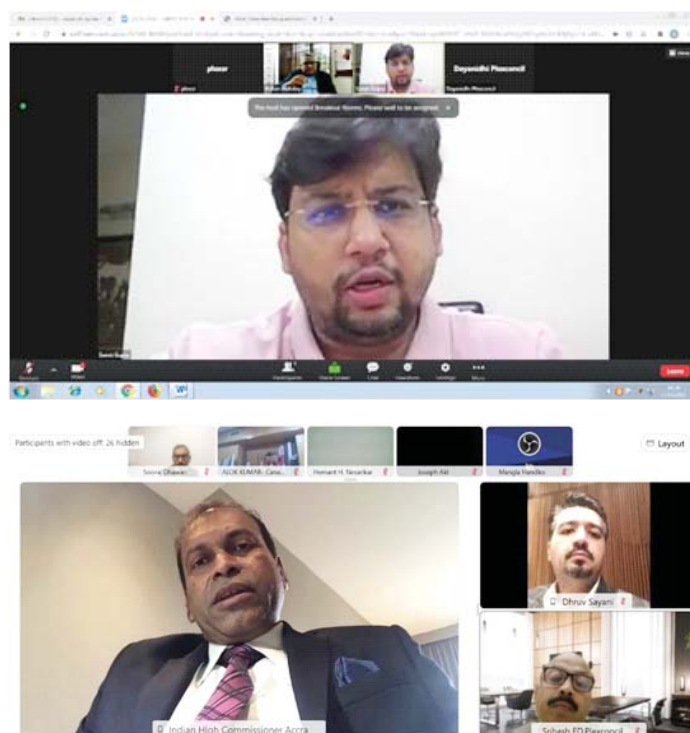
Plexconcil organized the VBSM with 7 short-listed companies and Japanese Buyer M/s. Daito Co, Ltd, Japan. The buyer earlier had met 15 companies. The Indian Embassy, Tokyo was represented by Mr. Rajesh Duggal, Attache Commercial and Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director, South, Plexconcil represented the Council.



3.3 India-Ghana Virtual Meeting/BSM – 23.02.2022

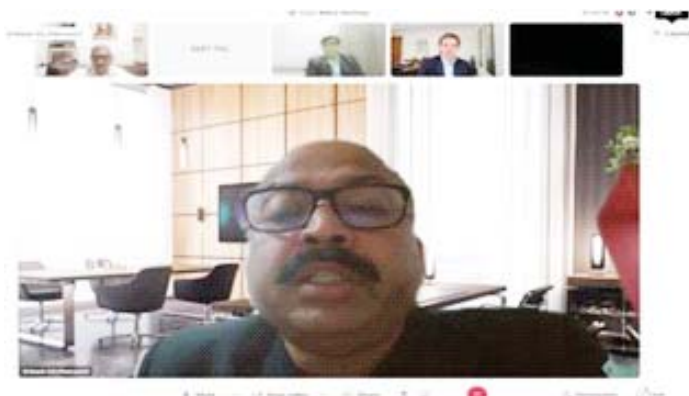
PLEXCONCIL jointly with the Indian High Commission, Ghana successfully organised the India-Ghana Virtual Meeting/BSM. 14 Indian companies participated at this event. More than 25 Ghana based companies also participated.

In the inaugural session, Mr. Sugandh Rajaram, High Commissioner of India to Ghana delivered an address. Mr Dhruv Sayani, Panel Chairman, Consumer & Houseware products, PLEXCONCIL delivered the welcome address and made a presentation on India's strength and potential Plastic sectors for trade and business in Ghana. After the inaugural session, a one-to-one buyer seller meet was held.



3.4 India-Colombia Virtual Meeting/BSM – 29.03.2022





(Inaugural session of the virtual B2B Meeting in progress)

PLEXCONCIL jointly with Embassy of India, Colombia (accredited to Ecuador) in association with Colombia-India Chamber of Commerce and Industry organised the India-Colombia Virtual Meeting/BSM. 11 Indian companies participated at this event while 11 Colombia based companies registered for the event.

In the augural session, Mr. Sanjiv Ranjan, Ambassador, Embassy of India, Colombia delivered the address. Mr Daniel Mitchell, President, ACOPLASTICOS, Colombia made a brief presentation on Colombian Plastic industry. Mr Dhruv Sayani, Panel Chairman, Consumer & Houseware products, PLEXCONCIL delivered the welcome address and made a presentation on India's strength and potential Plastic sectors for trade and business in Colombia. Mr Sribash Dasmohapatra, ED, PLEXCONCIL proposed format vote of thanks. After the inaugural session, one to one buyer seller meet held virtually.

4. WEBINARS/ SEMINARS/ WORKSHOPS

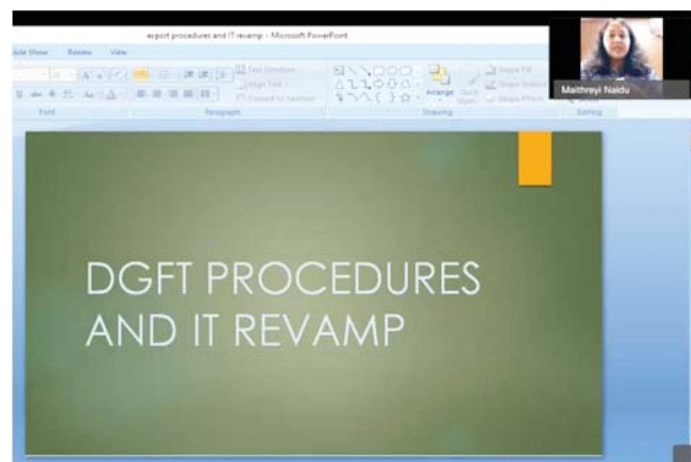
4.1 Webinar on "How to start Export in current times?" – 9.04.2021

PLEXCONCIL in association with Gujarat State Plastic Manufacture's Association (GSPMA) organised a Webinar on "How to start Export in current times?". The objective of the webinar was to encourage entrepreneurs from Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises to enter into export market and provide guidance with essentials of Export-Import.

During welcome address, Mr. Sribash Dasmohapatra, Executive Director, Plexconcil said that Plexconcil has over the years collaborated with several plastics manufacturers, processors and merchants across the country to help in identifying challenges and opportunities that form the foundation to strengthen the growth of Plastic industry.

Mr Shailesh Patel, President, GSPMA said that Indian entrepreneurs have capacity, capability and intelligence to take India's share in the Global export market of plastics from ~ 1.0% to a higher number and such initiatives of GSPMA and Plexconcil will help MSMEs to start exports and boost exports of existing exporters.

Shri R Muthuraj, ITS, Additional DGFT, RA Ahmedabad informed participants about new DGFT office of Ahmedabad and briefed regarding recent trade notices pertaining to foreign trade and District Export hub initiative.



Presentation by Ms Maithreyi Naidu, ITS, Asst. DGFT, RA Ahmedabad

Ms Maithreyi Naidu, Assistant DGFT, ITS, RA Ahmedabad made a detailed presentation about Basics of Export, resource required to become an exporter, policies and schemes of DGFT to boost exports, Role of District Export Plan and Basics of the new DGFT website. During the webinar, several questions raised by entrepreneurs were answered by the speaker.

4.2 Webinar on Customs Bonded Manufacturing scheme – Whether a viable alternative to FTP and other schemes such as Advance Authorization/EOU/SEZ? – 7.05.2021

With the Government's continuous efforts to promote India as the manufacturing hub globally and the commitment towards ease of doing business, Government of India through the Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs (CBIC) has announced a Customs Bonded Manufacturing & Warehousing Scheme.

With the objective creating awareness amongst members about the scheme and analyse Comparison with FTP and other scheme, The Plastics Export Promotion Council organised a webinar on Customs Bonded Manufacturing & Warehousing Scheme on 7th May, 2021.



Mr. Hemant Minocha, Vice Chairman, Plexconcil during welcome address said that this scheme will help to promote manufacturing & other operations in India and to strengthen the initiative of Aatma Nirbhar Bharat.

Mr. Ratan Jain –Partner, Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan Attorneys and Mr. Saurabh Malpani – Principal Associate, Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan Attorneys addressed participants on feature of MOOWR, Eligibility, Duty implications and easing compliance. Further they also briefed participants about various factors in choosing the right scheme and benefits of MOOWR over other schemes.

4.3 Webinar on Boost your Export competitiveness through MSME Schemes – 21.05.2021

The Plastics Export Promotion Council organised a webinar on Boost your Export competitiveness through MSME Schemes on 21st May, 2021. The objective of the webinar was to empower exporters with knowledge and disseminate information on various Incentive schemes of Development Commissioner (Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises) and benefits available for MSMEs to enhance their competitiveness and boost their exports.

During welcome address, Mr Alpesh Patel, Chairman-Gujarat Region Committee, Plexconcil said that MSME sector has emerged as a highly vibrant and important sector of the Indian economy over the last few decades, and it plays significant role in exports from India.



Mr Ashis Kumar Padhi, IEDS, Assistant Director, MSME Development Institute, Ahmedabad



Mr Alpesh Patel, Chairman- Gujarat Region Committee, Plexconcil

Shri Ashis Kumar Padhi, IEDS, Assistant Director from MSME Development Institute, Ahmedabad briefed participants about definition of MSME, Udyam Registration, Public procurement policy, and explained various schemes of Ministry of MSME such as Credit Linked Capital Subsidy Scheme, Lean Manufacturing Competitiveness Scheme, Cluster Development Programme, Procurement and Marketing Support Scheme, Scheme for Participation of MSME Delegation in International Trade Fair/Exhibition or Buyers-Sellers Meet in abroad, Design Clinic scheme, IPR scheme, ZED certification scheme etc. Presentation was followed by interactive Q & A session.

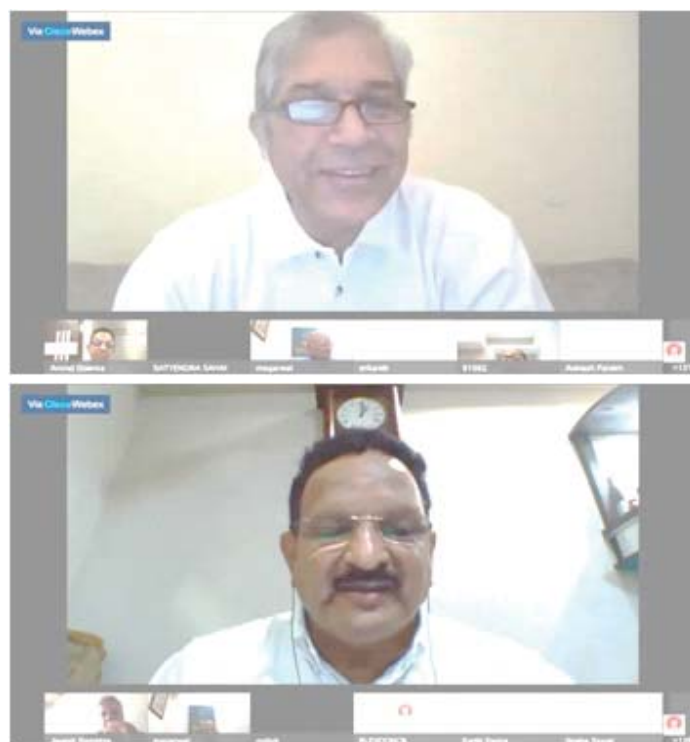
4.4 Webinar on Financial Market Outlook & Managing Exports Business in Pandemic – 28.05.2021

A webinar was jointly organised by PLEXCONCIL, SHEFEXIL in association with ICICI Bank on 28.5.2021. Mr Arun Agarwal, AGM, Markets Group, ICICI Bank and Mr Harjeet Singh, SME Products Group, Elite Trade Group, ICICI Bank made a detailed presentation on the subject seminar. Mr Amit Pal, COA Member moderated the session.

4.5 Webinar on Paying the Price for of Plastic - Understanding Volatility, its Drivers and Future outlook – 12.06.2021

Plexconcil organised a webinar on “Paying the Price for a Plastic” - Understanding Volatility, its Drivers and Future Outlook.

Intrinsically linked to the global crude pricing that is cyclical in nature, polymer pricing is not isolated and its impact is felt across the board. This webinar helped to understand long term and short term price volatility drivers and deliberated on the need to develop pathways to ensure demand and supply chain remain robust.



The Welcome address was given by Mr. Arvind Goenka, Chairman, Plexconcil and the webinar was moderated by Mr Manoj Agarwal, MD, Kanpur Plastipack Ltd.

During the webinar, Mr. Satyendra Sahai, Head of Polymer Marketing (India & Global Markets), IOC spoke on the topic “Understanding price fluctuations in the polymer industry, Current shortage in raw material and impact of BIS on polymer imports” and Mr. Makarand Dixit, Head - Marketing Petrochemicals, Nayara Energy Limited addressed participants on the topic “Capacity Additions and barriers faced by polymer producers to enhance output & the future outlook; specialty polymers and why our industry is still heavily import reliant when there is rising demand for engineering plastic; impact of BIS on polymer imports.

4.6 Webinar on “Recent challenges faced in EPCG, Advance Authorization and Duty Drawback schemes” – 18.06.2021

The Plastics Export Promotion Council (Plexconcil) organised a webinar on “Recent challenges faced by the exporters in the case of EPCG, Advance Authorization and Duty Drawback schemes”.

The objective of this webinar was to guide exporters on incentive schemes such as EPCG, Advance Authorization and Duty Drawback.

Mr. Hemant Minocha, Vice Chairman, Plexconcil during welcome address said that Exports form the backbone of a country’s economy and export community depends a lot on incentives offered by Government schemes which play a vital role in taking India a step closer to the government’s \$5 trillion economy goal.

All three schemes were explained in detail by expert speakers, Mr Ratan Jain, Partner, Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan Attorneys, Mr. Saurabh Malpani, Principal Associate, Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan Attorneys and Mr. Shreyash Agrawal, Senior Associate, Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan Attorneys. Presentation was followed by interactive Q & A session.

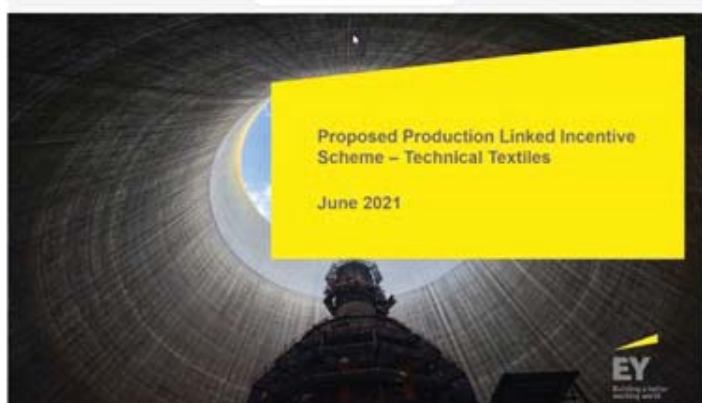
The webinar ended with vote of thanks from Mr Sribash Dasmohapatra, Executive Director, Plexconcil. Webinar was attended by more than 190 participants.

4.7 Webinar on Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme – 25.06.2021

The Plastics Export Promotion Council (Plexconcil) organised a webinar on Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme for Technical Textile such as FIBC bags, Nets, Ropes, twines, cordage and others.

The scheme is expected to be announced by the Government of India shortly. The Government has allocated an outlay of INR 10,683 crores for Man-made fibres (MMF) and Technical textiles. The intent of the PLI scheme is to promote domestic manufacturing, increase exports and encourage import substitution for about 40 products in the MMF category and 10 in the Technical textiles category.





Glimpse of Webinar Proceedings

(L to R Clockwise, Mr Ravish Kamath, Past Chairman and Panel chairman, Woven Sacks /FIBCs, Plexconcil, Mr Sribash Dasmohapatra, Executive Director, Plexconcil, Mr Sagar Shah, Partner, Tax and Regulatory, Ernst & Young LLP)

The eligibility under the PLI scheme is based on criteria's like investment / manufacturing capacity / turnover.

Welcome address for the webinar was given by Mr. Ravish Kamath, Past Chairman, Plexconcil and Panel chairman, Woven Sacks /FIBCs, Plexconcil. Mr Sagar Shah, Partner, Tax and Regulatory, Ernst & Young LLP gave presentation on Proposed PLI Scheme. He briefed participants about background about Indian Technical Textiles Market, insights on the eligibility criteria & incentives offered. He also shared practical experience of PLI schemes introduced for other products. Presentation was followed by Q & A session. Several queries were resolved by Speaker. The webinar ended with Vote of Thanks by Mr Sribash Dasmohapatra, Executive Director, Plexconcil. More than 140 participants attended the webinar.

4.8 Webinar on 'Transition of Single use Plastic items & Phasing out single use plastic items in the MSME' – 28.06.2021

The webinar was organised by MSME-DI, Kolkata and Mr Bidhan Das, Dy Director, IIP, Kolkata and Dr Manoj Kumar Mondal, Asst. Professor, IIT, Kharagpur made presentation on the subject. Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD joined this online session.

4.9 Webinar on "Common Investing MISTAKES Made by Exporters – 02.07.2021

The Plastics Export Promotion Council – Southern Region organised a webinar on "Common Investing MISTAKES Made by Exporters". **The following topics were discussed to guide the exporters to spot the right opportunity.**

- Parking Business Working Capital Funds for a couple of days
- Investing Options in Foreign Currency
- Tax Efficient Investment Strategies (for HNIs)

- Current Investment Opp. Like Cryptocurrency, RBI Bonds, Equities.

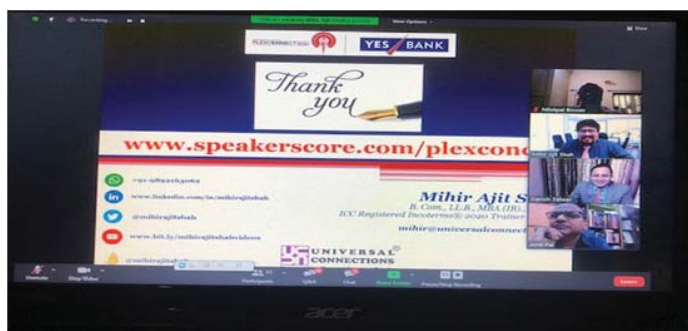
Speaker: Mrs. Arpita Gupta, Chartered Accountant (CA), Chartered Financial Analyst USA (CFA) Level 1, Director, Nivesh Mitr

4.10 Webinar on MSME exporters from Tamil Nadu - Opportunities and Challenges – 8.07.2021

MTIPB – Govt. of Tamil Nadu along with FIEO-South organised an Interactive webinar on MSME exporters from Tamil Nadu - Opportunities and Challenges. Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – South represented the Council.

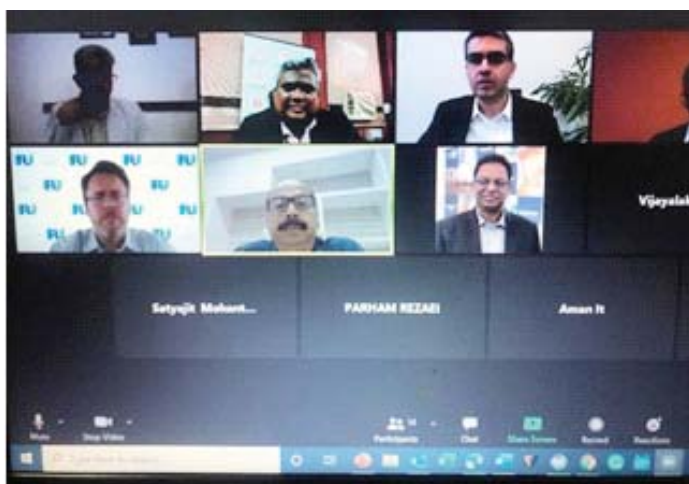
4.11 Webinar on latest changes and updates for Exporters and Importers – 22.07.2021

The webinar was organized by PLEXCONCIL in association with Yes Bank. Mr Mihir Shah an expert in International Business made a detail presentation on the various changes and updates on FTP, Customs Rules, GST and also updates on online compliances. The presentation was followed by a Q&A session. Mr Amit Pal, COA Member moderated the session.



