A Workshop on, “Corporate Social Responsibility & Sustainable Development : A Strategy for Inclusive Growth” was held on 22-10-2013 at Koel Hall CMPDI, HQ), Ranchi.

The workshop was inaugurated by Shri A.K. Debnath, CMD, CMPDI. The Functional Directors, HODs of CMPDI(HQ), as well as RI-III were present in the workshop. Representatives of All Regional Institutes, WIPS & JCC Members also participated in the workshop.

Dr. A. Sinha, Regional Director, CMPDI, RI-III & Nodal Officer (CSR & SD), CMPDI welcomed the guests and participants present on the occasion. While addressing the workshop he apprised and elaborated the participants about CMPDI’s approach for CSR and sustainability. He has also presented the budget provisions, expenditures in previous year and future plan in coming year.

CMD, CMPDI emphasized on the importance of saving the environment for the sake of the society and human lives. He also stressed on changing some of our habits i.e. unnecessary use of air conditioners, changing driving habits of vehicle etc. He stressed to view CSR & SD as a way of conducting business, which enables the creation and distribution of wealth for the betterment of our stakeholders.

While addressing the workshop Shri D.K. Ghosh, Director (T/ES) asserted that we are undertaking the CSR & SD activities in the villages around our drilling camps, so that it can meaningfully contribute towards our stakeholders.

Shri Shekhar Saran, Director (T/CRD) stated that CSR & SD activities are very important for society, our stakeholders and our business. He further stated that we are working in the Public Sector and it is our responsibility to take care of our stakeholders.

Shri Vinod Kumar Sinha, Chief General Manager (Mining), expressed his opinion on the occasion stating that since our operations are spread all across Jharkhand and as we are indebted to our stakeholders, it is our prime responsibility to ensure their welfare, in return.
On the occasion Shri Sudip Sen, Sr. Vice President (Environment Project), Green Sanitation Foundation, Stone India Limited, made Presentation on Green Toilets. During his presentation he stated that Green Toilets are very useful for human habitation in both urban as well as rural areas. Use of green toilet can prevent various diseases and it will be very useful in providing clean environment to coming generation.

Dr. Ramesh Sharan, Professor of Economics, Ranchi University enlightened the participants about the displacement of local inhabitation and related social and economic problems generated out of development activities and stressed the need to adopt holistic and humanistic approach towards the problem.

Shri Brijesh Kumar Rawat, State Co-coordinator, SARDA, Ramgarh described the Corporate as the king in present time and stated that corporate should carry out CSR & SD activities in impressive way for the welfare of the society.

The workshop ended with vote of thanks by Shri Parag Majumdar, GM (E&M)/CSR&SD, CMPDI.

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