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## FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK



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**Dear Members and Friends,**

Welcome to the first issue of the CEAI NewsLetter for 2023.

The first meeting of the Governing Council constituted for 2023-2024, was held on the 4<sup>th</sup> of January 2023 in which the office bearers, and representatives for the Affiliate and EPC Members were nominated. The Co-opted and the permanent Invitees to the GC proposed by me were also received the consent of the GC.

The Chairpersons of the various committees to manage the affairs of the Association for the next two years, were also announced. Most of the Committees have since been constituted and have started functioning.

The draft revision of the Strategic Plan has been circulated and will be discussed in the next meeting of the GC.

It is planned to take up the membership drive aggressively along with physical Seminars and Training, which remained suspended due to the pandemic.

We had an interaction with the CEO of FIDIC when we conveyed our concerns for the need to reduce membership subscription and facilitating the development of in-house FIDIC trainers.

Assuring good service by the Association to the consulting engineering profession.,

**Warm regards,**

**R S Sharma**

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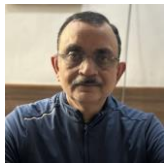

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## CEAI OFFICE BEARERS FOR 2023-2024

During the meeting of the Governing Council members held on 4<sup>th</sup> January 2023 the office bearers elected for the period 2023-2024 are:

Mr. Vishwas Jain Managing Director Consulting Engineers Group Ltd	VICE PRESIDENT	
Mr. J Venkata Lakshmi Narayana Regional Director (North) Aarvee Associates Architects, Engineers & Consultants Pvt. Ltd.	VICE PRESIDENT	
Mr. Girish Chandra Mishra Principal Consultant & Director Saviram Engineering Consultants Pvt Ltd	HONORARY TREASURER	
Mr. Navneet Sharma Chief Executive Officer Lion Engineering Consultants Pvt Ltd	HONORARY SECRETARY	

## REGIONAL CENTRE REPRESENTATIVES IN GOVERNING COUNCIL

Mr. Sourav Daspatnaik Managing Director SWACH Environment Pvt Ltd	Eastern & North Eastern Region
Dr. Harshavardhan Subbarao Chairman & MD Construma Consultancy Pvt Ltd	Western Region
Mr. Tarun Rawat Managing Director Theme Engineering Services Pvt. Ltd.	Northern Region
Mr. K Rajkumar Managing Partner Dhramataru Consultants & Constructions	Southern Region

## NOMINAED AND CO-OPTED MEMBERS TO THE GOVERNING COUNCIL

### NOMINATIONS FROM EPC AND AFFILIATE MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

Mr. S K Peter Managing Director & CEO Ocean Lifespaces India Pvt Ltd	Member EPC (Organisation)
Mr. Gagan Anand Managing Partner Legacy law Offices LLP	Affiliate Member

### CO-OPTED MEMBERS TO THE GOVERNING COUNCIL

Mr. Amitabha Ghoshal, Past President, CEAI

Mr. Arun Mull, Past President CEAI

Dr. Yaduvendra Mathur, Vice Chairman, Consulting Engineers Group Ltd

Mr. M R Moorthy, PEMS Engineering Consultants Pvt Ltd

Mr. Saurav Sekhar, SA Infra Consultants Pvt Ltd

### CEAI COMMITTEES 2023-2024

S. No	NAME OF COMMITTEE	ACTIVITY	CHAIRPERSON
1.	Presidents' Council	Advisory to Governing Council	Dr. Ajay Pradhan
2.	Finance Committee	Accounts and Finance	Mr. Girish Mishra
3.	Constitution Review Committee	Memorandum and Rules of Association and Other Administrative Regulations	Dr. S Chatterjee
4.	Ethics, and Quality Committee	Ethics and Quality	Ms. Sayona Philip
5.	Publication Committee	CEAI Publications	Mr. A P Mull
6.	External Relations Committee	Liaisoning with National and International Organisations/Departments	Mr. Vishwas Jain
7.	Seminars and Events Committee	All Events, except FIDIC related matters	Mr. JVL Narayana
8.	FIDIC Committee	All matters related with FIDIC (including Training)	Mr. Sudhir Dhawan
9.	Membership Committee	Membership of CEAI	Mr. Navneet Sharma
10	Environment and Sustainability Committee	Environment and other related matters	Mr. Arvinder Singh Brara
11.	CEAI Academy	Liaisoning with Educational Institutions, Students, Training & Placement	Mr. Alok Bhowmick
12.	CEAI Foundation	Social Engineering Works	Mr. Sudhir Dhawan
13	Future Leader Forum	Young Professionals/ Future Leaders Affairs	Mr. Mihir Singha