4.12 PLEXCONCIL & FICCI Webinar on ATA UN TIR Carnet – 27.07.2021

PLEXCONCIL along with FICCI organized a 'Webinar on International Trade Facilitation under "ATA Carnet" & "UN TIR" system for the exclusive benefit of members of Plexconcil. The webinar started with Welcome Address by Mr Arvind Goenka, Chairman, PLEXCONCIL followed by Special Address by Mr Mostafa Ayati, Senior Advisor to President of Customs in TIR & Transit, Islamic Republic of Iran Customs Administration (IRICA) and Inaugural Address by Mr Satyajit Mohanty, Joint Secretary & Commissioner of Customs, CBIC, Ministry of Finance, Government of India. The other technical sessions were moderated by leading industry experts.



ATA Carnet (facilitates duty free temporary movement of goods between member countries) is an internationally accepted customs document which is used by members of the exporting community from India, to travel abroad with samples/goods for participating in an exhibition/trade fair/business promotion tour or for testing, demonstration or calibration. India has recently acceded to the United Nations TIR Convention - the Customs Convention on International Transport of Goods under cover of TIR Carnets. TIR Carnet facilitates seamless movement of goods by road or multimodal across international borders without any additional checks under the TIR procedure, defined by the United Nations TIR Convention. TIR will help India to move cargo along the Chabahar and the CIS countries, Central Asia & Europe.

The focus of the webinar was to familiarize the industry representatives with the operational aspects of using ATA Carnet & UN TIR and their benefits.

4.13 Webinar on 'Transition of Single use Plastic items & Phasing out single use plastic items in the MSME' – 28.7.2021

The webinar was organised by MSME-DI, Durgapurin association with Indian Plastics Federation, Kolkata. Mr Bidhan Das, Dy Director, IIP, Kolkata and Dr Manoj Kumar Mondal, Asst. Professor, IIT, Kharagpur, Mr Debabrata De, DGM & Team Leader of Business Development Group, Haldia Petrochemicals Ltd. made a presentation on the subject. Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD joined this online session.

4.14 Webinar on "RBI Master Direction for Export of Goods and Services" – 13.08.2021

The Plastics Export Promotion Council organised a Webinar on "RBI Master Direction for Export of Goods and Services". The objective of webinar was to guide trade with recent updates on RBI rules and regulations.

The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has started issuing Master Directions on all regulatory matters beginning January 2016. The Master Directions consolidate instructions on rules and regulations framed by the Reserve Bank under various Acts including banking issues and foreign exchange transactions.



(Mr. Hemant Minocha, Vice Chairman, Plexconcil)



(Mr Nijay Gupta, Chief Mentor, Finrex Treasury Advisors LLP)

Welcome address for the webinar was given by Mr. Hemant Minocha, Vice Chairman, Plexconcil. Speaker Mr Nijai Gupta, Chief Mentor, Finrex Treasury Advisors LLP covered following topics during the webinar: rules and regulation of - Realization of Export Proceeds, Third Party Payments, EEFC, Documents Dispatch, Extension of time, Set offs and Write Offs. Presentation was followed by Q & A session, which was moderated by Ms Bharti Parave, Asst. Director (Trade & Policy), Plexconcil. The webinar ended with Vote of Thanks by Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad.

4.15 E-Workshop on 'Ease of Doing Business in Digital mode – Gem/Ydyam Portal and Incentive Schemes for MSME' – 24.08.2021

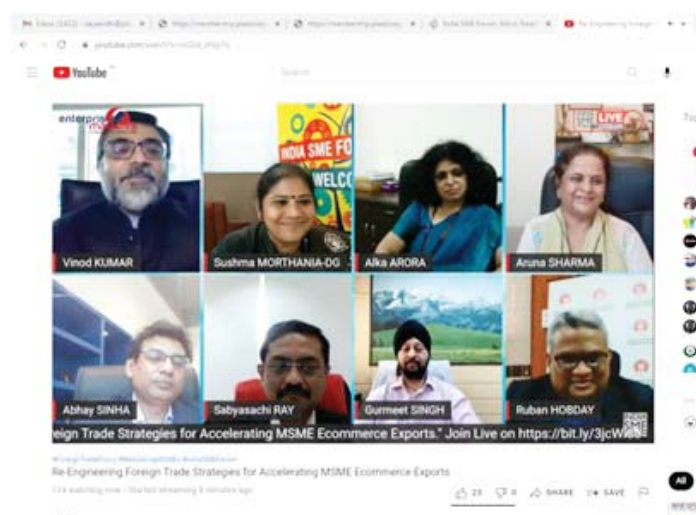
The e-Workshop was organised by Bharat Chamber of Commerce. Various Speakers from different organisations / companies including O/o MSME-DI, Kolkata made presentation on the subject. Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD joined this online programme.

4.16 India SME Forum: Webinar on New Foreign Trade Policy Formulation – 26.08.2021

Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – South was invited as a Guest Speaker for the webinar on New Foreign Trade Policy Formulation - "Re-Engineering Foreign Trade Strategies for Accelerating MSME Ecommerce Exports"

The webinar had special addresses by Smt. Alka Arora, Joint Secretary, Ministry of MSME, Gol and Dr. Aruna Sharma, IAS, Former Secretary, Govt. of India. The Panellists discussed the following points:

- Increasing Awareness of Ecommerce Exports among MSMEs
- End to End Digitization for processes for exports
- Legal Framework & Trade Facilitation
- General Provisions regarding trade
- Creating specific logistics capability for Ecommerce Exports
- Simplifying compliance and regulatory requirements
- Necessity for Ecommerce specific schemes & capabilities
- Suggestions for change in new FTP policy



4.17 Webinar on BIS Standardization & Quality Assurance of Plastic Products – 27.08.2021

PLEXCONCIL in association with Gujarat State Plastic Manufacture's Association (GSPMA) organised a Webinar on "BIS Standardization & Quality Assurance of Plastic Products" spread awareness among Plastic manufacturers and processors about the BIS Standardization & Quality Assurance of Plastic Products.



(Speakers during Webinar on BIS Standardization & Quality Assurance of Plastic Products)

Mr. Sribash Dasmohapatra, Executive Director, Plexconcil gave a brief about Plexconnect Webinar Series 2021. Mr. Hemant Minocha, Vice Chairman, Plexconcil gave the welcome address. Opening remarks for the webinar were given by Mr Bharat Patel, Hon. Secretary, GSPMA. Speaker of the webinar Shri S. K. Singh, Scientist-E & Head, Ahmedabad Branch Office, Bureau of Indian Standards gave details about Standardization, Standards published by BIS for Plastic Products, BIS certification scheme, Procedure and requirement to get IS License, Benefits of having BIS certification for exports. Q & A during the webinar was moderated by Ms Bharti Parave, Asst. Director (Trade & Policy), Plexconcil. The webinar was ended with Vote of Thanks by Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad. More than 110 participants attended the webinar.

4.18 Webinar on “RoDTEP: Features and Process to claim benefits” – 8.10.2021

PLEXCONCIL in association with Finrex Treasury Advisors LLP are organized a webinar on “RoDTEP: Features and Process to claim benefits” to spread awareness among Exporters about Remission of Duties and Taxes on Exported Products (RoDTEP) scheme with its features, eligibility and process to claim benefits under the scheme. Mr Sudhakar Kasture: Renowned Foreign Trade Expert, addressed participants and explained about Announcement of RoDTEP Rates, Financial Allocation, Possibility of Revision of Rates and Process for Application. Welcome address for the webinar was given by Mr. Hemant Minocha, Vice Chairman, Plexconcil. The presentation was followed by Q & A session moderated by Ms Bharti Parave, Asst. Director (Trade & Policy), Plexconcil. The webinar ended with Vote of Thanks by Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad.

4.19 Webinar on “Cost Optimization Techniques in Logistics & Shipping” – 20.10.2021

PLEXCONCIL organized a webinar on “Cost Optimization Techniques in Logistics & Shipping to help participants to understand focus areas where Logistics & Shipping cost can be curtailed in present challenging environment without compromising on customer Service & managing timely delivery as per customer requirement in International Trade.

Mr Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil gave brief about Plexconnect Webinar series and invited Mr Shrikrishna Amlekar, Panel Chairman, Polyester Films, Plexconcil and Director- IPD Operations, Garware Hi-Tech Films Ltd to give the welcome address for the webinar.



*Mr Shrikrishna Amlekar,
Panel Chairman, Polyester Films, Plexconcil*

Mr. S.R. Binju, Head-International Logistics at HEG LTD addressed participants on nature, role & scope of Logistics, Inbound, Shipping & Outbound Logistics, Optimizing Logistics & Shipping Cost and overcoming Challenges of Shipping in pandemic era.

The presentation was followed by Q & A session, which was moderated by Ms Bharti Parave, Asst. Director (Trade & Policy), Plexconcil. The webinar ended with Vote of Thanks by Mr Sribash Dasmohapatra, Executive Director, Plexconcil.

4.20 Webinar on Introduction to National Logistics Portal (Marine) – 10.12.2021

PLEXCONCIL organized a Webinar on Introduction to National Logistics Portal (Marine). Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways (MOPSW) and Ministry of Commerce & Industry (MOCI) has entrusted the work of developing the National Logistics Portal (Marine) to Indian Ports Association (IPA). National Logistic Portal (NLP) Marine is a project of national importance aimed at connecting all the stakeholders of the logistics community using IT, to improve efficiency and transparency by reducing costs and time delays. This project will have a significant impact on the ‘Ease of Doing Business’ Index of the country.



*Mr S R Binju,
Head Head-International Logistics at HEG LTD*



*Mr. Sachin Shah,
Panel Chairman – Merchant Exports, Plexconcil*



Mr Rajiv Puri – Indian Ports Association (IPA)

Mr. Sachin Shah, Panel Chairman - Merchant Exports, Plexconcil gave the welcome address during the webinar. During the address he said that exports showing a steady growth, positivity among the industry are visible and initiative such as PM GatiShakti will infuse India's manufacturing exports with greater dynamism in times to come. Speakers from Indian Ports Association, EY, PMU team for NLP Marine and M/s Portall, Implementation team gave detailed presentation on ambitious NLP Marine Project. Presentation was followed by Q & A session, which was moderated by Ms Bharti Parave, Asst. Director, Plexconcil. The webinar ended with Vote of Thanks by Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad.

4.21 Webinar on Guidance on equity IPO planning on BSE SME Exchange – 17.12.2021

PLEXCONCIL in association with Falcon Business Energisers organized a Webinar on Guidance on equity IPO planning on BSE SME Exchange.



(Mr. Ajay Thakur, Head - BSE SME & Start-up and Mr Alpesh Patel, Chairman, Gujarat Regional Committee, Plexconcil)

Welcome address from the webinar was given by Mr Alpesh Patel, Chairman of Plexconcil Gujarat Regional Committee and Director of M/s. Knack Packaging Pvt Ltd. Mr. Ajay Thakur, Head - BSE SME & Start-up guided

participants on equity IPO planning on BSE SME Exchange to raise funds. CA Gaurav Jain from Hem Securities deliberated on IPO essentials during the webinar. The webinar ended with Vote of Thanks by Ms Bharti Parave, Asst. Director, Plexconcil.

4.22 Webinar on CFO services for SMEs with ambitious growth plans – 23.12.2021

PLEXCONCIL in association with Falcon Business Energisers organized a Webinar on CFO services for SMEs with ambitious growth plans.

Ms Bharti Parave, Assistant Director, Plexconcil gave opening remarks of the webinar. Mr. Dhruv Sayani, Plexconcil Panel Chairman of Consumer & Housewares Products and director of M/s. Crystal Plastics & Metallizing Private Limited gave welcome address for the webinar. Speaker CA Sunil Pandey explained Role of a CFO in achieving 10X growth and discussed on good quality Senior Finance leadership or CFO Level Board Advisor can be a game changer for overall sustainable growth. The session was moderated by Mr. Sooraj Dhawan from Falcon Business Energisers. The webinar ended with Vote of Thanks by Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad.



4.23 Webinar on Raising Debt Finance for SMEs – 29.12.2021

The Plastic Export Promotion Council (PLEXCONCIL) in association with Falcon Business Energisers organized a Webinar on Raising Debt Finance for SMEs on 29th December 2021. The webinar was organized with objective to make participants aware about Raising Debt Finance for SMEs.



*Mr. Alpesh Patel, Chairman,
Gujarat Regional Committee, Plexconcil*



Speaker : CA Sunil Pandey

Ms Bharti Parave, Assistant Director, Plexconcil gave opening remarks of the webinar. Welcome address from the webinar was given by Mr Alpesh Patel, Chairman of Plexconcil Gujarat Regional Committee and Director of M/s. Knack Packaging Pvt Ltd. Speaker CA Sunil Pandey explained about planning options between Equity and Debt. He also guided participants on essential considerations for debt raising and also directed on reducing debt cost. The session was moderated by Mr. Sooraj Dhawan from Falcon Business Energisers. The webinar ended with Vote of Thanks by Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad.

4.24 Webinar on important changes in GST Law with effect from 1st January 2022 - 29.12.2021

Above Webinar organised by the O/o Kolkata CGST & CX Zone. Objective of the webinar was to make aware of taxpayers/stakeholders on important changes in GST Law with effect from 1st January 2022. Senior officers from the O/o Kolkata CGST & CX Zone attended the Webinar and clarified various queries after their presentation. Mr Nilotpai Biswas Regional Director joined this online webinar.

4.25 Webinar on Export Financing post-COVID 19 – 7.01.2022

PLEXCONCIL in association with Falcon Business Energisers organized a Webinar on Export Financing post-COVID 19.

Ms Bharti Parave, Assistant Director, Plexconcil gave opening remarks of the webinar. Mr. Dhruv Sayani, Plexconcil Panel Chairman of Consumer & Housewares Products and director of M/s. Crystal Plastics & Metallizing Private Limited gave welcome address for the webinar. Speaker Mr. Piyush Dabrial (CA, CFA), Partnership Head - Drip Capital (India) explained about Export Finance - Current scenario, Export Finance – New Instruments, How to raise export finance – essential considerations. Session was moderated by Mr. Sooraj Dhawan from Falcon Business Energisers. The webinar ended with Vote of Thanks by Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad.

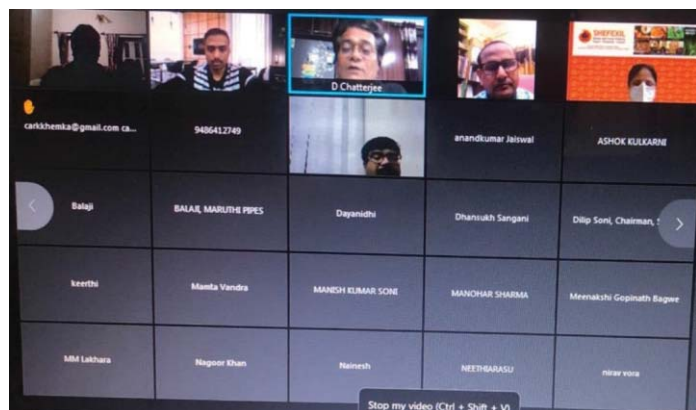
4.26 Webinar on Route to Business Worldwide – 20.01.2022

Webinar on Route to Business Worldwide was organized by PLEXCONCIL in association with Falcon Business Energisers.

Ms Bharti Parave, Assistant Director, Plexconcil gave opening remarks of the webinar. Welcome address of the webinar was given by Mr. Sooraj Dhawan from Falcon Business Energisers. Mr. Patrick Michel – General Manager, Kompass International gave introduction of Kompass International. Mr. Daniele Cedrone – Product Marketing Manager, Kompass International spoke on Targeting International potential buyers. Ms. Carolina Clark – International Marketing Manager, Kompass International gave details about Booster Offer. Ms. Tatiana Miron - Director of Market Ranking Services, Kompass International introduced participants with Market Ranking Reports. Mr. Mukhtar Ahmed Shaikh - Country Manager, Kompass India explained about Export Mission and B2B Matching. Presentation was followed by Q & A session. The webinar ended with Vote of Thanks by Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad.

4.27 E-Workshop–Important changes in GST Law with Effect from January 2022 - 22.1.2022

The e-Workshop was jointly organised by PLEXCONCIL, SHEFEXIL and NSE. Mr. Deshduala Chatterjee, Superintendent O/o CGST & CX, Kolkata Zone made a detailed presentation on the subject which was followed by an interactive session. Additionally, there was also a brief presentation on Exchange Traded Currency Derivatives - effective tool to manage your risk by NSE.



4.28 Webinar on Cessation of LIBOR and Transition to ARR–28.01.2021

PLEXCONCIL organized a Webinar on Cessation of LIBOR and Transition to ARR.

In July 2021, the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) issued an advisory to banks and other RBI-regulated entities emphasizing the need for preparedness for the transition away from London Interbank Offered Rate (LIBOR) that ended. The objective of this webinar is to understand the new RBI Guidelines & transitioning to ARR.

The welcome address was given by Mr. Hemant Minocha, Vice Chairman, Plexconcil. Speaker Mr Pankaj Kumar Rathi, Partner & Head - Treasury Markets at Almus Risk Consulting LLP explained the Benchmark in Different Currencies, Impact on Short term and Long term Borrowers and related RBI Guidelines. Presentation was followed by Q & A session moderated by Ms Bharti Parave, Assistant Director, Plexconcil. Mr Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad gave the vote of thanks for the webinar.

4.29 Webinar on Budget 2022 – Analysis of Tax Implications–4.02.2022

Speakers from Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan made detail presentation on the subject during this webinar.

4.30 Webinar on Understanding of Plastic Waste Management Rules (PWM) & Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR)–16.02.2022

PLEXCONCIL organized a Webinar on Understanding of Plastic Waste Management Rules (PWM) & Draft Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR).



(L to R : Mr Pranay Kumar– Vasudha Ecofriends Projects P Ltd and Mr. Shrikrishna Amlekar, Panel Chairman, Polyester Films, Plexconcil)

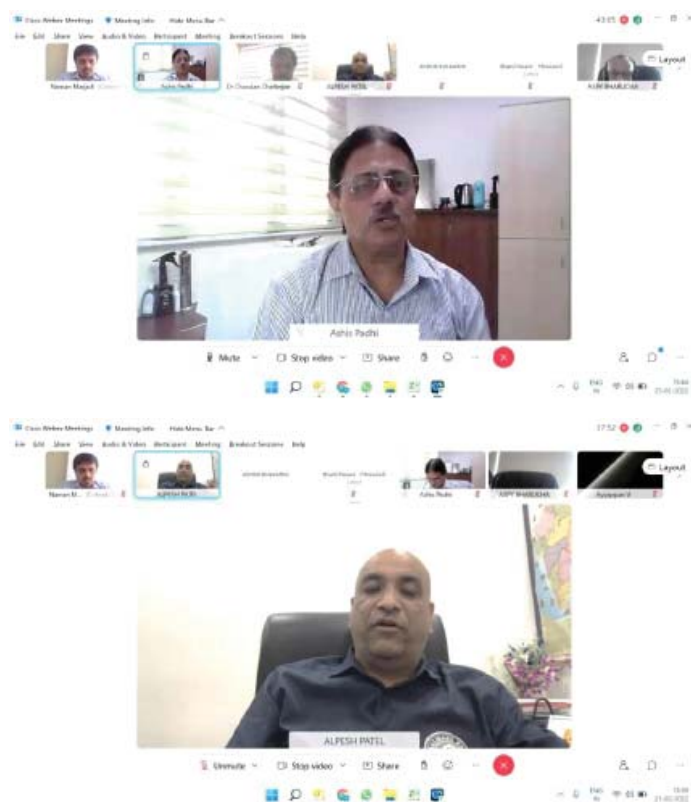
Ms Bharti Parave, Assistant Director, Plexconcil gave opening remarks of the webinar. Mr Shrikrishna Amlekar, Panel Chairman, Polyester Films, Plexconcil and Director-IPD Operations, Garware Hi-Tech Films Ltd gave the welcome address for the webinar. Mr Pranay Kumar-Vasudha Ecofriends Projects P Ltd gave detailed presentation on Plastic Waste Management Rules, Single use plastics Regulations, Draft Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR). Presentation was followed by Q & A session, which was moderated by Ms Bharti Parave, Asst. Director (Trade & Policy), Plexconcil. The webinar ended with Vote of Thanks by Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad.

