## HIGHLIGHTS OF THE ING-IABSE WORKSHOP ON "CODE OF PRACTICE FOR CONCRETE ROAD BRIDGES IRC:112:2011" HELD AT HYDERABAD ON 30<sup>TH</sup> & 31<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER 2015

The Indian National Group of the IABSE in co-operation with Govt of Telangana, Roads and Buildings Department (NH Wing) successfully organised two day Workshop on "Code of Practice for Concrete Road Bridges IRC:112:2011" at Hyderabad on 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> October 2015. The Workshop was well attended by more than 200 delegates from various Govt Departments as well as other private and public organizations.

The aim of the workshop was to provide a unique opportunity to the practicing engineers and students to interact with experts for dissemination of knowledge and experiences relating to the latest techniques in design of bridges and other structures using the "Code of Practice for Concrete Road Bridges IRC:112: 2011". Participation of delegates in floor intervention and discussions was very encouraging.

The Workshop was inaugurated by Shri T Nageshwar Rao, Hon'ble Minister of Public Works Department, Govt of Telangana by lighting the traditional lamp in the presence of S/Shri DO Tawade, Chairman, ING-IABSE, RK Pandey, Secretary, ING-IABSE and Mahesh Tandon, Chairman Scientific Committee as well as other dignitaries.

Shri IG Reddy, Chief Engineer, R&B NH & PPP, Govt of Telangana extended warm welcome to the participants of the Workshop. Shri DO Tawade, delivered his address during the Inauguration. Shri RK Pandey, Secretary, ING-IABSE proposed Vote of Thanks.

The Workshop on "Code of Practice for Concrete Road Bridges IRC:112:2011" was addressed by the following eminent experts covering the following themes who were either involved in the preparation of the Code or have used in extensively since its publication.

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## 9 Shri Vinay Gupta

- Durability and Deterioration of Concrete Structures

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10 Shri Alok Bhowmick

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The concluding remarks of the Workshop were presented by Prof Mahesh Tandon, Chairman, Scientific Committee on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2015. He expressed the hope that the outcome of the Workshop would have enriched the delegates. The delegates who attended the Workshop mentioned that the subject matter of the Workshop is very timely. Shri IG Reddy, Chief Engineer, R&B NH & PPP, Govt of Telangana proposed Vote of Thanks.

A cultural programme was organized in the evening of 30<sup>th</sup> October 2015 for the participants who rejoiced the evening.

The Workshop was a great success.



Shri T Nageshwar Rao, Hon'ble Minister, lighting the traditional Inaugural Lamp along with high dignitaries



A view of the Dais during the Inaugural Function



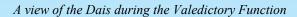
Shri DO Tawade, Chairman, ING-IABSE Delivering his address

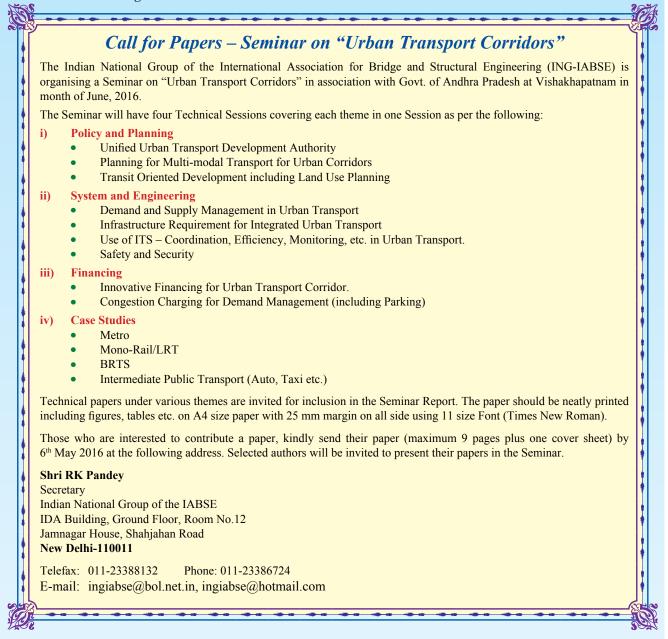


Shri RK Pandey, Secretary, ING-IABSE Delivering his address



Shri T Nageshwar Rao, Hon'ble Minister, Minister of State, Telangana, PWD Delivering his address during Inaugural Function





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