## WORKSHOP ON “STEEL – FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT”



**Register before  
2<sup>nd</sup> Feb 2023**

With construction being the second most permeating sector the Consulting Engineers Association of India – Western Region Centre (CEAI-WRC) along with INSDAG and the Indian Institute of Technology Bombay are organizing a one day Workshop on **“Steel - for Sustainable Development”** on **4<sup>th</sup> February 2023** in the VMCC at the Indian Institute of Technology Bombay **to promote the use of steel for buildings and infrastructure works.**

For more details refer link.

Registration: [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/11\\_nYn8ax-zuMuADuesIR2ppPGjPQNRv\\_ZzMPD8x70ts/edit](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/11_nYn8ax-zuMuADuesIR2ppPGjPQNRv_ZzMPD8x70ts/edit)

Brochure: <https://static.ceai.org.in/uploads/Brochure-Workshop-Steel-for-Sustainable-Development-February-04-2023-mUMBAI.pdf>

## VIEWPOINT

The themes for the March 2023 issue CEAI’s magazine **“ViewPoint”** is **“Consultant – Client Relationship”**.

The articles could be on various aspects such as – Who should manage & how should relationships be managed? What are a Client's expectations from a Consultant? What should be the Client's obligations to a Consultant? How does the Client perceive as to what should be the level of input from a Consultant? How does the quantum of fee affect the time and efforts that a Client thinks that affects the Consultant's work output vis-à-vis quality and time? (This is especially with reference to the low bids that some given to secure a job but run into execution problems later on, resulting in poor quality of work which Hon’ble Minister Mr. Nitin Gadkari has time and again referred to.) What results in Customer delight? What ought to be the aim of the teams from the Client as well as the Consultant?

The theme for the other issues for the term 2023-2024 the themes will be intimated by next month.

The articles for an issue need to reach CEAI at least 3 weeks prior to the end of the month of the ViewPoint issue.

Articles need to be in Times New Roman 12 with single line spacing with before and after 6 pt and normal margin, on A4 size. A recent clear and bright passport size photograph of the author(s) is to be sent along with the article. For details of formatting please refer to **“Format for Articles for CEAI Viewpoint”** on CEAI’s website, under **‘Publications’**.

## Advertisement in ViewPoint

ViewPoint is circulated to all CEAI Members, FIDIC, Ministries of the Government of India, Public & Private Sector Undertakings, Construction Firms, Contractors, Consultants, Foreign Missions and Funding Institutions in India and other organisations related to or dealing with the engineering profession. Thus, all stakeholders partnering development and progress are its readers.

**Catch the Customers Eye**

**Get Wide Exposure**

**Improve Visibility**



**VIEWPOINT**

Support from CEAI members and stakeholders are sought for increasing the number of advertisements, so that ViewPoint gains in its stature as a unique Technical Publication for the fraternity and the public at large to spread information of how Consulting Engineers are helping society for improving the quality of life and doing so sustainably.

The rates for advertisements in **VIEWPOINT** booked on or after 1<sup>st</sup> January 2023 are given below:

Item	Rate Per issue* (Rs)	Discounted rate at 10% for 2 consecutive issues* (Rs)	Discounted rate at 20% for 4 consecutive issues* (Rs)
Back Cover	25,000.00	45,000.00	80,000.00
Inside Front Cover	18,000.00	32,400.00	57,600.00
Inside Back Cover	18,000.00	32,400.00	57,600.00
Full Page (Colour)	12,000.00	21,600.00	38,400.00
Full Page (Colour), if a specific page position is required.	14,000.00	25,200.00	44,800.00
Full Page (B&W) (such advertisements will be taken up for printing only when there are 4 or multiple of 4 advertisements for an issue)	8,000.00	14,400.00	25,600.00

Notes:

*\*GST @ 5% or as prescribed will be added to the above rates.*

*\*\*Inside Front Cover booked till June 2023*

*\*\*\*Inside Back Cover booked till Sept 2023*

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