4.31 Seminar on Plastic Waste Management Rule & EPR Fulfilment for Producers & Brands – 19.02.2022

The seminar was organised by Indian Plastic Federation (IPF). The Council supported the event and invited all its Eastern Region based members for their participation. Speakers were from WBPCB, HPL, Hulladek.

4.32 Webinar on Boost your competitiveness through MSME Schemes – 25.02.2022

Plexconcil organised a Webinar on Boost your competitiveness through MSME Schemes. The welcome Address was given by Mr Alpesh Patel, Chairman- Gujarat Region Committee, Plexconcil and Managing Director, Knack Packaging Pvt Ltd.



(L to R: Mr Alpesh Patel, Chairman- Gujarat Region Committee, Plexconcil, Shri P. N. Solanki, IEDS, Dy. Director, MSME DI, Ahmedabad, Shri Ashis Kumar Padhi, IEDS, Assistant Director, MSME DI, Ahmedabad)

Shri P. N. Solanki, IEDS, Dy. Director, MSME Development Institute, Ahmedabad briefed about activities of MSME DI and invited participants to visit and take advantage of newly built MSME Bhavan of MSME DI Ahmedabad. Shri Ashis Kumar Padhi, IEDS, Assistant Director, MSME Development Institute, Ahmedabad gave a presentation on various Incentive schemes of Development Commissioner (MSME), Ministry of MSME, Government of India to boost competitiveness of industry participants. He also guided and resolved various queries of participants during Q & A session. Q & A session was moderated by Mr Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad. The webinar ended with Vote of Thanks by Ms Bharti Parave, Asst. Director (Trade & Policy), Plexconcil

4.33 Post Budget Webinar on “Make in India for the World” – 3.03.2022

Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India organized Post Budget Webinar – “Make in India for the World” to sustain the momentum of Union Budget 2022-23 by synergizing with various initiatives.

Speaking at the Inaugural session of the post-budget webinar, Shri Narendra Modi, Hon’ble PM of India emphasised on the necessity of Make in India for the nation’s holistic development!

During a day long program, there were presentations on the following:

- 1) Paradigm Shift in Manufacturing in India (with Focus on PLI Scheme for India as manufacturing hub) with DPIIT as lead Ministry
- 2) Realising India’s Trillion Dollar Goal in Exports (with Focus on Growth, Manufacturing and Employment) with Department of Commerce as lead Department and
- 3) MSME as the growth engine for employment with MSME as the lead Ministry

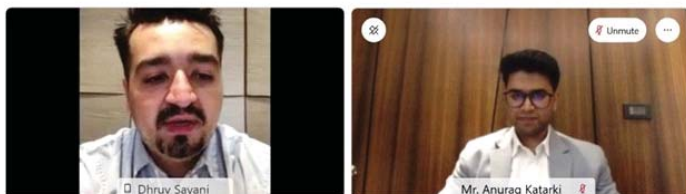
The Plastics Export Promotion Council promoted this event among industry participants. Plexconcil Members and prospective exporters were invited to join this webinar and benefited with deliberation on important trade aspects.

Shri, Piyush Goyal, Minister of Commerce & Industry, Govt. of India addressed the closing session of this DPIIT webinar.

4.34 Webinar on Understanding UK’s Plastic Packaging Tax for Indian Exporters – 5.03.2022

PLEXCONCIL organised a Webinar on Understanding Plastic Packaging Tax in the UK, for Indian Exporters. The UK Plastic Packaging Tax (PPT) is a tax that will apply to finished plastic packaging manufactured in or imported to the UK (empty or filled), which is made from less than 30% recycled plastic.

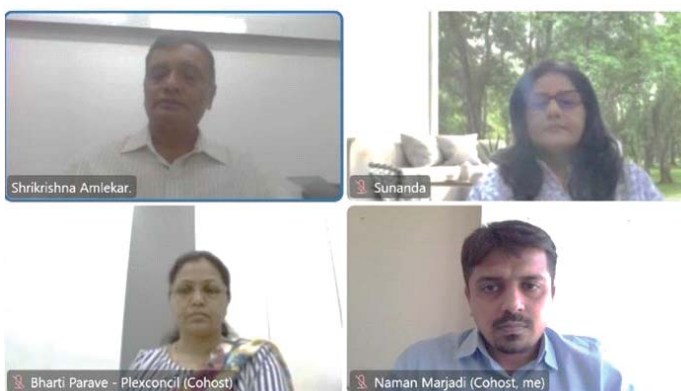
The tax will come into force from 1 April 2022, at a rate of £200 per metric tonne of plastic packaging. The objective of the webinar was to understand the implications of Plastic Packaging Tax and help Indian Businesses to be prepared for this change.



Ms Bharti Parave, Assistant Director, Plexconcil gave opening remarks of the webinar. Mr. Dhiruv Sayani, Plexconcil Panel Chairman of Consumer & Housewares Products and Director of M/s. Crystal Plastics & Metallizing Private Limited gave welcome address for the webinar. Speaker of the webinar Mr Anurag Katarki, Barrister-at-law and Advocate, explained about UK's Policy of Plastic Packaging Tax, Similar policies in EU member States, Extra Territorial effect on Indian Exporters. The webinar ended with Vote of Thanks by Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad.

4.35 Webinar on Global food contact regulations for Indian Plastic Exporters – 11.03.2022

PLEXCONCIL organised a Webinar on Global food contact regulations for Indian Plastic Exporters. Food contact regulatory requirements vary from one country to another country. These regulations are designed to ensure the safe use of Plastic and other material that come into contact with food during production and across the supply chain.



The objective of this webinar was to understand key regulations for Plastic food contact materials in important markets worldwide. Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad invited Mr Shrikrishna Amlekar, Panel Chairman, Polyester Films, Plexconcil and Director-IPD Operations, Garware Hi-Tech Films Ltd to give the welcome address for the webinar. Ms Sunanda Kadam, General Manager-India, Intertek Assuris, speaker of the webinar covered topics such as Overview of EU Legislation for Plastic Food Contact Materials, FCM in other countries, restricted substances in the packaging material, sustainability for the packaging industry, use of recycled food contact packaging etc. Ms Bharti Parave, Assistant Director, Plexconcil moderated Q & A and gave Vote of thanks for the webinar.

4.36 Webinar on Jebel Ali Free Zone (JAFZA) UAE – The Gateway to the Middle East – 25.03.2022

Recently UAE and India Signed Historic Trade Pact, Marking a New Era of Economic Cooperation and is expected to boost bilateral trade to \$100bn over five years and create enormous employment opportunities in both countries. Jebel Ali Free Zone (Jafza), near Abu Dhabi is the flagship free zone of DP World and is an integral part of the DP World UAE's integrated business hub.

PLEXCONCIL organised a Webinar on Jebel Ali Free Zone (JAFZA) UAE - The Gateway to the Middle East to update on Market Opportunities in UAE post CEPA agreement and how Indian plastics companies can take advantage of this major development. Mr. Dhiruv Sayani, Plexconcil Panel Chairman of Consumer & Housewares Products and director of M/s. Crystal Plastics & Metallizing Private Limited gave welcome address for the webinar. Speaker of the webinar Mr Sooraj Dhawan, India Market Consultant – JAFZA explained in detail about Jebel Ali Free Zone (JAFZA) UAE. The webinar ended with Vote of Thanks by Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad.

5. OTHER MEETINGS

5.1 Writing Instrument Panel Meeting - 5.04.2021

The Council organised a writing instrument product panel meeting under the Panel chairmanship of Mr Vimalchand Rathod, Director, C/o Flair Pen & Plastic Industries Pvt Ltd through virtual mode. The export performance of the products panel for the period April to February 2021 was reviewed and major issues & concerns hampering the export trade were discussed in the meeting.

5.2 Gujarat Regional Committee – 3rd Meeting – 5.04.2021

3rd Meeting of Gujarat Regional Committee was held on 5th April, 2021 virtually on Cisco Webex Platform. Export promotion activities being undertaken by council were discussed during the meeting. Export related concerns

were also discussed during the meeting. Deliberations were also made regarding initiatives for increasing engagement with various plastic associations, area wise association and non-members from Gujarat region.

5.3 Interactive Video Conference on Daman District under DGFT's "District as Export Hub" initiative – 16.04.2021

To promote exports at District level, the Directorate General of Foreign Trade (DGFT), Govt of India has introduced "Districts as Export Hub Initiative". The broad objective of this initiative is to understand the export profile of districts, identifying sectors having export potential and also to identify all interventions (soft & hard) required to facilitate trade/export eco system in the district.

PLEXCONCIL participated in video conference organized by FIEO along with participants from District Industries Centre, Daman Industry Association and other stakeholders from the district. The Council was represented by Mr Naman Marjadi, Assistant Director, Regional Office- Ahmedabad and Mrs Bharti Parave, Asst. Director, Trade & Policy, Mumbai. Several inputs and suggestions were given by council regarding boosting plastic exports from the region.

5.4 Raw Materials Panel Meeting - 24.04.2021

The Council had organised the raw materials product panel meeting under the Panel chairmanship of Mr Alok Tibrewala, Director, C/o Swastik Plastalloys Pvt. Ltd. through virtual mode. The export performance of the products panel for the period April to February 2021 was reviewed and major issues & concerns hampering the export trade were discussed in the meeting.

5.5 Meeting on the shortage of containers/port related issues held under the chairmanship of Director General of Shipping & Addl. Secretary to the Govt. of India – 11.05.2021

The web meeting was held under the chairmanship of Director General of Shipping with the prime objective to address shipping related issues, mainly, shortage of container and port related issues. Mr Vikram Bhaduria, Regional Chairman (North), Mr Amit Pal, COA Member flagged off various logistics related issues which are affecting exports. Few Member exporters along with Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD, Ms Bharti Parve, Asst. Director, PLEXCONCIL joined the meeting.

5.6 Outreach Session by Addl. DGFT, Mumbai with Exporters – 20.05.2021

The online session was organised by Addl. DGFT Office Mumbai to address all exporters' software related issues. Mr S.B.S. Reddy, Addl. DGFT, Mr Satya Raja Sekhar, Dy DGFT and other senior officer from DGFT office (New Delhi &

Mumbai) attended the meeting. As advised, the Council circulated the information to facilitate member exporters on DGFT related issues. Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD along with Member Exporters joined this online session.

5.7 Polyester Film Products Panel Committee first meeting scheduled on 4th June 2021 on virtual mode – 4.06.2021

The meeting of Polyester Film Panel was held under the Chairmanship of Mr. S V Amlekar, Panel Chairman to discuss increasing exports of the panel, address the specific export-related problems and find ways and means of their redressal, Identify export promotion activities (Trade Fairs, Buyer-Seller Meets (BSMs), Market Access Initiative Projects, etc) and mobilize participation and promote the products.



(Polyester Film Products Panel Committee first meeting)

5.8 Specials e-session on "India-Australia Trade Current and Future Perspective" – 11.06.2021

The e-session was organised by Bharat Chamber of Commerce, Kolkata. Her Excellency Ms. Rowan Ainsworth, Consul General of Australia in Kolkata delivered an address the session & it was followed by an interactive session. Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD joined this online session.

5.9 Eastern Regional Committee Meeting – 16.06.2021

The Eastern Regional Committee Meeting held under the chairmanship of Mr Prasan Lohia, Regional Chairman. Agenda items related to issues and concern with regard to export, Council's promotional activities, plastic export from eastern region and council's membership development were discussed.

5.10 Regional Committee Meeting of the Southern Region held through Video Conference – 25.06.2021

Mr. Y V Raman, Regional Chairman, South convened a Video Conference Meeting to discuss the rapid changes across multiple dimensions that are sweeping across the world as well as in India and how these would impact the Indian industry and exports and future strategies for crisis management. The Regional Chairman also requested Members for their valuable inputs and suggestions to grow exports from the South. The agenda points included :

1. Strategies to increase Membership from South
2. Suggestions for Virtual Export Promotion Activities to enhance exports from the Southern Region
3. Recommendation on post-Covid-19 FTP policy changes.
4. Recommendation on the Finance/Subsidies
5. Suggestions on organizing webinars

5.11 Pipes & Fittings Panel Meeting (Virtual) – 29.06.2021

The 1st PIPES & FITTINGS Panel Meeting via Video Conferencing for the year 2021-22 was held under panel Chairmanship of Mr. P. Mohan, Panel Chairman, who welcomed the Members and discussed the following points:

- Instability of Raw Material Prices – Need to request Plexconcil to bring out Price Index
- The Remission of Duties or Taxes on Export Product (RoDTEP/MEIS) for Pipes and Fittings should be announced and MEIS for previous years to be released
- Skill Development through training
- Technology Transfers
- Cluster Development (finding the gap and recommending Common Facilitation Centre to improve the quality of the product and to be cost-effective)
- Bringing out a study on the industry covering the opportunities overseas
- Product Research to bring niche product
- Finding ways to implement the discussions through proper channels and to call for “brainstorming” sessions with other like-minded stakeholders.
- Recent Import Ban on certain types of Plastic Pipes

5.12 Celebration of 4th GST Day by CGST Kolkata Zone – 1.07.2021

O/o the Principal Chief Commissioner of CGST & CX, Kolkata zone invited the Council for the above programme held through Webex. Mr Amit Pal, COA Member and Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD joined this online programme.

5.13 Convening of second UT level State Export Promotion Committee (SEPC) Meeting – 09.07. 2021

The second UT level State Export Promotion Committee (SEPC) Meeting was held on 09 Jul 2021 under the chairmanship of the Chief Secretary to Govt. of Puducherry in the Video Conferencing Hall-I of NIC, IV Floor, Chief

Secretariat, Puducherry. Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – South represented the Council and emphasized the need for Plastic Park in the UT.

5.14 Meeting to discuss the Iran’s wish list received in respect of Negotiations on Preferential Trade Agreement between India and Iran – 9.07.2021

The meeting was held under the chairmanship of Shri Praveen Kumar, Director (South Asia), Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Govt. Of India to discuss and take industry feedback on the Iran’s wish list in respect of Negotiations on Preferential Trade Agreement between India and Iran. Mr Nilotpal Biswas, Regional Director represented the Council at this meeting.

5.15 VC Meeting of Sub-Committee of MAI to consider proposals for 2021-22 for assistance regarding organizing / participating in export promotion activities – 22.07.2021

The meeting was held under the chairpersonship of Ms. Nidhi Mani Tripathi, Joint Secretary, Department of Commerce in order to discuss & consider Council’s various export promotion proposals for undertaking export promotion activities during FY 2021-22. Mr. Nilotpal Biswas, Regional Director and Mr. Krunal Goda, Sr. Manager (Exhibitions) represented the Council at this meeting.

5.16 Meeting of Export Promotion Councils under the Chairmanship of the DGFT through VC – 15.07.2021

The meeting was held under the Chairmanship of the DGFT through VC to discuss various issues and concerns related to Expansion of Negative list for EPCG scheme, Export incentive schemes – budgetary issues, Post-dated MEIS/SEIS scrips, RODTEP, ‘Others’ issue in ITC(HS) classification, Inputs related to FTP, EDI related issues, etc. Mr Arvind Goenka, Chairman, PLEXCONCIL submitted Council’s issues and concerns during the meeting. Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD, Ms Bharati Parve, Asst. Director also joined the session.

5.17 Commissioning of Study on Pipes & Fittings – 28.07.2021

Preliminary meeting with KPMG officials on Commissioning of Study on Pipes & Fittings was held under the guidance of Mr. P. Mohan, Panel Chairman, Pipes & Fittings long with other Mr. Sekaran, Panel Member, M/s. Ashirwad Pipes and Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – South. The agenda was to understand the expectations of the Council and approach by KMPG to outline the scope.

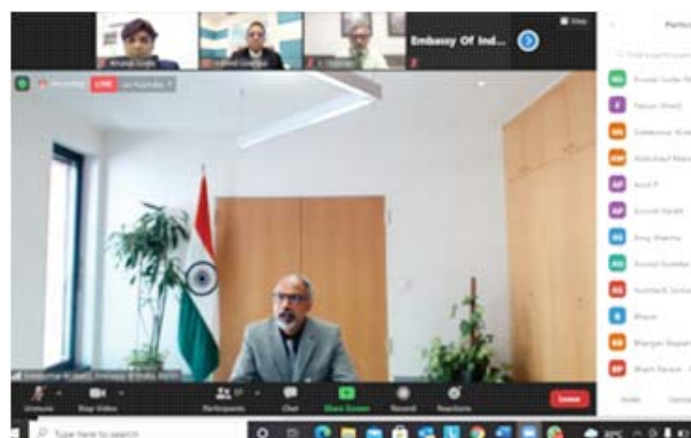
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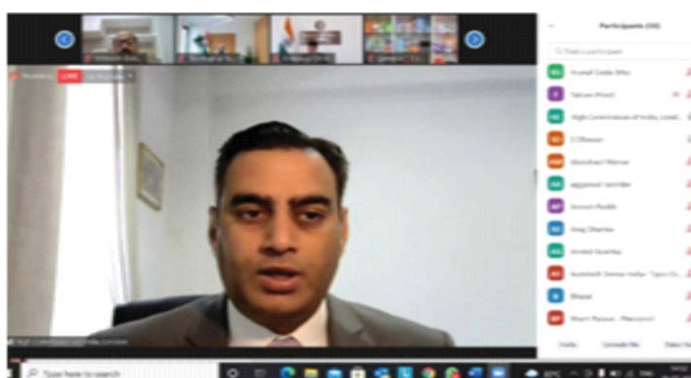
5.19 Virtual B2B Meeting organized by PLEXCONCIL (European region) – 30.07.2021 – 31.07.2021

PLEXCONCIL organized a Virtual B2B Meeting to promote the Indian plastic export industry among the European region buyers in consideration of the high potential for Indian plastic exports in the European region, India's emergence as a reliable alternative source of procurement in the pandemic era and its major role in providing quality solutions to the world's crisis caused by overdependence on single source for imports. The event received robust and enthusiastic support from the High Commission of India, UK; Embassies of India in Germany, France, The Netherlands, Belgium, Ireland and Croatia; Consulate General of India, Munich; Indo-German Chamber of Commerce; Indo-French Chamber of Commerce & Industry and VDMA Germany.

The inaugural event brought together the leading trailblazers in the industry, who addressed India's expansive export potential and vouched support to the Council's endeavor to boost plastic trade in international markets. The addresses were given by Shri Arvind Goenka, Chairman, Plexconcil; Shri Rohit Vadhwa, First Secretary (Eco), High Commission of India, London; Shri Deepanshu Khurrana, Second Secretary (Eco & Comm), Embassy of India, Paris; Shri Sreekumar Veetil, Marketing Officer, Embassy of India, Berlin; Smt Payal Kanwar, Director-General, IFCCI; Smt Sonia Prashar, Deputy Director-General, IGCC and Mr. Florian Mikulasch, Market Analyst, VDMA Germany. Shri Sribash Dashmohapatra gave the formal vote of thanks and urged the Indian missions, CCI and plastic associations across the region to aid in connecting with the potential markets in the respective nations.



