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Intellectual Property Facilitation Center (IP FACE) Launched at NCL Innovation Park

Intellectual Property Facilitation Center (IP FACE), a joint venture in partnership with the Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MoMSME) was launched in the premises of NCL innovation Park. At the beginning Dr. V.Premnath, Director Venture Center in his introductory remarks and presentation gave information relating to the conceptualization of IP FACE, its resources, services to be offered and various activities which are planned to be undertaken by IP FACE.



Dr. V. Premnath, Director Venture Center giving his introductory remarks

Dr. S. Sivaram, Chairman Venture Center and Director NCL launched the center by lighting traditional lamp at a function held on 26-04-2010



Dr.Sivaram lighting traditional lamp to symbolize launching of IP FACE



Dr. Sivaram in his address said that there are lots of service providers in the field. Stressing that the medium and small enterprises account for about 40% of the export in India and such center dedicated for servicing these enterprises is the need of the hour.



Dr. Sivaram addressing the gathering

Dr. R.R. Hirwani, Head, CSIR Unit of Research and Development Products launched a dedicated website for IP FACE.



Dr. R.R.Hirwani, Head URDIP launching IP FACE Website



Mr. A.D.Kulkarni proposed vote of thanks.

A free introductory seminar on Intellectual Property was also held on the occasion. Mrs. Sri Vidya Ravi, patent associate in NCL gave a talk on intellectual property in General with special reference to patents, Prof. Mrs. Nilima Bhadbhade of ILS Law College spoke on Copyright and Mr. A.D.Kulkarni, Sr. Technical Officer NCL discussed provisions of law and practice relating to Trade Mark and Industrial Designs. The seminar was attended by the members of legal fraternity, representatives from Medium and small scale enterprises receiving assistance from Venture Center and the resident incubatees.



Mrs. Srividya Ravi, Patent Associate NCL



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