*Shri. Sreekumar Veetil, Marketing Officer General,
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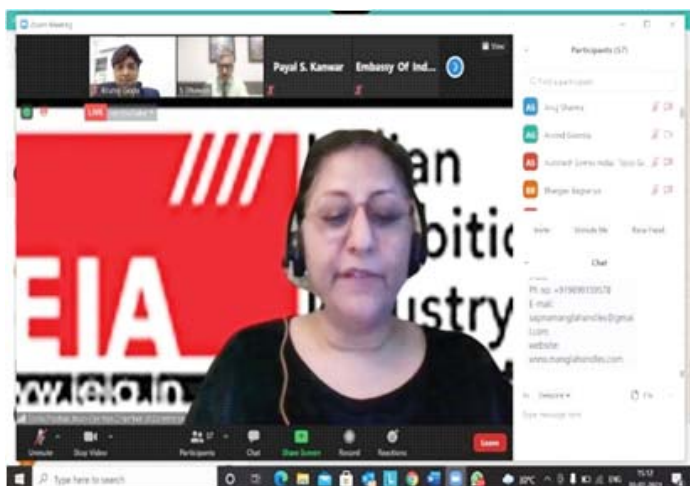
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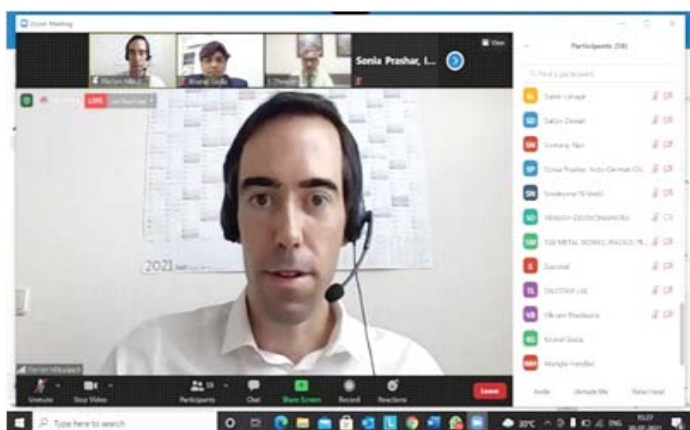
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Smt. Payal S Kanwar, Director-General, IFCCI



Smt. Sonia Prashar, Deputy Director-General, IGCC



Mr. Florian Mikulasch, Market Analyst, VDMA Germany

Upon conference with several Indian missions in the region with respect to the current status of European markets, it was decided by the Council to keep the virtual platform open for the course of entire August 2021 to better facilitate the business networking among Indian suppliers and European buyers. The Indian suppliers that participated in the event are Autotech-Sirmax India Pvt Ltd, Blend Colours Pvt Ltd, General Traders, Jay Laxmi Polyplast, JJ Plastalloy Pvt Ltd, Mangla Handles, National Vinyl Industries, Om Vinyls Pvt Ltd, Pashupati Laminators Pvt Ltd, Pittie Polymers Pvt Ltd, Priyadarshini Filaments Pvt Ltd, SSB Metal Works, Synthetic Packers Pvt Ltd, Tirupati Colour Pens Pvt Ltd, Universal Masterbatch LLP, Vishal Pipes Limited.

5.20 Times Network Jury Invite ICICI Elite SME 50: Tamil Nadu State – 6.08.2021

The Times Network has invited Plexconcil – Southern Region to be part of the Jury for their ICICI Elite SME 50Tamil Nadu. Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – South was part of the Jury to select the Elite SME 50 – Tamil Nadu and participation in this virtual event has created good branding for Plexconcil on Times Now.

5.21 Honourable Prime Minister of India's Address (Virtually) to the Exporters – 6.08.2021

The Government of India lays great emphasis on increasing exports because of its critical role in expanding economic activity and generating employment opportunities. Bearing this in mind, the Department of Commerce has set an ambitious target of US \$ 400 billion for merchandise exports in the current year 2021-22. This target has been set keeping in view the immense export potential, past trends, various recent initiatives taken by the Government, and the need to kick start economic activity which has been adversely impacted by the Covid-19 pandemic.

Given the priority accorded by the Government and to provide impetus to this initiative, the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India held a virtual meeting of key stakeholders on August 6, 2021, at 6pm. For Gujarat region, Plexconcil organized the viewing of the virtual meeting at office of Mr Alpesh Patel, Chairman, Gujarat Regional Committee, Plexconcil.



5.22 Plexconcil @ Hon'ble Prime Minister of India Shri. Narendra Modi's Virtual Address – 6.08.2021

Venue: PLEXCONCIL HQ & Regional Offices pan-India

Topic of Address: Local Goes Global- Make in India for the World: Roadmap to Achieve USD 400Bn Merchandise Exports in FY 2021-22

The Hon'ble Prime Minister of India Shri. Narendra Modi interacted with heads of Indian Missions abroad and

stakeholders of the trade and commerce sectors on the roadmap to achieve USD 400Bn merchandise exports in FY 2021-22. PLEXCONCIL, spearheading the plastic export promotion community, hosted 80+ plastic exporters at the PLEXCONCIL HQ and regional offices pan-India for the virtual address.



The Hon'ble PM discoursed on the important factors to increase exports, the logistic issues that are being resolved together with Centre, State and private stakeholders, the need for expanding international markets for Indian products and highlighted the Government initiatives aimed at supporting and boosting MSME via various successful schemes. He urged stakeholders to accelerate existing exports and create new market destinations for new products.

Ambassadors and office bearers in the Ministry of External Affairs that represent India in various nations across the globe are tasked with understanding trade potentials and need of international markets in their respective countries in order to act as bridges for Export Promotion Councils and Commerce Industry in India. The Hon'ble PM gave a call to establish a new identity of Quality and Reliability in our endeavour to create a natural demand for high value-added products of India across the globe. He assured the export industry of every support from the Government and urged the industry to prove the resolve of Atmanirbhar Bharat and a prosperous India.

Every stakeholder emphasized the role and importance of Export Promotion Councils in boosting the exports from India by reaching new market destinations worldwide.

5.23 Meeting with Tamil Nadu PVC Pipes & Fittings Manufacturing Association on Lead Stabilizer in Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Pipes and Fitting Rules 2021 - 7.08.2021

Mr. Mohan, Panel Chairman – Pipes & Fittings chaired the meeting with its panel members and along with the members of Tamil Nadu PVC Pipes & Fittings Manufacturing Association with regard to Lead Stabilizer in

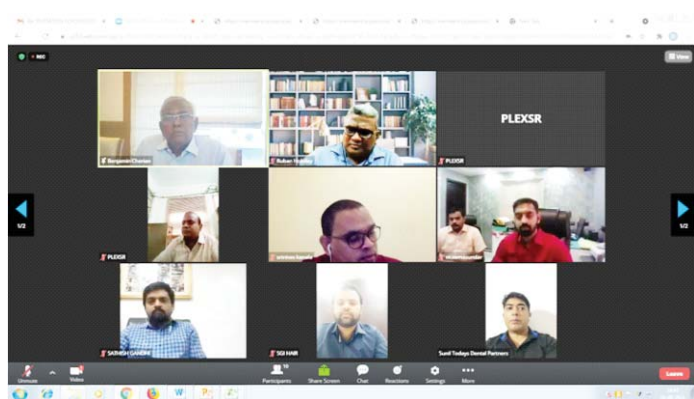
Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Pipes and Fitting Rules 2021. The issue was discussed in detail to submit necessary inputs for favourable amendments in the notification to facilitate the smooth manufacturing of these products across India. The Council was represented by Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director - South

5.24 Online Awareness programme on Rules of Origin organised by the Centre for Regional Trade – 11.08.2021

The awareness programme organised by Centre for Regional Trade on virtual Mode. Mr Ram Upendra Das, Head of Centre for Regional Trade made a detailed presentation on the subject. Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD joined this online programme.

5.25 Human Hair & Human Hair Products Panel Meeting (Virtual) – 18.08.2021

Mr. Benjamin Cherian Panel Chairman, Human Hair & Human Hair Products, chaired the first panel meeting of the current financial year with the following points :

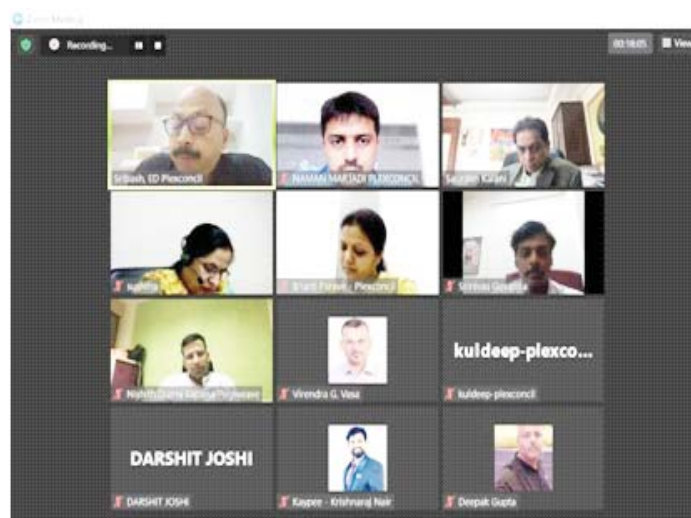


1. Review of Standing committee meeting held on 5th August with exporters, Government officials (details/discussion of the meeting is not given to Media/press as instructed by the chairman of the standing committee meeting)
2. Levy of 18% GST on temple auction amount
3. Strengthening Membership of PLEPC all over India to have strong lobby as suggested by DGFT
4. Request PLEPC to recommend only the registered members as genuine exporters
5. To Control under-invoicing/ prohibition of raw material from airport/seaport/roadways
6. PEPC should strongly recommend our issues to the Ministry of Commerce and Industries
7. Recently came to understand that even Remy unprocessed hair is also being exported.
8. Vision 2030

The Council was represented by Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director and Mr. R. Dayanidhi, Assistant Director – Southern Region.

5.26 Western Regional committee meeting – 25.08.2021

Western Regional Committee Meeting was held under chairmanship of Shri Saurabh Kalani, Regional Chairman, Western region on Wednesday 25th August, 2021 at 3.30 pm on Virtual mode. Based on Top-10 plastic export items state wise, suggestions were received to boost export from various states. Problem faced by member exporters were discussed during the meeting. Participation was briefed about upcoming Plexconcil Virtual events and suggestions for webinar topics were also received from members.



5.27 Interactive session with Hon'ble Commerce Secretary, Shri B.V.R Subrahmanyam on trade issues under the "Exporters Outreach program" – 26.08.2021

The session was organised by the O/o Addl. DGFT, Kolkata at Taj Bengal Hotel. Mr Amit Pal, Owner, Kolor Impex (COA Member, PLEXCONCIL) and Mr Lalit Agarwal, Director, Glen Industries Pvt. Ltd, (Regional Committee Member, PLEXCONCIL) attended the session.

5.28 Youth Wing Committee Meeting – 27.08.2021

A brief meeting was organized with three of the Youth Wing Committee members to discuss the plans to bring out the e-Directory of the Plastic Industry. Mr. Pranoy, Mr. Dhruven Chitalia, and Mr. Mayank Goenka along with Mr. Ruban Hobday, RD – South participated in the meeting.

5.29 Meeting with Managing Director of Tamil Nadu Polymer Park on 31.08.2021

A meeting was organized by the Council with Tamil Nadu Polymer Park along with TAPMA (Tamil Nadu Plastics Manufacturers Association) with the Managing Director to discuss the role of the Council and the Association in promoting the park.

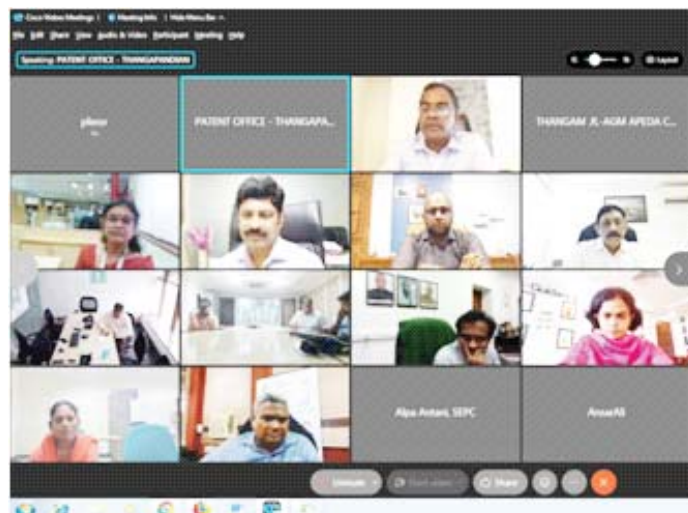
5.30 Preliminary Meeting with Andhra Pradesh Economic Development Board (AEDB) & other Stakeholders in Organising Vanijya Saptah at Vijayawada –2.09.2021 & 7.09.2021

Plexconcil being the lead Council for the State of Andhra Pradesh had Preliminary Meetings with Andhra Pradesh Economic Development Board (AEDB), JDGFT – Vishakhapatnam and other stakeholders to organise Vanijya Saptah at Vijayawada on 21st & 22nd September 2021. The meeting had participation from various EPC's and Industry stakeholders



5.31 Preliminary Meeting with Council for Leather Exports (CLE), Guidance Tamil Nadu & other Stakeholders in Organising Vanijya Saptah at Chennai – 3.09.2021 & 18.09.2021

Plexconcil-Southern Region participated in the Preliminary Meeting organised by CLE & Guidance Tamil Nadu with regard to Vanijya Saptah to be held in Chennai on 22nd September 2021. The meeting had participation from various EPC's and Industry stakeholders.



5.32 District Export Promotion Committee Meeting of Panchmahal District, Gujarat –8.09.2021

To promote each district as an Export Hub, Committee is formed to promote export from Panchmahal District. Plastic is selected as one of the focused products with high potential for increase in exports from the Panchmahal District. To deliberate and discuss more about District Export Plan meeting was held under chairmanship of Mr Sujal Mayatra, IAS, Collector, Panchmahal, Gujarat and co-chaired by Mr Rahul Singh, ITS, Deputy DGFT, RA Vadodara. The Plexconcil was represented by Mr Naman Marjadi, Assistant Director, Regional Office- Ahmedabad. Several suggestions were given during the meeting for boosting of Plastic exports from the district. Mr S.J.Thakor, General Manager, District Industries Center- Panchmahal is the convenor for Panchmahal District.

5.33 District Export Promotion Committee Meeting of Dahod District, Gujarat –8.09.2021

The Second meeting of District Export Promotion committee of Dahod District was held under chairmanship of Dr. Harshit Gosavi, IAS, Collector, Dahod, Gujarat and was co-chaired by Mr Rahul Singh, ITS, Deputy DGFT, RA Vadodara. Mr S.J.Thakor, (In Charge), General Manager, District Industries Center- Dahod is the convenor for Panchmahal District. District Export Plan was deliberated during the meeting. Inputs were given during the meeting to start and increase export from Dahod District. The Plexconcil was represented by Mr Naman Marjadi, Assistant Director, Regional Office- Ahmedabad.

5.34 Meeting regarding organizing Vanijya Utsav event in the State of Gujarat at Gandhinagar –8.09.2021

In order to discuss about organizing the Vanijya Saptah event in Gujarat successfully a meeting was organized by Office of the Industries Commissioner, Government of Gujarat with all Export Promotion Councils at the Industries Commissionerate office. All members were briefed about

the activities and events to take place during Trade and Commerce Week (Vanijya Saptah) event in Gujarat and role of EPCs for the same. Mr Naman Marjadi, Assistant Director, Regional Office- Ahmedabad attended the meeting from Plexconcil. In the following week, few virtual meetings were also organized for planning and execution of Vanijya Utsav event, which was attended by Mr Shyam Tibrewal, CoA Member – WR, Plexconcil and Mr Sribash Dasmohapatra, Executive Director, Plexconcil.

5.35 Field Visit to Tamil Nadu Polymer Park and Industries Ltd at Chennai – 13.09.2021

Plexconcil - Southern Region organized a field visit to Tamil Nadu Polymer Park and Industries Ltd at Chennai for Council and TAPMA Members with the support of TAPMA.



SIPCOT, Govt of Tamil Nadu officials made a brief presentation on the Tamil Nadu Polymer Park at the site outlining the major advantages of establishing the unit at the said Polymer Park.



5.36 Meetings with Andhra Pradesh Economic Development Board (AEDB) & other Stakeholders in Organising Vanijya Saptah at Vijayawada – 13.09.2021 - 14.09.2021

Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director-South and Mr. Krunal Goda, Sr. Manager-Exhibitions met the officials of Andhra Pradesh Economic Development Board (AEDB) and other important stakeholders with regard to progress made towards organising of Vanijya Saptah at Vijayawada.

5.37 Promotion of the Indian Plastic Industry/Plexconcil's activities during 'PLÁSTICO BRASIL XPERIENCE'(virtual content and networking week) – 14.09.2021-16.09.2021

As per initiative of the O/o Consulate General of India, Sao Paulo, the Plastico Brazil fair authority extended the opportunity to the Council to promote the Indian Plastics Industry during the Plastico Brazil Xperience. A digital booth was allocated to the Council for promotion of the industry during the show. Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD coordinated with the O/o CGI, Sao Paulo and fair authority for setting up of the booth.

5.38 Joint Secretary Factory visit at Bangalore – 17.09.2021

Plexconcil - Southern Region organised factory visit for Shri. S. Suresh Kumar, IAS, Joint Secretary, EP (CAP), Ministry of Commerce, Govt. of India to M/s. Synthetic Packers Pvt Ltd, Bangalore on 17th September 2021.

5.39 PLEXCONCIL Organized & Participated at Vanijya Saptah, Vijaywada. Participated in Mumbai, Chennai, Ahmedabad, Kolkata & Export Conclave in District Export Promotion in Gujarat – 21 & 22.09.2021

In celebration of India's 75th year of independence, the Department of Commerce, GoI organized State & Districts Events to showcase the economic growth of the States, especially promoting district-wise export achievements and future potential during 'Vanijya Saptah', as a part of 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav



PLEXCONCIL was assigned as the nodal council to support and coordinate with the Government of Andhra Pradesh on behalf of the Ministry of Commerce and DGFT, Visakhapatnam in organizing the two-day physical event on 21st and 22nd September 2021 providing the professional approach in supporting the State Government. The event was themed as 'Showcasing India as a Rising Economic Force' which enabled the industry associations and exporters together to explore new business and trade avenues, highlighting the exports potential from Andhra Pradesh.

Inauguration

The inaugural of the two-day Vanija Utsavam (Andhra Pradesh Trade and Exports Carnival) held on September 21, 2021 marked the beginning of the Vanija Saptah in commemoration of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav.



The event, jointly organized by the State and Central governments and was inaugurated by the Hon. CM of Andhra Pradesh Shri. Y.S Jagan Mohan Reddy in the presence of Shri. Mekapati Goutham Reddy, Hon. Minister for Industries & Commerce, Infrastructure & Investments, IT, Skill Development & Training, Govt of AP; Shri Adityanath Das IAS, Chief Secretary, Govt of AP; Shri. Suresh Kumar IAS, JS, MoC; Shri. JVN Subramanyam IAS, Commissioner Industries, Commerce & Export Promotion, VC & MD APIIC Government of Andhra Pradesh, Shri. Arvind Goenka, Chairman, PLEXCONCIL, and other officials and dignitaries. Apart from the officials, MPs, MLAs, and other State Ministers (five) were present during the inaugural.

During the event, Plexconcil Chairman, Mr. Arvind Goenka said that the council is active in Andhra Pradesh with a plethora of Plastics and Human Hair exports from the State. In 2020-21, Andhra Pradesh reported plastics (and human hair) exports of USD 181 million. Andhra Pradesh is among the top 5 exporters of plastic raw materials in India. In value-added plastic, major items being exported by AP include plastic sheets and films, medical disposables of plastic, optical frames and lenses, and pipes and tubes of plastic. Andhra Pradesh is the second-largest exporter of human hair from India. Vanija Mahotsav was specifically targeting exports to encourage several plastic manufacturers in Andhra Pradesh to venture into plastics exports.

Highlights

- The Inaugural Function comprised of Launch of various State Government Trade & Export Development Initiatives, Policies, and Services such as below:
- Release of State Export Action Plan
- Launch of Export Trade Portal
- Launch of YSR One Business Advisory Services
- Launch of State MSME Schemes



- An EXPORTERS EXPERIENCE ARENA was conceived by the Govt of Andhra Pradesh as a dedicated area designed to serve as a guide to any aspiring entrepreneur and motivate them to export commodities from the State.
- An Award Function was organized to Felicitated the Industry Champions and Top Exporters From Andhra Pradesh.

Exhibition

An exhibition was organized with 28 booths accommodating mostly EPCs of different products focusing on potential exporters. Every EPC was showcased their products which was encouraging for the visitors who were able to see the finished export products.



Export Seminars

The Govt of Andhra Pradesh jointly with Plexconcil organized seminars which were unique, especially the first session which was a hybrid with 7 Indian Missions officials informing the participants of the huge export opportunities available in their respective countries for Indian products, especially from Andhra Pradesh.

Plexconcil played a key role in bringing in the Indian Missions virtually & creating the opportunity for the participants to understand these markets. The following Indian Missions participated in the seminar .

- 1) Shri. Mayak Joshi, Deputy Chief of Mission, Chargé d' affaires ad interim, Embassy of India, Tokyo, Japan
- 2) Dr. Aman Puri, Consulate General of India, Dubai, Embassy of India, UAE
- 3) Dr.K.M Praphullachandra Sharma, Deputy Chief of Mission, Embassy of India, Paris, France
- 4) Shri. Rohit Vadhvana, First Secretary High Commission of India, London, UK
- 5) Shri. Pramyesh Basall, Commercial Representative High Commission of India, Dhaka, Bangladesh
- 6) Shri. Rakesh Pandey, Head of Economic & Commercial Wing, High Commission of India, Colombo Sri Lanka
- 7) Shri. Sreekumar N. Veetil, Marketing Officer, Embassy of India, Berlin, Germany

Shri. Sribash Dasmohapatra, Executive Director, Plexconcil made a presentation on the role of EPCs in the International Marketing & Export Promotions during this session.

On the second day Shri. Kurasala Kannababu, Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture, Government of Andhra Pradesh presiding over the event with a special address and emphasis on the agriculture exports from the State followed by Smt. Poonam Malakondaiah IAS, Special Chief Secretary to Government, Agriculture, Horticulture, Fisheries & Sugar Government of Andhra Pradesh. Shri. R Karikal Valevan, IAS Special Chief Secretary to Government & CIP, Industries, Infrastructure, Investment & Commerce Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh.



Shri. S. Suresh Kumar, IAS, Joint Secretary, MoC who was a special guest at the event spoke about the various Central Government schemes for exporters and the different FTA's the Govt of India are pursuing to ease doing business with potential countries. Shri. Sribash Dasmohapatra, Executive Director, Plexconcil made a presentation on the "Opportunities for Plastic Exports" during this session.

Shri. S. Suresh Kumar, IAS, Joint Secretary, MoC was the special guest at the Valedictory session who congratulated the Govt of Andhra Pradesh for their full support in organizing the two days event and making it a big success as well as gave away few awards to exporters.



The event ended with an Awards Ceremony for the Best Stall, Best Exporters, and other categories. More than 1000 delegates visited the two days event which included exporters, potential exporters, MP, MLAs, Government officials, and others.



5.40 Plexconcil Mumbai at Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav 'Vanijya Utsav' – 21.09.2021 – 22.09.2021

India's celebration of the 75th year of independence- Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav 'Vanijya Utsav' in Maharashtra brought together the export fraternity of the state in a vibrant showcase of 'India as a Rising Economic Force'. The two-day event held at the World Trade Centre, Mumbai, was an opportunity for the industry to engage with various Central and State Government officials and get a better understanding of various support measures available for exports. The event also enabled the industry to explore potential trade avenues in Maharashtra, understand the various opportunities and resolutions of export concerns, and discover exciting new markets for state-specific products across the globe.



(L to R): Mr. Pradip Thakkar, Past Chairman, Plexconcil, Shri. SBS Reddy- Addl DGFT, Mumbai, Shri. Subhash Desai, Session

Chief Guest Address at Vanijya Utsav Inauguration session

Hon'ble Minister for Industries & Mining, Govt of Maharashtra,

Emerging Maharashtra-Magnetic Maharashtra

Shri. Raosaheb Patil Danve, Hon'ble MOS- Railways, Coal & Mining, GoI, Smt. Aaditi Tatkare, Hon'ble MOS- Industries & Mining, Govt of Maharashtra and Shri. Baldev Singh IAS, Addl Chief Secretary- Industries, Govt of Maharashtra

One District One Product (ODOP)

The event was inaugurated on 21st September 2021 by Shri. Raosaheb Patil Danve, Hon'ble Minister of State for Railways, Coal & Mining, Govt of India, in the auspicious presence of Shri. Subhash Desai, Hon'ble Minister for Industries & Mining, Govt of Maharashtra, Smt. Aaditi Tatkare, Hon'ble Minister of State for Industries & Mining, Govt of Maharashtra, Shri. Baldev Singh I.A.S, Additional Chief Secretary for Industries, Govt of Maharashtra and Dr. Harshadeep Kamble I.A.S, Development Commissioner (Industries) and Commissioner (Export), Govt of Maharashtra.



Products at the Plastics Export Promotion Council exhibit



Mr. Hemant Minocha with Plexconcil exhibitors



*Shri. Kamble,
Solapur Irrigation Dept visits Plexconcil exhibit*

Felicitations of Mr. Hemant Minocha, Vice Chairman, Plexconcil

Panel Address by Mr. Hemant Minocha (2nd from R)

'MAHA EXPO CONCLAVE' hosted panel discussions featuring Government Export Department representatives, Export Promotion Councils, Consulates, Industrial Development Corporation, Logistics and Finance Institutes and prominent exporters from myriad sectors in discourses on Central and State government support for export promotion, bilateral trade opportunities, banking and finance support for export promotion, export infrastructure and open house interactions to understand issues concerning the trade ecosystem.

The Plastics Export Promotion Council (Plexconcil), helmed by Panel Speaker Mr. Hemant Minocha, Vice Chairman, Plexconcil and Mr. Pradip Thakkar, Past Chairman, Plexconcil, hosted a contingent of office bearers and plastic product exhibitors at the event. M/s RMG Polyvinyl India Limited, M/s Vikas Industries, M/s Pearl Thermoplast Private Limited, M/s Aristo Houseware and M/s Al-Aziz Plastics Private Limited exhibited an array of plastics with tremendous export potential - Vinyl Floor Coverings, PVC leathercloth, Thermoware, Houseware, EcoRain systems, and other injection moulding products.

The event met with an enthusiastic response from export stakeholders, especially with Export Promotion Councils and Industrial Development Corporations exhibiting a wide range of products with international export potential and services to enable the progress of both established and upcoming exporters. Vanijya Utsav is a vital step in making a measured advance towards the USD 400 billion Merchandise Exports in the current year 2021-22, and for realizing the USD 5 trillion economy vision as envisaged by the Hon'ble PM of India, Shri. Narendra Modi.



Maharashtra, distinguished as India's most industrialized state and among the leading exporters, is a pioneer in small-scale industries and boasts of many special export promotion zones. At the forefront in economy, GDSP, Industries and service sectors, the state has tremendous potential to boost its existing international trade and thereby lead other states in realizing India's economic ambitions.

5.41 Conference and Exhibition for Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav, "Vanijya Utsav – Showcasing India a Rising Economic Force" of Gujarat State – 21.09.2021 & 22.09.2021

As part of the "Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav", 'Vanijya Utsav' Showcasing India a Rising Economic Force was organized to promote and showcase export potential in the state of Gujarat and exportable products and services in Gujarat. A two-day physical event (with full COVID protocol as per the guidelines of the State) was organized on 21-22 September 2021 at Ahmedabad Management Association (AMA), AMA Complex, ATIRA Campus, Vastrapur, Ahmedabad, Gujarat.

The event brought together speakers from the Policy makers, EPCs, Chambers, Exporters and all stakeholders involved in the export ecosystem of the state. The event focused on interactions and deliberations on the initiatives undertaken by the central and state government for promoting exports, export potential and opportunities, financing for exporters, issues faced by exporters, role of infrastructure, etc. CHEMEXCIL & TEXPROCIL were the partner Export Promotion Councils (EPCs) for organizing this two-day event in Ahmedabad.

Chief Guest Hon'ble, Smt Darshana Jardosh, Minister of State for Railways and Textiles, Government of India and Guest of Honour, Shri Jagadish Vishwakarma, Honble Minister of State for Industries, Government of Gujarat inaugurated the "Vanijya Utsav" at Ahmedabad on 21st Sept 2021

Plexconcil Members were invited in this Exhibition and Technical Sessions organised for two days. Six PLEXCONCIL members exhibited their products in the exhibition area organized on side lines of this two-day conclave.



Chief Guest Hon'ble, Smt Darshana Jardosh, Minister of State for Railways and Textiles, Government of India visited the Exhibition Stall set up by PLEXCONCIL Members

5.42 VanijyaSaptah, Chennai – Tamil Nadu – 22.09.2021

Government of India through Ministry of Commerce & Industries, and various Export Promotion Councils (EPCs) has organised "Vanijya Saptah" (Trade and Commerce Week) event in all States and Union Territories across the country as part of 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' with focus on economic growth, especially promotion of exports from India.



Thiru M.K. Stalin, Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu, inaugurated the Tamil Nadu Export Conclave on 22.09.2021 at Kalaivanar Arangam in Chennai showcasing the export potential of the state. Thiru Thangam Thennarasu, Industries Minister and Thiru T M Anbarasan, Minister for Rural Industries has also attended the event, apart from the Chief Secretary, Government of Tamil Nadu, Additional Secretary Ministry of Commerce & Industry (Govt. Of India), Principal Secretary Industries (Govt. Of Tamil Nadu), Additional Director General Foreign Trade and other Senior Officials from Central and State Governments.

The event has been planned to showcase the export potential from the state of Tamil Nadu with the target to increase the state share of exports in a significant way with a focus on development of Industries and attracting investments apart from Agriculture and other sectors. The major highlight of the event was the Inaugural of Tamil Nadu Polymer Park and Industries Ltd by the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu and handing over of allotment orders to the companies.



Plexconcil-Southern Region had facilitated the seven member's company participation at the event by providing the space for display of Products & Brochures.



5.43 Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav"Vanijya Utsav – Showcasing India a Rising Economic Force"- District Level Export Conclaveat Ahmedabad District – 24.09.2021

Under the Vanijya Saptah, **District Level Export Conclaveat Ahmedabad District** was organized by District Industries Centre (DIC) - Ahmedabad in line with state level conclave at Ahmedabad Management Association, ATIRA CAMPUS, Ahmedabad for the full day. Along with Conclave, separate exhibition was also organized during the program. Plexconcil and other export promotion council promoted their services among visiting delegates during the conclave. Plexconcil Members from District were invited to attend this conclave and visit the exhibition. The Conclave and exhibition were inaugurated by Mr Rohit Soni, ITS, Deputy DGFT, RA Ahmedabad.



Representative from PLEXCONCIL and other EPCs with Mr Rohit Soni, ITS, Deputy DGFT, RA Ahmedabad and Mr R D Barhatt, General Manager, DIC Ahmedabad, Government of Gujarat

5.44 Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav, - District Level Export Conclave titled Seminar on "Simplifying Foreign Trade for Exporters for Panchmahal District – 25.09.2021

Under Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav, District Level Export Conclave titled Seminar on "Simplifying Foreign Trade for Exporters for Panchmahal District was organized by DIC Panchmahal, Halol (GIDC) Industries Association, Directorate General of Foreign Trade and other Government Department of State and Central Government. Chief Guest of the Program, Dr Rahul Singh, ITS, Deputy DGFT, RA Vadodara addressed on "DGFT Simplifying the Exporting Experience" during the program. During the program, Mr Naman Marjadi, Assistant Director, PLEXCONCIL, Ahmedabad addressed participants on Opportunities for Plastic Exports from Panchmahal District. Plexconcil also interacted with industry members through Plexconcil Booth at the venue.

5.45 Chennai Plastic Print Lamination Cluster Awareness Programme, Chennai - 24.09.2021

Chennai Plastic Print Lam Association organised an Awareness Programme for formation of Chennai Plastic Print Lamination Clusterwith the support of MSME-DI, Chennai. The participants were briefed on the importance of creating this Cluster for the betterment of the trade.



5.46 Meeting (VC) with Embassy of India, Tokyo – Japan – 20.10.2021

The Council participated in the virtual Meeting organised by Embassy of India, Tokyo – Japan and FT (NEA) division of Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce, Govt. of India with regard to commercial inquiry for supplier / manufacturers of Plastic products from India to Japan. Mr. Sribash Dasmohapatra, Executive Director and Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director-South participated in the virtual meeting.



5.47 Meeting (VC) on Proposed Certificate Course in International Business - 22.10.2021

A Meeting (VC) was organised to finalise the faculties and other Curriculum Structures with regard to the proposed Certificate Course in International Business by the Council.

5.48 Meeting with EPC, organised by MSME Ministry, Govt. Of India - 25.10.2021

The meeting was organised by MSME department regarding revised IC scheme/reimbursement of Membership charges, Insurance and testing charges to the Exporter members. PLEXCONCIL ED along with RD(East), RD(South), AD(Ahmedabad) joined the meeting online.

5.49 PGA EPC || NLP Marine Introductory session - 25.10.2021

The Indian Government is working towards building a national maritime single window known as National Logistics Portal (NLP-Marine) encompassing complete end-to-end logistics solutions. The plan is to scale up the current Port Community System (PCS 1x) to create NLP-Marine through upgradation and strengthening of the platform. An introductory meeting was held and Mr N Biswas, RD & Ms Bharati Parve, Asst. Director from PLEXCONCIL joined this online introductory session.

5.50 Meeting (VC) with Periyar University on PU - MBA Export & Import Management - II BOS – 28.10.2021

Periyar University, Salem – Tamil Nadu has organised an online Board of Studies meeting for MBA Export & Import Management syllabus, where Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – South was invited as a Special Invitee and shared his industry and export-oriented inputs to be included in the curriculum.



5.51 Meeting to Review of Progress Towards India's Export Target for 2021-22 for European Countries – 10.11.2021

The meeting organised by FT-Europe Division of Department of Commerce was chaired by Ms. Nidhi Mani Tripathi, Joint Secretary, FT-Europe Division. Commercial Representatives/In-charge of Commercial Wings in the 11 Indian Missions in Europe attended the meeting to review

the progress of target achieved during April-October, 2021. Mr Nilotpāl Biswas, Regional Director represented the Council.

5.52 Meeting regarding National Logistics Portal (Marine) – 11.11.2021

Ministry of Commerce & Industry (MOCI) and Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways (MOPSW) has entrusted the work of developing the National Logistics Portal (Marine) to Indian Ports Association (IPA).

National Logistic Portal (NLP) is a project of national importance aimed at connecting all the stakeholders of the logistics community using IT, to improve efficiency and transparency by reducing costs and time delays.

To know more about this initiative and understand importance of NLP for the benefit of Plexconcil Members, virtual meeting was held with Mr. Abhishek Nair, EY, NLP Team to organize a webinar on this important initiative for members. From Ms Bharti Parave, Asst. Director (Trade & Policy) and Mr Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Ahmedabad attended the meeting.

5.53 PLEXCONCIL's Eastern Regional Committee Meeting - 16.11.2021

The Eastern Regional Committee Meeting of the PLEXCONCIL was to discuss issues and concern with regard to export from Eastern Region, Council's promotional activities, plastic export from eastern region and council's membership development were discussed. Member Exporters expressed their concerns on the following issue and requested for the Council's intervention.

- RODTEP rates are too low and for Advance Authorization exports, RODTEP is still not extended.
- Interest subvention is still not extended.
- MEIS limit for Sept 2020 to Dec. 2020 quota has been exhausted and those who have not been able to apply for any reason, cannot apply or are not eligible to get the same.

5.54 Meeting (Virtual) with National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) – 16.11.2021

Virtual Meeting was organised with NSDC officials regarding the request for Accreditation as Training Partner to conduct the Certificate Course in International Business.

5.55 Preparatory talks/discussion with the Embassy of India, Lima(Peru & Bolivia) and High Commission of India Accra, Ghana

RD(East) had ongoing talks with the commercial section with the aforesaid Embassies/High commission office in order to organise the Export Promotion activity (Webinar/B2B Meeting) for promotion of trade. It may be informed that Embassy of India, Lima jointly with PLEXCONCIL, CAPEXIL and with other association will be

organising a Webinar on 1st December 2021 on 'Trade and Business Opportunities with Peru & Bolivia: Focus product: Plastics & Rubber'.

5.56 Meeting with FT (NEA) Division, MoC, Govt. of India – 23.11.2021

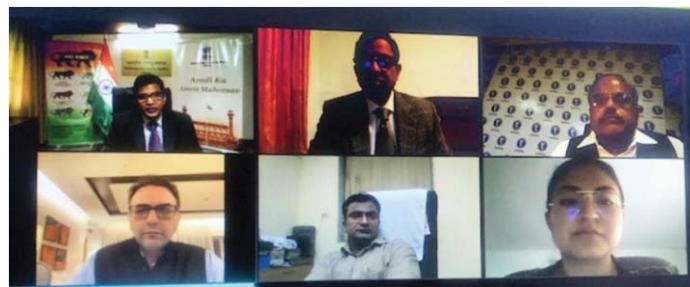
Shri. Sribash Dasmohapatra, Executive Director and Shri. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director, SR attended the review meeting of Export Target for NEA Countries organized by the FT (NEA) Division, MoC, Govt. of India.

5.57 Meeting with Mr R Muthuraj, ITS, Additional DGFT, RA AHMEDABAD – 26.11.2021

Mr Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, Plexconcil Ahmedabad met Mr R Muthuraj, ITS, Additional DGFT, RA AHMEDABAD to deliberate and discussed on working closely for benefit of industry and trade. Mr R Muthuraj was also briefed about issues faced by members, and he assured all support to resolve the same.

5.58 Online session on “Plastic & Rubber Products of India: Trade & Business Opportunities with Peru & Bolivia” – 1.12.2021

The Embassy of India, Lima in association with Plexconcil, Capexil, Binational India-Peru Chamber of Commerce (INCHAM PERU), Peruvian Association of the Plastic Industry (APIPLAST) and National Chamber of Industries (CNI) organised the above online session with the prime objective to further explore the trade and business opportunities in area of Plastics & Rubber products. HE Mr. Mandarapu Subbarayudu, Ambassador of India to Peru and Bolivia delivered the welcome address. Mr Arvind Goenka, Chairman, Plexconcil delivered an address on 'Indian Plastics Industry'. There was also a presentation by Mr. Hemant Minocha, Vice Chairman, Plexconcil on 'India's strength and potential sectors for trade and business in Peru and Bolivia'. Mr. Shrikrishna Amlekar, Panel Chairman - Polyester Films, PLEXCONCIL spoke about the India's strength in the polyester film sector. This was followed by a presentation from Mr. Javier Dávila, Consultant at Apiplast - Business Opportunities in Peru and Mr. Manuel Laredo Garnica, CEO, Mamut, CNI, Bolivia – Business Opportunities in Bolivia. Formal Vote of thanks delivered by Mr. Rohit Rao, President, INCHAM Peru.



Photographs: Online session on “Plastic & Rubber Products of India: Trade & Business Opportunities with Peru & Bolivia”

5.59 5th Meeting of Gujarat Regional Committee- 1.12.2021

The 5th Meeting of Gujarat Regional Committee was held, and Export promotion activities being undertaken by council were discussed during the meeting. Export related concerns were also discussed during the meeting. Deliberations were also made regarding initiatives for increasing engagement for the benefit of prospective plastic exporters.

5.60 Meeting under chairmanship of Shri M. Thennarasan, IAS, Vice Chairman & Managing Director, Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation, Gandhinagar – 7.12.2021

A meeting was organized for “Local Goes Global: Export Led Growth” Pre-Summit event, Vibrant Gujarat Global Summit 2022, under the chairmanship of Shri M. Thennarasan, IAS, Vice Chairman & Managing Director, Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation at Gandhinagar with Export Promotion Councils and other stakeholders. The Plexconcil was represented by Mr Naman Marjadi, Assistant Director, Regional Office- Ahmedabad. Inputs were shared by Plexconcil for organizing event so that maximum benefits can be made available to exporters as well as prospective exporters.

5.61 Meeting of Hooghly District Export Promotion Committee – 7.12.2021

The above meeting held at Chinsurah, Hooghly District (WB) under the chairmanship of Hon'ble District Magistrate. This was the first meeting of the District Export Promotion Committee of Hooghly. Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD represented the Council at his meeting.

5.62 Training on e-RCMC on 9.12.2021 & 21.12.2021

Above training programmes were organised by the O/o DGFT. Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD along with other Officers & Staff Members (HO & Regional Office) attended the programme.



5.63 VC Meeting to Review Export Target for LAC Region - 10.12.2021

The above meeting organised by the Department of Commerce mainly to review the export performance in order to achieve the export target set the Department. Mr Vipul Bansal, Joint Secretary, FT-LAC chaired the meeting. Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD represented the Council at this meeting.

5.64 Member in Foreign Trade Committee of SICCI Meeting – 10.12.2021

Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director, Plexconcil was nominated in the Foreign Trade Committee of Southern Indian Chamber of Commerce & Industry (SICCI) one of the reputed Chambers in South India as their committee member. The first meeting was organized on 10th Dec 2021 through a video conference. The meeting was chaired by Mr. Raja Vaidyanathan and Co-Chaired by Mr. Irshad Ahmed, Regional Chairman, FIEO.

5.65 Launch Function of IPLAS (International Plastics Exhibition) 2022, June 10-13, 2022, Chennai – 15.12.2021

The Launch Function of IPLAS (International Plastics Exhibition) 2022 was formally inaugurated by Mr. M. Kumar, Managing Director, M/s. Shibaura Machine India Pvt Ltd on 15th December 2021 at Hotel GRT Grand, Chennai.



IPLAS, organized by The Tamil Nadu Plastics Manufacturer's Association will be showcasing the complete range of Plastics processing Machinery, Raw Materials, Auxiliaries, Moulds & Dies, and Products. During the Launch Function few interested companies made on-spot stall bookings. The launch function witnessed trade members in large attending the event.



The Council being an Export Partner to the IPLAS event was represented by Mr. Y.V. Raman, Regional Chairman-South, Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director-South and Mr. R. Dayanidhi, Assistant Director. The IPLAS Committee requested the Council to consider their proposal for RBSM with 100 Buyers for which the Regional Chairman informed them that it will be taken for consideration accordingly with the respective Committee of the Council.

5.66 Pre-Vibrant Gujarat Summit: 'Local Goes Global: Export Led Growth' – 20.12.2021

A Pre- Vibrant Gujarat Summit event "Local Goes Global: Export Led Growth" was organised by the Government of Gujarat with focus on the following aspects/areas:

- Preparing India as Export Economy of US \$1 Trillion per annum: Opportunities & Way Forward
- Augmenting Export Infrastructure and Decoding Financial Access for Exporters to establish India as the Global Supplier
- Export Potential in Traditional and Sunrise Sectors

The Pre-summit was inaugurated by Hon'ble Chief Minister of Gujarat Shri Bhupendra Patel.



Plexconcil Members were invited to attend this summit. The dedicated summit on Exports helped the industries involved in export related activities to gain relevant knowledge about various schemes and the forum provided a platform for acquiring knowledge, sharing of ideas, networking and forging new partnerships for exporters as well as those who are looking forward to start exporting. Plexconcil was represented by Mr Alpesh Patel, Gujarat Regional Committee Chairman, Plexconcil, committee members of Gujarat Regional Committee and Mr Naman Marjadi, Assistant Director, Regional Office- Ahmedabad. Council also interacted with participants through exhibition stall set up on the side-lines of the summit.

5.67 Meeting with Shri Bhupendrabhai Patel, Hon'ble Chief Minister, Government of Gujarat – 20.12.2021

A courtesy meeting with Shri Bhupendrabhai Patel, Hon'ble Chief Minister, Government of Gujarat and Gujarat Regional Committee Members was organized at Chief Minister's Office, Gandhinagar. Committee Members discussed and understood priorities for the growth of Plastic Industry in the Gujarat State. Plexconcil committee members showed willingness to work alongside the Government of Gujarat and contribute to achieving the State's growth objectives. The meeting was attended by Mr Alpesh Patel, Chairman, Gujarat Regional Committee, PLEXCONCIL, Mr Ramesh Patel, MD, Deep Polymers Limited, Mr Bhagwanbhai Patel, President, GSPMA, Mr Darshan Shah, Bhumi International and Mr Naman Marjadi, Asst. Director, PLEXCONCIL, Ahmedabad

5.68 Inaugural of the relocated Plexconcil's Southern Regional Office & 2nd Sub Committee Meeting of SR – Chennai - 22.12.2021

Shri. Y.V. Raman, Regional Chairman – South, Plexconcil inaugurated the relocated office of the Plexconcil Southern Regional Office on 22nd December 2021. The reopening of the office was attended by many Govt Officials and the members mostly from Chennai.



The members congratulated the Regional Office and the efforts taken to move to a new and better location with facilities enabling more members to reach out to the office. The inauguration of the office was followed by a brief meeting with the Southern Regional Sub Committee meeting attended by the invitees.

Shri. Sudhakar, Past Chairman, Plexconcil was very pleased with the change in the location of the office which he said will pave way for more members and encourage the industry to visit and reach out to the office for all their services and needs.

Shri. Benjamin Cherian, Convener, Human Hair Panel appreciated all the efforts taken by the Plexconcil team at the RO and Shri. YV Raman for making the right move in shifting the office to a more visible approachable and modern office.



Shri. Anil, Southern Regional Committee Member congratulated the entire team, and he was more forthcoming expressing his keenness to support the industry in promoting exports.

Shri. Rakkappan, President, TAPMA was glad that the new office has been equipped with the latest facilities to cater to the industry. He assured of all the support to the Council in the future.

Shri. Chandrasekhar, Southern Region Committee Member expressed his appreciation and said that the Regional Office was quite effective even during the tough 2 years and was making things happen with webinars and information.

Industry leaders, members from other associations, officials from ECGC, Capexil attended the event and congratulated the Council on its new beginning.

Shri. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director, South made a presentation about the activities & statistics of the Southern Region expressing his thanks to the Regional Chairman and the committee. He thanked his colleagues, especially Mr. R. Dayanidhi, Assistant Director who had put in a lot of hard work along with Ms. Devi, Jr. Executive. The meeting ended with a hi-tea.

5.69 RCPSDC Virtual Stake Holders Meeting – 22.12.2021

A Virtual Stake Holders Consultation meeting was held on 22nd December 2021 with regard to NOS Qualification Standards of Rubber Chemical & Petrochemical Skill Development Council. The Council was represented by Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – South.



5.70 Meeting on State (Odisha) Export Award for the Year 2019-20 - 24.12.2021

The meeting was organised virtually by the O/o Directorate of Export Promotion & Marketing, Odisha to encourage more and more exporters to participate and apply for the export award. As invited Mr. Nilotpal Biswas, RD joined this online meeting.

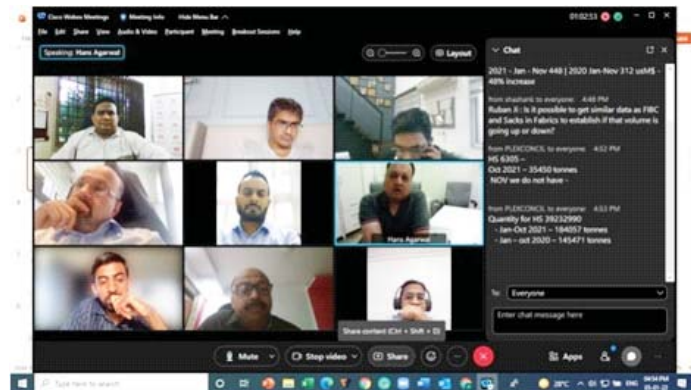
5.71 Meeting with Mr R Muthuraj, ITS, Additional DGFT, RA AHMEDABAD – 30.12.2021

A meeting was held with Mr R Muthuraj, ITS, Additional DGFT, RA AHMEDABAD regarding activities to be organized jointly in the coming months as well as problems being faced by members.

5.71 FIBC/Woven Sacks 1st Panel Meeting via Video Conferencing for the year 2021-22 – 5.01.2022

Shri. Ravish Kamath, Panel Chairman welcomed all the members from both the panels and thanked them for joining the meeting on short notice.

The Panel Chairman informed that the urgent meeting was called mainly to understand from FIBC and Woven Sacks industry about the crisis being faced with a decrease in orders in the last two months (Oct-Nov 2021). He said that the majority in the industry have informed that there are multiple reasons for the shortfall in export order in the preceding few months.



5.72 India – Australia FTA discussion (Virtual) with DGFT - 11.01.2022

Plexconcil was invited to the Indo-Australia FTA discussion (Virtual) with DGFT along with other stakeholders and the Council was represented by Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – South.

5.73 PTFC Meeting (Virtual) organised by Chennai Exports Commissionerate - 11.01.2022

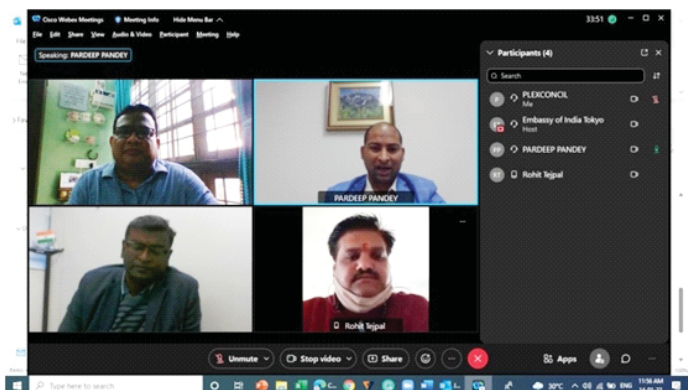
The monthly PTFC Meeting (Virtual) organised by Chennai Exports Commissionerate was held to address the grievances with regard to EXIM logistics at the Chennai Port. The Council was represented by Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – South.

5.74 Polyester Film Panel RENAME “Plastic Films & Sheets Panel” meeting through Video Conferencing – 12.01.2021

A meeting of Polyester Film Panel was held to rename the same as “Plastic Films & Sheets Panel” under the Chairmanship of Mr. S V Amlekar, Panel Chairman. There was in depth discussion on increasing exports of the panel, address the specific export-related problems and find ways and means of their redressal, identify export promotion activities (Trade Fairs, Buyer-Seller Meets (BSMs), Market Access Initiative Projects, etc) & mobilize participation and promote the products.

5.75 Embassy of India, Tokyo – Japan Organised Virtual Meeting with M/s. Sumitomo Co., Japan - 14.01.2022

Embassy of India, Tokyo – Japan invited Plexconcil for the virtual meeting with M/s. Sumitomo Co., Japan for sourcing of Automotive Parts from India, the Council was represented by Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – South.



5.78 District Export Promotion Committee Meeting for Panchmahal District - 2.02.2022

The District Export Promotion Committee Meeting for Panchmahal District was held virtually, and stakeholders deliberated on preparation of District action plan to boost Plastic Export from Panchmahal District. The Plexconcil was represented by Mr Naman Marjadi, Assistant Director, Regional Office- Ahmedabad. Several suggestions were given during the meeting for boosting of Plastic exports from the District by Plexconcil and other stakeholders.

5.79 District Export Promotion Committee Meeting for Dahod District – 2.02.2022

DEPC Meeting for the Dahod district was held virtually to discuss Gujarat State Export Analysis, Dahod District Profile and Recommendations and Action Plan for boosting exports from the district. The Plexconcil was represented by Mr Naman Marjadi, Assistant Director, Regional Office- Ahmedabad.

5.80 PTFC Meeting organised by Chennai Exports Commissionerate - 8.02.2022

The monthly PTFC Meeting (Virtual) organised by Chennai Exports Commissionerate was held to address the grievances with regard to EXIM logistics at the Chennai Port. The Council was represented by Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – South.

5.81 Human Hair Panel Members Meeting with Commissioner of Customs, Chennai - 8.02.2022

A meeting was held with the Principal Commission of Customs, Chennai (Air) with regard to Human Hair exports and the latest notification on HS 0502 being the restricted item. The RD along with Mr. Satish Gandhi, Mr. Somasundaram and Ms. Renuka from the Human Hair industry met the Mr. Uday Bhaskar IRS to explain about the raw human hair which is been notified under the restriction item but that all the other value added, processed, finished human hair products should be allowed to export. The Commissioner requested Plexconcil to submit with photos of the process from raw to value addition with clear explanation which will be passed on to the AO's for their understanding of the products so that they will not stop the value-added products for exports. The Human Hair association to revert with full details about the process.

5.82 Export Target for ASEAN Countries discussion (Virtual) with MoC, DGFT & Embassies - 17.02.2022

Plexconcil was invited to the meeting on Export Target to ASEAN Countries discussion (Virtual) with DGFT, MoC & Embassies along with other stakeholders and the Council was represented by Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – South.

5.76 Raw Materials Panel Meeting - 19.01.2022

The Council organised a Raw Materials product panel meeting under the Panel chairmanship of Mr Alok Tibrewala, Director, C/o Swastik Plast Alloys Pvt. Ltd. through virtual mode. Export performance of the product panel for the period April to November 2021 was reviewed and major issues & concerns hampering the export trade were also discussed.

5.77 Meeting with Shri Arvind Kumar Nautiyal, Member Secretary, Air Quality Management, Jawahar Vyapar Bhawan, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, New Delhi – 21.01.2022

The meeting was to address the difficulties faced by the Industrial units running on Solid Fuels in Delhi and NCR Region. Some of the key issues raised by Plastics processors operating in Delhi and NCR region during the meeting were as follows:

1. The Commission should lift the condition of 5 days running of the factories as it is affecting their outcome which has fallen by 25% in recent months.
2. The mandatory condition of using PNG as fuel to be used for 12 months should be done away with as it almost 3 times the running cost of coal. Due to this entrepreneur have to increase their export pricing thereby making them globally uncompetitive.
3. The condition of running their factories on DG sets only should be done away with as although necessary DG sets operate at very high cost which further affects export pricing. The ideal condition should be that factories are allowed to run in Hybrid Mode i.e. Gas and DG sets to capture the increasing export pricing.

The Commission was also briefed by the plastic processors to use Green Fuel and Bio Mass as an alternate fuel source as it would be cheaper and also environment friendly.

Mr. Arvind Goenka, Chairman and Mr. Anuj Sharma, Assistant Manager represented the Council at the above meeting.

5.83 Meeting (Virtual) with DG, DGFT along with Human Hair Exporters - 22.02.2022

A VC meeting was held on 22.02.2022 under the Chairmanship of Shri Santosh Kumar Sarangi, DG, DGFT to discuss the issues related to export of Human Hair from India. Plexconcil attended the meeting and gave relevant details and inputs with regard to the Export of Human Hair.

5.84 Virtual Meeting to assess the impact on Trade on the exports of India to Russia and Ukraine – 3.03.2022

The meeting was chaired by Shri Diwakar Nath Mishra, Joint Secretary(FT-CIS). Shri SK Ranjan, Director(FT-CIS), DOC was also present in the meeting. The Council was represented by Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD(East).

5.85 Meeting of the Sub-Committee of MAI to consider proposals for assistance for export promotion activities during 2022-23 – 4.03.2022

The meeting was chaired by Ms. Nidhi Mani Tripathi, Joint Secretary, Department of Commerce to consider proposals for assistance under the MAI Scheme for organizing / participating in export promotion activities during the first quarter (April-June, 2022) of FY 2022-23. The Council was represented by Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD(East) & Mr Krunal Goda, Sr. Manager.

5.86 DEMO Session on eRCMC Module organised by O/o DGFT – 9.03.2022

A meeting was held to present the Features / Working / Benefits of eRCMC Module, Demo of the Module (including for submission/processing of Renewal Applications), Recent enhancements undertaken in the Module, Expectations from Registering Authorities (EPCs/CBs), Queries, if any. The Council was represented by Mr Nilotpal Biswas, RD(East) & other staff/officials from the Membership Depts. (All branches & HO).

5.87 Meeting with MSME DI – Chennai and NSIC SC/ST Hub Chennai – 23.03.2022

Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director and Mr. R. Dayanidhi, Asst. Director met Mr. Suresh Babuji, Director – MSME DI and Mr. J. Ananthanarayana Prasad, Senior Branch Manager, NSIC SC/ST Hub – Chennai to firm up the plans to organise Export Awareness Program at important Clusters / District Hubs & Headquarters in the state of Tamil Nadu.

5.88 Meeting with ASSOCHAM – Southern Region – 23.03.2022

Ms. Uma S. Nair, Regional Director, ASSOCHAM – Southern Region met the Regional Director to explore the opportunities in the areas of Promotion and development by jointly working in the Southern Region largely for the benefit of trade and industry.

5.89 VC Meeting on Plastic Exports to China under the chair of Shri Anant Swarup, Joint Secretary, Northeast Asia Division, Department of Commerce – 24.03.2022

Plexconcil was invited to the meeting on Plastic Exports to China under the chair of Shri Anant Swarup, Joint Secretary, Northeast Asia Division, Department of Commerce along with other stakeholders and the Council was represented by Mr. Sribash Dasmohapatra, Executive Director and Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – South.

5.90 Outreach Program on Exports at FRP Composite Technology Training Event – 26.03.2022

Plexconcil Southern Region was invited to address on the Opportunities & Benefits of Exports during the three-day FRP Composite Technology Training Event held on Chennai. Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director made detailed presentation on Opportunities & Benefits of Exports, which was well received by the entrepreneurs.

5.91 Bengal Global Business Summit -Interactive Session with Mr. Rajiva Sinha, IAS, Chairman, WBIDC & WBIIDC – 28.03.2022

Plexconcil Southern Region was invited to the Roadshow organised by Govt. of West Bengal and ASSOCHAM with regard to Bengal Global Business Summit to be held in Kolkata. The event outlined the investment opportunities available in the state of West Bengal and was attended by Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director and Mr. R. Dayanidhi, Asst. Director.

5.92 Meeting with M-TIPB, Govt. of Tamil Nadu – 28.03.2022

Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director and Mr. R. Dayanidhi, Asst. Director met Mr. Sakthivel James, GM, M-TIPB, Govt. of Tamil Nadu to firm up the plans and request for their support in organising export awareness meets and Tamil Nadu MSME pavilion participation at events both in domestic and at international platforms.

5.93 Consultation meeting (VC) for Qualifications of Rubber Chemical & Petrochemical Skill Development Council - 29.03.2022

The Consultation meeting requested the stakeholders to go through the Qualifications (Summary sheet and Model curriculum) and share their valuable comments about the NOS, level, entry requirements, etc. As an example, the qualifications in the NSQF are classified into 10 levels according to their expertise and vertical progression. Stakeholders can share their feedback about the appropriateness of the levels in these qualifications, Industry Demand, Need of the Job Role, etc.

The meeting was attended by Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – SR.



5.94 Meeting (VC) on export targets for ASEAN for 2022-23 –30.03.2022

Plexconcil was invited to the meeting on Export Target to ASEAN Countries discussion (Virtual) with DGFT, Moc & Embassies along with other stakeholders and the Council was represented by Mr. Sribash Dasgupta, Executive Director, Mr. Ruban Hobday, Regional Director – South.

MEMBERSHIP POSITION AS ON 31ST MARCH, 2022

REGION	Manufacturers	Merchant Exports	Honorary Members	Total
Western Region	1302	223	6	1531
	1259	216	6	1481
Eastern Region	132	96	0	228
	138	86	0	224
Southern Region	437	53	1	491
	425	47	1	473
Northern Region	402	67	0	469
	400	69	0	469
Total (as on 31.03.2022)	2273	439	7	2719
Total (as on 31.03.2021)	2222	418	7	2647

(Figures in bold are for FY 2021-22 & others are for FY 2020-21)

WESTERN REGION

STATE	Manufacturers	Merchant Exports	Honorary Members	Total
Maharashtra	585	120	6	711
	590	123	6	719
Gujarat	613	88	0	701
	561	79	0	640
Madhya Pradesh	42	10	0	52
	43	11	0	54
Chhattisgarh	6	0	0	6
	6	0	0	6
Dadra & Nagar Haveli & Daman & Diu	39	4	0	43
	43	2	0	45
Goa	17	1	0	18
	16	1	0	17
Total (as on 31.03.2022)	1302	223	6	1531
Total (as on 31.03.2021)	1259	216	6	1481

(Figures in bold are for FY 2021-22 & others are for FY 2020-21)

EASTERN REGION

STATE	Manufacturers	Merchant Exports	Honorary Members	Total
West Bengal	122	94	0	216
	125	86	0	211
Jharkahand	2	0	0	2
	2	0	0	2
Bihar	1	0	0	1
	2	0	0	2
Assam	4	0	0	4
	5	0	0	5
Orissa	3	1	0	4
	4	0	0	4
Tripura	0	1	0	1
	0	0	0	0
Total (as on 31.03.2022)	132	96	0	228
Total (as on 31.03.2021)	138	86	0	224

(Figures in bold are for FY 2021-22 & others are for FY 2020-21)

SOUTHERN REGION

STATE	Manufacturers	Merchant Exports	Honorary Members	Total
Andhra Pradesh	18	3	0	21
	23	3	0	26
Karnataka	106	10	0	116
	100	7	0	107
Kerala	25	5	0	30
	25	5	0	30
Pondicherry	4	0	0	4
	1	0	0	1
Tamil Nadu	218	30	1	249
	217	28	1	246
Telengana	66	5	0	71
	59	4	0	63
Total (as on 31.03.2022)	437	53	1	491
Total (as on 31.03.2021)	425	47	1	473

(Figures in bold are for FY 2021-22 & others are for FY 2020-21)

NORTHERN REGION

STATE	Manufacturers	Merchant Exports	Honorary Members	Total
Delhi	215	36	0	251
	211	39	0	250
Rajasthan	56	8	0	64
	64	8	0	72
Haryana	36	10	0	46
	30	10	0	40
Jammu & Kashmir	2	0	0	2
	2	0	0	2
Punjab	22	2	0	24
	26	3	0	29
Himachal Pradesh	8	0	0	8
	8	0	0	8
Uttaranchal	10	1	0	11
	10	1	0	11
Uttar Pradesh	53	10	0	63
	49	8	0	57
Total (as on 31.03.2022)	402	67	0	469
Total (as on 31.03.2021)	400	69	0	469

(Figures in bold are for FY 2021-22 & others are for FY 2020-21)



BALANCE SHEET & INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT 2021-2022

THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL (LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

COMMITTEE OF ADMINISTRATION REPORT

Dear Members,

On behalf of the Committee of Administration (COA), it is our pleasure to present the Sixty-Seventh Annual Report together along with the Audited Statement of Accounts of The Plastics Export Promotion Council ("the Company") for the year ended March 31, 2022.

Financial Performance

The summarized standalone result of your Company is given in the table below.

Rs. in Thousand

Particulars	Standalone	
	31-03-2022	31-03-2021
Total Income	81932	35567
Surplus / (Deficit) before Interest, Depreciation & Tax (EBITDA)	8631	(7578)
Finance Charges	0	0
Depreciation	5116	5578
Provision for Income Tax (Including for earlier years)	0	0
Surplus / (Deficit) After Tax	3515	(13156)
Surplus brought forward from previous year	59144	72300
Surplus carried to Balance Sheet	62659	59144

*previous year figures have been regrouped/rearranged wherever necessary.

Details of COA meetings

During the year, 06 number of COA meetings were held, details of which are given below:

Date of COA Meeting	Number of members attended the meeting
07/04/2021	24
14/07/2021	27
13/09/2021	23
21/10/2021	19
09/11/2021	13
24/02/2022	15

COVID 19 Pandemic

The Covid situation has since eased and the economy is recovering towards betterment. It is hoped that with the recovery of the economy and increased activities we shall be able to achieve better performance in the days to come.

DIVIDEND

The company being a non-profit company no dividend can be considered for the year ended 31st March 2022.

SHARE CAPITAL

The company being a non-profit company with no share capital incorporated under Section 25/8 of the Companies Act, 1956/2013, no Share capital structure is applicable.

EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN

Pursuant to Section 92(3) read with Section 134(3)(a) of the Act, the Annual Return as on 31st March, 2022 would be available on the Company's website on www.plexcouncil.org within sixty days of the ensuing Annual General meeting.

APPLICABILITY OF OTHER COMMITTEES

The company being a section 25 /8 company act under 1956/ 2013 and being a not for profit organisation the company was not required to setup various committee and other applicability described as below under the provisions of the Companies Act 2013 -:

- 1) Audit Committee
- 2) Nomination & Remuneration Committee
- 3) Corporate Social Responsibility Committee
- 4) Cost Audit
- 5) Secretarial audit
- 6) Related party transactions

Directors' Responsibility Statement

Pursuant to the requirement clause (c) of sub-section (3) of Section 134 of the Companies Act, 2013, your Committee of Administration members confirm that:

- a) in the preparation of the annual accounts, the applicable accounting standards had been followed along with proper explanation relating to material departures;
- b) the Committee of Administration members had selected such accounting policies and applied them consistently and made judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company at the end of the financial year and of the profit and loss of the company for that period;
- c) the Committee of Administration members had taken proper and sufficient care for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of this Act for safeguarding the assets of the company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities;
- d) the Committee of Administration members had prepared the annual accounts on a going concern basis; and
- e) the Committee of Administration members had devised proper systems to ensure compliance with the provisions of all applicable laws and that such systems were adequate and operating effectively.

Statutory Auditors, their Report and Notes to Financial Statements

In the last AGM held on 28th September 2021 M/s. N P Patwa & Co, Chartered Accountants were appointed Statutory Auditors of the Company to hold office upto the ensuing Annual General meeting. The members are requested to appoint the Statutory Auditors for the company.

The report of the Statutory Auditors is attached with this report. The observations made in the Auditors' Report are self-explanatory and therefore do not call for any further comments.

Statement containing salient features of financial statements of subsidiaries

Company's policy on appointment and remuneration

The Committee of Administration is being elected by the ordinary members of the company and every year One third Committee of Administration members retire by rotation and new members are elected in their place.

The company do not provide any remuneration to Committee of Administration members being a non-profit organization

Significant and material orders passed by the regulators

During the year under review, no significant and material orders were passed by the regulators or courts or tribunals impacting the going concern status and company's operations:

Internal financial controls

The internal financial controls with reference to the Financial Statements are commensurate with the size and nature of business of the Company.

Holding, Subsidiaries and Associate companies

There are no holding, subsidiaries or Associate companies

Transfer of Amounts to Investor Education and Protection Fund

The company being section 8 company this clause is not applicable.

Fixed Deposits

The Company has not accepted any deposits from public in terms of Chapter V of the Companies Act, 2013.

Management Discussion and Analysis

The report of the activities of the company is furnished separately along with this report.

Particulars of Employees

There were no employees drawing remuneration attracting the provisions of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014.

Details of conservation of energy, technology absorption, foreign exchange earnings and outgo

(a) Conservation of energy

The same is not applicable since the company is a non-profit company under Section 25/8 of the Companies Act 1956/2013

(b) Technology absorption

The same is not applicable since the company is a non-profit company under Section 25/8 of the companies Act 1956/2013.

(c) Foreign exchange earnings and Outgo

During the year, the total foreign exchange used was Rs. 170,79,225/- and the total foreign exchange earned was Rs. NIL.

FRAUD REPORTING

During the year under review, no cases of fraud have been reported to the Board.

HUMAN RESOURCES

A well-disciplined workforce lies at the very foundation of the company's major achievements and shall well continue for the years to come.

The company treats its workforce as one of its most important assets. The management has always carried out systematic appraisal of performance and imparted training at periodic intervals. The company has always recognized talent and has judiciously followed the principle of rewarding performance. The company has formulated and implemented the HR policy in the company.

OBLIGATION OF COMPANY UNDER THE SEXUAL HARASSMENT OF WOMEN AT WORKPLACE (PREVENTION, PROHIBITION AND REDRESSAL) ACT, 2013

In terms of Section 22 of The Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013, the Company has not received any complaint of harassment during the year under review.

RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

During the year under review, the Council has not carried out any related party transactions as referred to in Section 188(1) of the Companies Act, 2013.

TRANSFER OF AMOUNTS TO INVESTOR EDUCATION AND PROTECTION FUND

The Company being a section 8 Company this clause is not applicable.

THE DETAILS OF APPLICATION MADE OR ANY PROCEEDING PENDING UNDER THE INSOLVENCY AND BANKRUPTCY CODE, 2016 (31 OF 2016) DURING THE YEAR ALONG WITH THEIR STATUS AS AT THE END OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR.

There has been no application made or any proceeding pending under the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 (31 of 2016) during the year.


THE DETAILS OF DIFFERENCE BETWEEN AMOUNT OF THE VALUATION DONE AT THE TIME OF ONE TIME SETTLEMENT AND THE VALUATION DONE WHILE TAKING LOAN FROM THE BANKS OR FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS ALONG WITH THE REASONS THEREOF

There has been no settlement made with the banks or financial institutions during the year.

Acknowledgement

The Committee of Administration places on record their appreciation for employees at all levels, who have contributed to the growth and achievements of the company.

The Committee of Administration also thanks the auditors, bankers, and advisors of the Company for their continued support.



The Committee of Administration also thanks the Central and State Governments, and other statutory authorities for their continued support.

**For and on behalf of COA
THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL**

Sd/-

Arvind Goenka - CHAIRMAN
(DIN 02533646)

Sd/-

Hemant Minocha - VICE CHAIRMAN
(DIN 00614057)

Sd/-

Sribash Dasmohapatra – EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
(DIN 02587694)

Dated : September 14, 2022

Place : Mumbai

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Members of
**The Plastics Export Promotion Council
Mumbai**

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of **The Plastics Export Promotion Council** ("the Company"), which comprise the balance sheet as at 31st March 2022, and the statement of Income and Expenditure Account, and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid financial statements give the information required by the Companies Act, 2013 in the manner so required and give a true and fair view, **read** along with notes, in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the state of affairs of the Company as at March 31, 2022, and its financial performance, and its cash flows for the year ended on that date.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013. Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Emphasis of Matter

The company has prepared its financial statements on a going concern basis. Information other than the Financial Statements and Auditors' Report thereon The Company's management and Board (Committee of Administration) are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Company's annual report, but does not include the financial statements and our auditors' report thereon. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon. In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements, or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed on the other information obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report, we conclude that there is no material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

The Company's Board (Committee of Administration) is responsible for the matters stated in section 134(5) of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") with respect to the preparation of these financial statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance, and cash flows of the Company in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, including the accounting Standards specified under section 133 of the Act. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments

and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the Board (Committee of Administration) is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Board (Committee of Administration) either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The Board Committee of Administration are also responsible for overseeing the company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion.

Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than

for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.

- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

1. As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020 ("the Order"), issued by the Central Government of India in terms of sub-section (11) of section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013, the information is not applicable to section 8 companies in view of exception carved out in section 2(42) of Act.
2. As required by Section 143(3) of the Act, we report that:
 - (1) We have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit.
 - (2) In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as it appears from our examination of those books.
 - (3) The Balance Sheet, the Statement of Profit and Loss, and the Cash Flow Statement dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the books of account.
 - (4) In our opinion, the aforesaid financial statements comply with the Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act, read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014.
 - (5) On the basis of the written representations received from the Committee of Administration as on 31st March, 2022 taken on record by the Board Committee of Administration, none of the Director is disqualified as on 31st March, 2022 from being appointed as a director in terms of Section 164(2) of the Act.
 - (6) With respect to the adequacy of the internal financial controls with reference to financial statements of the Company and the operating effectiveness of such controls, the audit opinion is not given as the same is not applicable to section 8 companies in terms exemption vide MCA notification dated 13th June 2017 (G.S.R. 583(E)).
 - (7) With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us:
 - (a) The Company has disclosed details regarding pending litigations in Note 24 B (1) of financial statements, which would impact its financial position.
 - (b) The Company does not have any long-term contracts including derivative contracts for which there were any material foreseeable losses.
 - (c) There were no amounts which were required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Company.
 - (d) The company is licence to carry on the charitable activities for the of the nature of general public utility and as such prohibited from investing or advancing its fund otherwise then the prescribed modes of investment and also requires to carry out its activities within Territorial limits of republic of India. During the course of audit we have not come across any transaction whereby (i) company's funds been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the company to or in any other person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ("Intermediaries"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Intermediary shall, whether, directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the company ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries; (ii) funds have been received by the company from any person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ("Funding Parties"), with the understanding, whether recorded in

writing or otherwise, that the company shall, whether, directly or indirectly, lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding Party ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries; and

- (e) The company being section 8 company prohibited from declaration or payment of any dividend and the reporting under this clause is not applicable.

- 8) With respect to the matter to be included in the Auditors' Report under Section 197(16) of the Act, in our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the limit prescribed by section 197 for maximum permissible managerial remuneration is not applicable to a private limited company.

For, **N P Patwa & Co.**
Chartered Accountants
Firm's Registration No.107845W
UDIN : 22042384ASEGZA7404

Sd/-

Jitendra C. Shah
Partner
Membership No. 042384

Place : Mumbai
Date : 14.09.2022

THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL (LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31ST MARCH 2022

(Amount in Rupees)

PARTICULARS	Notes Attached	As at 31-03-2022		As at 31-03-2021	
FUNDS & LIABILITIES					
SHARE CAPITAL - -					
FUNDS AND RESERVES	1		179,453,751		172,106,432
SHARE APPLICATION PENDING ALLOCATION			-		-
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			-		-
Long Term Borrowings			-		-
Long Term Liabilities			-		-
Long Term Provisions	2		4,915,470		4,307,958
CURRENT LIABILITIES	2A				
Short Tem Borrowings			-		-
Trade Payables			-		-
Other Current Liabilities			29,981,612		39,997,624
Short Term Provisions			890,132		4,190,583
			215,240,965		220,602,597
ASSETS					
NON CURRENT ASSETS					
Fixed Assets	3				
Tangible Assets			79,762,995		84,238,161
Intangible Assets			-		-
Non Current Investments			-		-
Long Term Loans an Advances			-		-
Other non-current assets			-		-
CURRENT ASSETS	4				
Short Term Investment		84,132,608		73,602,321	
Income Receivable		2,028,483		3,357,301	
Cash and Bank Balance		19,722,988		14,802,328	
Short term Loans & Advances		24,527,115		36,627,037	
Other Current Assets		5,066,776	135,477,970	7,975,450	136,364,436
			215,240,965		220,602,597

As per our attached Report of even date

For **N P PATWA & COMPANY**

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Firm Registration 107845W

Sd/-

(Jitendra C Shah)

PARTNER (Membership No.:42384)

PLACE: Mumbai

DATE: 14TH SEPTEMBER, 2022

For & On Behalf of Board

The Plastics Export Promotion Council

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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL (LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

INCOME & EXPENDITURE AS AT 31ST MARCH 2022

(Amount in Rupees)

PARTICULARS	Notes	For the year ended 31st March 2022	For the year ended 31st March 2021
INCOME			
REVENUE FROM OPERATIONS	5		
Event Participation		33,770,343	1,487,000
Grant In Aid		8,491,535	2,359,208
Membership Subscription		30,453,000	28,297,000
Income From Publication		648,692	627,892
Income From Objects		5,237,250	108,000
OTHER INCOME	6	2,571,922	2,191,811
Transferred From Export Development Fund		759,500	496,000
TOTAL REVENUE		81,932,242	35,566,911
EXPENSES			
Expense on Coded Activities	7	33,767,586	6,733,058
Expenses on Objects	8	2,483,862	1,843,657
Employee Cost	9	28,127,084	27,967,129
Finance Cost	10	89,289	122,203
Depreciation and Amortisation		5,115,715	5,578,253
Other Expenses	11	8,833,788	6,478,446
TOTAL EXPENSES		78,417,324	48,722,746
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year before Tax		3,514,918	(13,155,835)
Less : Provision for Tax		-	-
Add : Short / (Excess) Provision for Prior Year		-	-
Less : Transferred to Export Development Fund		-	-
Balance carried to Balance Sheet		3,514,918	(13,155,835)

As per our attached Report of even date

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THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL (LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2022

(Amount in Rupees)

PARTICULARS	As at 31st March 2022		As at 31st March 2021	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
A. Cash Flow From Operating Activities				
Net Profit/(Loss) Before Extraordinary Items and Tax		3,514,918		(13,155,835)
<u>Adjustments For :</u>				
Depreciation	5,115,715		5,578,253	
Profit on Sale of Assets (Net)				
Finance Costs	89,289		122,203	
Interest Taken to Capital Fund	3,261,901		5,617,106	
Transferred from Reserves	(759,500)		(496,000)	
		7,707,406		10,821,562
Operating Profit Before Working Capital Changes		11,222,323		(2,334,273)
<u>Changes in Working Capital:</u>				
Adjustments For (Increase) / Decrease in Operating Assets :				
Inventories				
Trade Receivables	1,328,818		1,439,339	
Short-Term Loans and Advances	12,099,922		14,067,882	
Long-Term Loans and Advances	-		66,254	
Other Current Assets	2,908,674		7,624,422	
Other Non-Current Assets				
Adjustments for Increase/(Decrease) in Operating Liabilities:				
Trade Payables	-		-	
Other Current Liabilities	(10,016,012)		(22,902,116)	
Short-Term Provisions	(3,300,451)		2,287,720	
Long-Term Provisions	607,512		(651,799)	
		3,628,464		1,931,703
Cash Generated from Operations		14,850,787		(402,570)
Bad Debts		-		-
Net Income Tax Paid and DDT		-		-
Net Cash Flow from Operating Activities (A)		14,850,787		(402,570)
B. Cash Flow From Investing Activities				
Capital Expenditure on Fixed Assets	(614,899)		(65,236,834)	
Proceeds From Sale of Fixed Assets	-		-	
Current Investments	(10,530,287)		59,951,166	
Non Current Investments				
Net Cash Flow Used in Investing Activities (B)		(11,145,186)		(5,285,668)
C. Cash Flow from Financing Activities				
Proceed received as Corpus / Capital Fund	1,330,000		1,155,000	
Proceeds from Long-Term Borrowings				
Proceeds from Other Short-Term Borrowings	-		-	
Loss on Restatement Of Foreign Currency Loans				
Finance Cost	(89,289)		(122,203)	
Dividend Paid			-	
Net Cash Flow from Financing Activities (C)		1,240,711		1,032,797
Net Increase in Cash And Cash Equivalents (A+B+C)		4,946,312		(4,655,441)
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the Beginning of the Year		14,802,328		19,457,769
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the end of the Year		19,748,640		14,802,328

Accompanying Notes to accounts
As per our attached Report of even date

For **N P PATWA & COMPANY**
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THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL (LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)
SCHEDULES ANNEXED TO & FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT
AS AT AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2022

(Amount in Rupees)

PARTICULARS	As at 31st March 2022		As at 31st March 2021	
SCHEDULE 1				
RESERVES AND SURPLUS				
CORPUS/CAPITAL FUND ETC.				
Balance as at the beginning of the year	105,918,431		99,146,325	
Add: Entrance Fees Received During the Year	1,330,000		1,155,000	
Interest on Fixed Deposits	3,261,901		5,617,106	
		110,510,332		105,918,431
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE				
Income and Expenditure A/c	59,144,175		72,300,010	
Add: Surplus / (Deficit) for the year	3,514,918	62,659,093	(13,155,835)	59,144,175
Earmarked Fund				
Export Development Fund				
Balance as at the beginning of the year	1,767,476	1,007,976	2,263,476	1,767,476
Less Utilised transferred to I & Ex Account	(759,500)		(496,000)	
Export Market Research, Development & Publicity Fund (Utilised)		2,823,350		2,823,350
Voluntary Contribution for Service Centre for Product Design and Prototyping		2,453,000		2,453,000
TOTAL		179,453,751		172,106,432

PARTICULARS	As at 31st March 2022		As at 31st March 2021	
SCHEDULE 2				
LONG TERM PROVISIONS				
Provision for Leave Encashment		4,765,888		4,158,376
Gratuity Payable		149,582		149,582
TOTAL		4,915,470		4,307,958

PARTICULARS	As at 31st March 2022		As at 31st March 2021	
SCHEDULE 2A				
CURRENT LIABILITIES AND PROVISIONS				
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Sundry Creditors for expenses		2,033,546		823,171
Advance Membership Fees Received		12,524,294		10,235,578
Amount due to Members		10,399,700		9,882,000
Advance from members for Activities of Council		2,528,602		17,552,646
Other Liability				
Grant in Aid for MAI Project		6,120,000		2,467,500
Less: Utilised / Refund till the date of balance sheet		(9,495,767)		(3,773,741)
Add: Government Grant Receivable		3,375,767		1,306,241
TDS payable		317,461		737,282
GST payable		2,178,009		766,946
		29,981,612		39,997,624
Short Term Provisions		890,132		4,190,583
Total		30,871,744		44,188,207

THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL (LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

SCHEDULES ANNEXED TO & FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT AS AT AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2022

(Amount in Rupees)

DESCRIPTION	Useful Life of Asset (Years)	Cost of Assets			DEPRECIATION					NET BLOCK		
		As on 1.4.2021	Additions during the year	Adjustment / Deduction	As on 31.3.2022	Upto 31.3.2021	For the Year	W/Back of Depreciation	Adjustment / Deduction	Upto 31.3.2022	As at 31.3.2022	As at 31.3.2021
BUILDINGS ON FREEHOLD LAND :												
- At Mumbai	60	75,756,074	-	-	75,756,074	11,422,691	3,141,191	-	-	14,563,882	61,192,192	64,333,383
- At Kolkatta *	60	2,080,927	-	-	2,080,927	1,260,584	38,463	-	-	1,299,047	781,880	820,343
- At Delhi	60	20,572,807	-	-	20,572,807	4,457,540	798,243	-	-	5,255,783	15,317,024	16,115,267
Office Equipments ***	5	9,378,352	62,280	-	9,440,632	8,561,737	200,169	-	-	8,761,906	678,726	816,615
Furniture & Fixtures **	10	3,678,128	89,222	-	3,767,350	2,090,016	421,781	-	-	2,511,797	1,255,558	1,588,117
Computer & Printers	3	3,185,699	490,397	27,000	3,649,096	2,742,788	472,426	-	(25,650)	3,189,564	459,532	442,911
Vehicles	10	1,13,608	-	-	1,113,608	992,085	43,442	-	-	1,035,527	78,081	121,523
TOTAL		115,765,595	641,899	27,000	116,380,494	31,527,441	5,115,715	-	(25,650)	36,617,506	79,762,995	84,238,161
PREVIOUS YEAR		50,528,761	65,236,834	-	115,765,595	25,949,187	5,578,253	-	-	31,527,440	84,238,161	24,579,581

*Registration of Kolkatta office in the name of the Council. Represents 2.23% share jointly owned with six other parties (4 Other Councils, a Bank and a Trade Promotion Council) and is net of specific Government Grant of Rs. 14,49,500 (PY. Rs. 14,49,500)

** Net of specific Government Grant of Rs. 100,61,121 (previous year Rs. 100,61,121)

*** Net of specific Government Grant of Rs. 63,00,000 (previous year Rs. 63,00,000)

THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL (LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

SCHEDULES ANNEXED TO & FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT AS AT AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2022

(Amount in Rupees)

PARTICULARS	As at 31st March 2022		As at 31st March 2021	
SCHEDULE 4				
CURRENT ASSETS, LOANS, ADVANCES ETC				
CURRENT ASSETS :				
INCOME RECEIVABLE				
Receivable - Outstanding for less than six months		37,579		278,239
Receivable - Outstanding for more than six months		1,990,904		3,079,062
		2,028,483		3,357,301
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENT				
Cash in hand (As verified & certified by the management)		8,021		23,985
Bank Balances :				
With Scheduled Banks :				
- In Current Accounts		19,714,967		14,778,343
		19,722,988		14,802,328
CURRENT INVESTMENT				
Short term Deposit With Banks		84,132,608		73,602,321
OTHER CURRENT ASSET				
Income accrued but not due : Interest on Deposits		1,691,009		6,669,209
Government Grant Receivable		3,375,767		1,306,241
		5,066,776		7,975,450
TOTAL		110,950,855		99,737,400

PARTICULARS	As at 31st March 2022		As at 31st March 2021	
SHORT TERM LOANS AND ADVANCES				
(Unsecured, considered good) :				
Advances and other amounts recoverable in cash or in kind or for value to be received :				
a) Prepaid Expenses	1,855,193		205,850	
b) Advance for Expenses	5,796,461		18,360,374	
c) Employees for Expenses	126,515	7,778,169	12,878	18,579,101
Deposits		473,561		206,506
Tax deducted at source		16,275,386		17,821,019
Staff Loan		-		20,411
TOTAL		24,527,115		36,627,037
SUBTOTAL		135,477,970		136,364,436

THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL (LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

SCHEDULES ANNEXED TO & FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT AS AT AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2022

(Amount in Rupees)

PARTICULARS	As at 31st March 2022		As at 31st March 2021	
SCHEDULE 5				
EVENT - PARTICIPATION CHARGES				
Participation Charges for Exhibition/Trade Fairs/Events		33,770,343		1,487,000
TOTAL		33,770,343		1,487,000
GRANTS (Central Government)				
Grant-in-Aid for the year		8,491,535		2,359,208
TOTAL		8,491,535		2,359,208
MEMBERSHIP FEES				
1) Annual Membership Subscription		30,453,000		28,297,000
TOTAL		30,453,000		28,297,000
INCOME FROM PUBLICATION				
1) Income from sale of publications and advertisements		648,692		627,892
TOTAL		648,692		627,892
INCOME FROM OBJECTS				
Advertisement in Exhibitions Brochure		60,000		-
Contribution for Study of RoDTEP		6,000		-
Income from Plexconnect - E-Magazine		266,250		108,000
Sponsorship for Seminar		4,905,000		-
TOTAL		5,237,250		108,000

PARTICULARS	As at 31st March 2022		As at 31st March 2021	
SCHEDULE 6				
INTEREST AND OTHER INCOME				
1) Interest on Fixed Deposits		5,110,829		6,584,757
Less : Transfer to Corpus/Capital Fund		(3,261,901)		(5,617,106)
2) On Loans :				
Employees/Staff		1,260		4,115
3) Interest on IT Refund		368,161		1,044,003
TOTAL		2,218,349		2,015,769
OTHER INCOME				
Miscellaneous Receipts		353,573		176,042
TOTAL		353,573		176,042
SUB TOTAL		2,571,922		2,191,811

THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL (LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

SCHEDULES ANNEXED TO & FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT AS AT AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2022

(Amount in Rupees)

PARTICULARS	As at 31st March 2022		As at 31st March 2021	
SCHEDULE 7				
EXPENSES FOR CODE ACTIVITIES				
Membership with other Organisation		48,750		50,000
Expenses on Publications		109,949		209,106
Advertisement and Publicity		96,211		63,385
Expenses on Exhibition/Trade Fair/Functions (Virtual)		33,485,952		6,376,922
Expenses on Seminar		17,468		29,131
Subscription Expenses		4,007		4,514
Overseas Mediclaim Policy		5,249		-
TOTAL		33,767,586		6,733,058

PARTICULARS	As at 31st March 2022		As at 31st March 2021	
SCHEDULE 8				
EXPENSES ON OBJECTS OF THE COUNCIL				
Award Function Expenses		-		8,700
CAPINDIA Expenses		-		35,767
Donation to PM cares Fund		-		500,000
Trade Mark Expenses		36,000		42,300
Expenses for Export Outreach Programme, Hosur, 5th Feb-21		-		4,590
Expenses for Plexconnect Magazine		807,600		725,300
Expenses on Export Promotion Activity		759,500		496,000
Expenses of Gifts and Promotion		134,543		31,000
Expenses on Vanijya Sapta - 2021		375,789		-
Expenses on Service Centre for Product Design and Prototyping		80,000		-
Expenses of HGH India 2021 Exhibition, Noida - From Nov. 30 to Dec. 03 - 2021		18,550		-
Meeting with Export Promotion Committee at Hooghly District Dt. 7-12-2021		2,940		-
Expenses of IPLEX-2021, Cochin, 03-05 December 2021		17,541		-
Expenses on Launch of PM - Gati Shakti 13-10-21 Delhi		42,474		-
Expenses on Plex - E Pages (E Directory)		172,000		-
Expenses on PM Interaction meeting with Exporter Dt. 06-08-21, Delhi		32,153		-
Expenses on Vibrant Gujarat Summit December 21, Ahmedabad		4,772		-
TOTAL		2,483,862		1,843,657

THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL (LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

SCHEDULES ANNEXED TO & FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT AS AT AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2022

(Amount in Rupees)

PARTICULARS	As at 31st March 2022		As at 31st March 2021	
SCHEDULE 9				
EMPLOYEES COST				
Salaries		22,319,285		21,967,750
Ex-Gratia		1,135,624		1,156,711
Contribution to Provident Fund		1,991,688		1,994,003
Staff Welfare Expenses		98,212		100,994
Staff Recruitment Expenses		-		115,668
Contribution to Gratuity Fund		948,348		759,288
Leave Travel Concession		115,853		72,000
Medical Benefit to Staff		479,807		841,842
Liveries		14,851		27,146
Leave Encashment Expenses		1,021,416		929,727
Profession Tax Paid		2,000		2,000
TOTAL		28,127,084		27,967,129

PARTICULARS	As at 31st March 2022		As at 31st March 2021	
SCHEDULE 10				
FINANCE COST				
Interest on Statutory Dues		406		101,015
Interest on MAI Grant Refund		30,454		12,822
Interest on Society Maintenance		22,824		-
Bank Charges		35,605		8,366
TOTAL		89,289		122,203

THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL (LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

SCHEDULES ANNEXED TO & FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT AS AT AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2022

(Amount in Rupees)

PARTICULARS	As at 31st March 2022		As at 31st March 2021	
SCHEDULE 11				
OTHER EXPENSES				
Travelling and Conveyance		179,844		276,846
Vehicles Expenses		189,659		141,045
Rent		815,810		936,702
Rates and Taxes		351,582		350,454
Postage, Telephone and Communication		277,513		315,510
Brokerage and Commission		-		23,500
Digital Signature Expenses		9,593		4,200
Documents Scanning Charges		14,317		131,266
COVID 19 supplies/materials Expenses		1,920		39,795
Electricity and power		430,963		364,078
Printing and Stationery		80,468		75,034
Repairs and maintenance of office equipment		463,871		420,807
Repairs and maintenance of office premises		1,048,902		698,767
Society maintenance Charges		841,115		481,726
Software maintenance Expenses		262,456		274,500
Hospitality Expenses		38,292		39,980
Auditors' Remuneration :				
i) Audit Fees	70,000		90,000	
ii) In other capacities in respect of :				
a) Taxation Matters	73,000		73,000	
b) Other Service for Certification	118,500	261,500	67,000	210,000
Legal and Professional		3,152,078		1,490,710
Expenses of COA/AGM/QGM Meetings		27,579		55,672
Sundry Balance Written Off		218,106		1,150
Prior Period Expenses		38,357		84,162
Miscellaneous Expenses		129,860		62,541
TOTAL		8,833,788		6,478,446

THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL (LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

CAPINDIA 2019 BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH 2022

(Amount in Rupees)

Liabilities	Amount in Rs.	Assets	Amount in Rs.
CAPITAL ACCOUNT		CURRENT ASSETS	
The Plastic Export Promotion Council	110,837.85	Sundry Debtors	182,668.00
CURRENT LIABILITIES		Bank Balance	219,324.33
Sundry Creditors	299,463.62	Advance of Expenses	8,309.14
TOTAL	410,301.47	TOTAL	410,301.47

As per our attached Report of even date

For **N P PATWA & COMPANY**

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Firm Registration 107845W

Sd/-

(Jitendra C Shah)

PARTNER (Membership No.:42384)

PLACE: Mumbai

DATE: 14TH SEPTEMBER, 2022

For & On Behalf of Board

The Plastics Export Promotion Council

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DATE: 14TH SEPTEMBER, 2022

THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL (LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

SCHEDULES ANNEXED TO & FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT AS AT AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2022

Schedule '16'

1 **SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

a) **GENERAL:**

The financial statements are prepared under going concern assumption based on the historical cost convention and by applying applicable Accounting Standards. The preparation of financial statements is in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles as applicable in India (Indian GAAP). The company follows mercantile system of accounting and recognizes income and expenses on accrual basis unless stated otherwise in the notes and except the items with significant uncertainties.

b) **USE OF ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENT**

The preparation of financial statement in conformity with accounting standard requires the Management to make estimates, judgments and assumptions. These estimates, judgments and assumptions affects the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of financial statement and reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the period. Accounting estimates could change from period to period. Actual result could differ from those estimates. As soon as the Management is aware of the changes, appropriate changes in estimates are made. The effects of such changes are reflected in the period in which such changes are made and, if material, their effects are disclosed in the notes to financial statement.

c) **PROPERTY PLANT AND EQUIPMENT**

Property Plant and Equipment are carried at cost net of input credit, less accumulated depreciation and impairment loss, if any. All costs, including financial costs till commencement of commercial production / date of use of assets and also

includes changes on account of foreign exchange contracts and adjustments arising from exchange rate variations attributable to the Property, Plant and Equipment.

Intangible assets are stated at cost of acquisition and amortized over the estimated useful life of such assets.

d) **DEPRECIATION AND AMORTISATION:**

Depreciation on Property Plant and Equipment is provided as per the Guidance provided in Sch II of The Companies Act, 2013 and on written Down Value of the Property Plant and Equipment.

In respect of additions to fixed assets during the year, depreciation is considered on pro-rata basis from the date such assets are put to use. Assets costing Rs.5, 000 or less each are fully provided in the year of addition.

e) **REVENUE RECOGNITION:**

- a. The cost of Publications of the Council is charged to the Income and Expenditure Account in the year of when expenses are incurred. The Income in respect of the such publication is taken into account as and when their sales are affected. The movement of Publications is controlled under the overall supervision of the Executive Director.
- b. Membership fees is accounted as and when renewal subscriptions are received in terms of the rules governing the membership. Membership from new members accounted at the time when the admission of such new member/s are approved in terms of the procedure laid out for the purpose.
- c. Prepaid expenses are provided when the individual value of such expenses are Rs 5,000 and more.

f) GOVERNMENT GRANT :

- I. Grants received from Government in respect of coded activities is credited to Income and Expenditure Account on the bases of fair estimate for the same as provided by the management, on the bases of the applicable criteria prescribed by the Government for the same.
- II. Grants received for acquiring the specific fixed assets, are reduced from the cost of such assets and or at a nominal value as the case may be.
- III. Grant under MDA initiative for the benefit of Individual member exporters for the export promotion is disbursed on the bases of guidelines prescribed on this behalf only after the same is sanctioned and received form the Government. Disbursal that remains unpaid to individual exporters till the date of financial statement is reflected as current liability. However, any surplus not applied for the purpose is to be refunded to the Government of India. The accounting for such grant in the books of the company is done only on the bases of amount sanctioned and received form the Government.
- IV. Grant received by the Council for the specific studies/Project/Events approved by the Government, till the time such activities or objectives are achieved carried forward as liability. The amount spent on the projects as per the guidelines includes appropriate allocation of the administrative cost incurred by the council on the project if so mandated under guidelines prescribed for the purpose. However, any surplus not applied for the purpose is to be refunded to the Government of India along with interest.

f) RETIREMENT BENEFITS :

- I. Council's Contribution to Employee's Provident Fund maintained under the Employee's Provident Fund Scheme run by the Government is charged to Income and Expenditure Account.

- II. The Employees Gratuity Liability is funded with the Life Insurance Corporation of India under Group Gratuity scheme.
- III. Leave Encashment Benefits as applicable to permanent employees are provided for on accrual basis as at the year-end as per the Council's rules. However, the said liability is not backed by specific investment for the purpose.

g) TRANSACTIONS IN FOREIGN CURRENCY :

Transactions in Foreign Currency are recorded at the rates of exchange in force at the time of occurrence of the transactions. The difference arising out of foreign currency fluctuations is accounted as a part of revenue or expenditure as the case may be as has occurred during the course of the year.

Current Assets and Current Liabilities in Foreign Currency at the year-end are stated at the rate of exchange in force as on that date and the resultant Gain/(Loss) is recognized in the Income and Expenditure Account.

h) PROVISION FOR TAXATION

The company is licensed to pursue charitable objects and is registered under section 8 of Companies Act 2013(erstwhile section 25 of Company's Act, 1956) and registered under section 12AA of Income Tax Act, 1961 and as such income is not taxable in view of exemption under section 11 and 12 of Income Tax Act, 1961.

i) IMPAIRMENT OF ASSETS :

Impairment loss of permanent nature in relation to the assets is recognized wherever the carrying amount of an asset is in excess of its recoverable amount and the same is recognized as an expense in statement of profit and loss and carrying amount of the asset is reduced to its recoverable amount.

j) INVESTMENT :

Long-term investments are carried at cost. However, provision for diminution is made to recognise a decline, other than temporary, in the



value of investments, such reduction being determined and made for each investment individually. Short Term investments are carried at cost.

K) PROVISIONS, CONTINGENT LIABILITIES & CONTINGENT ASSETS:

A provision is made based on a reliable estimate when it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle an obligation. Contingent Liabilities, if material, are disclosed by way of notes to accounts. Contingent assets are not recognized or disclosed in the financial statements.

2. NOTES ON ACCOUNTS:

2.1 Contingent Liability not provided for: Rs.299,780/- (P.Y.Rs.299,780/-) The Liability for tax dues is disputed at appropriate forum.

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2022	As at 31st March, 2021
a) Amounts outstanding but not due	Rs. 128,700/-	NIL
b) Amounts due but unpaid	NIL	NIL
c) Amounts paid after appointed date during the year - Principal	NIL	NIL
d) Amounts of interest accrued and unpaid	NIL	NIL
e) Amount of estimated interest due and payable for the period from April 1, 2021 to actual date of payment or 23rd July, 2022	NIL	NIL

2.3 The pending disbursement to the eligible Individual exporters under various scheme of Government of India as on 31st March, 2022 amounting to Rs. 1,03,99,700/- (P.Y. Rs. 98,82,000/-) is being disclosed as 'Amount due to Members' under the head Current Liabilities in Schedule 2A.

2.4 The participation in eligible events under the Market Access Initiatives (MAI) of Government of India is approved on case to case bases. According an amount of Rs.86,76,536/- (P.Y. Rs.29,54,509/-) sanctioned and received from the Government and Utilised on the bases of the guidelines in this respect and total amount Utilised is Rs.86,76,536/- (P.Y. Rs.24,23,509/-).

2.2 The expenses in respect of Code-activities are subject to sanction/confirmation of the Government of India and Grant-in-aid received from the Ministry of Commerce is subject to Government Audit, non/partial fulfilment of certain conditions for eligibility of such Grant-in-aid, clarifications by the Council and final decision of the Ministry of Commerce.

a) The information as required to be disclosed under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006 has been determined to the extent such parties have been identified on the basis of information available with the Company.

The amount of principal and interest outstanding during the year is given below :

2.5 Company is a charitable organization established and operating for advancement of objects of general public utility. Company is registered under Section 12AA of Income Tax Act, 1961. The provisions of tax payable as applicable under The Income Tax Act, 1961 is made on the bases of applicable provisions of Income Tax Act, 1961 and considering the past history of assessments in the case of company.

2.6 The movement of publications/ CD's is controlled under the overall supervision of the Secretary General. However, there is no system of maintaining inventory for the said materials and the same are charged to Income and Expenditure account. Inventory of Gift articles and promotional material are not carried forward and are expensed to income and expenditure account.

2.7 Ratios

Company is a charitable organization established and operating for advancement of objects of general public utility and recognised as such under Companies Act, 2013 and Income Tax Act, 1961 and hence the ratios required to be given as per Schedule III are not given as the same are not relevant.

2.8 Trade Receivable

Trade Receivable	Less than 6 months	6 Months - 1 Year	1-2 Years	2-3 Years	3 Years and Above	Total
Undisputed Trade Receivable - Considered Good	37,579/-	29,734/-	315,686/-	800,725/-	841,759/-	20,28,483/-
Undisputed Trade Receivable - Considered Doubtful	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disputed Trade Receivable - Considered Good	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disputed Trade Receivable - Considered Doubtful	0	0	0	0	0	0

2.9 The earnings in Foreign Currency for Activities of the Council Rs. NIL/-

2.10 Expenditure in Foreign Currency (On payment basis) :

Particulars	2021-2022 (Rupees)	2020-2021 (Rupees)
a) Exhibition Expenses	1,70,79,225/-	NIL

2.11 Previous year's figures have been re-grouped / re-arranged, wherever considered necessary.

2.12 Figures in the Accounts are regrouped to conform to the heads under the Budget sanctioned by the Government of India.

As per our attached Report of even date
For **N P PATWA & COMPANY**
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS
Firm Registration 107845W

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(Jitendra C Shah)
PARTNER (Membership No.:42384)

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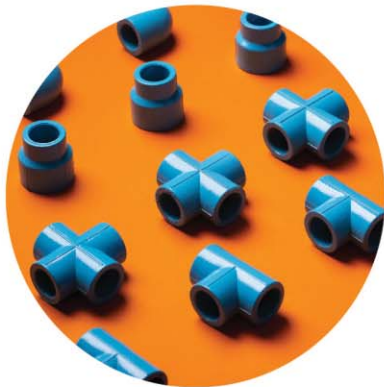
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