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ACREX India – South Asia's largest exhibition on Air-conditioning, Ventilation, Refrigeration & Building Services. ACREX India – 2015 will be held from 26th February, 2015 to 28th February, 2015 at BIEC, Bangalore, Karnataka and organized by the ISHEAE with the professional expertise of NuernbergMesse India.

The theme of ACREX India 2015 is Less Energy = More Life. ACREX India is growing amazingly year by year and also becoming the launch platform for many international organizations like UNEP, CIBSE, REHVA, EBTC, AMCHAM, US Commercial Services, VDMA Germany, KRAIA and CAR to network with the Indian industry. The Expo is also getting support from prestigious Indian associations like IGBC and BEE. ACREX India exhibition will help all the industry people relate to the HVAC & R on small and large scale to develop as well as widen the scope of growth as the need of future.

AIAACRA being supporting partner of ACREX India-2015, invites its members to take advantage of this opportunity as an exhibitor to make new contacts and establish long-term business relationships.

All interested members are requested to contact AIAACRA Secretariat to block space / stall at ACREX India-2015 or write at aiacraindia@gmail.com.

AIAACRA News WE ARE CHANGING!

During last Executive Committee Meeting of the Association, EC Members have decided to re-energise AIAACRA NEWS. Editorial responsibility for the new look of Newsletter was given to Mr. Vinod Kumar Rekhi and Mr. Sushil K. Choudhury, both Senior Executive Members. Now onwards, there will be three Quarterly Newsletters (8 or 12 pages), published on 1st day of April, July and October.

On first January every year association will come up with "AIAACRA ANNUAL", having 64 to 96 pages. Plan is to have this in all colour pages.

While editorial team is working on contents for this annual issue, while suggestions are welcomed from our worthy members, to make the "AIAACRA ANNUAL" and regular newsletters more informative, so as to provide more values to the Members. We will also solicit Articles-both Technical and Commercial, for this Annual issue.

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AIAACRA MEMBER'S DIRECTORY-2014 (Available at AIAACRA Secretariat)

We are pleased to announce that the VIII edition of AIAACRA Member's Directory-2014 has been launched at China Refrigeration-2014, Beijing, China. We are thankful to all the members for their support, for providing updated data. The contribution of all advertisers whose advertisement is published in the new AIAACRA Member's Directory-2014 is also highly appreciated.

Cost of Directory-2014 for non-members : Rs.300/-
(plus extra Postage Charges of Rs.100/-)
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PRESIDENT WRITES

Dear Members and Friends,

Greetings from AIACRA!

It is a very proud moment to share with you that a delegation of AIACRA members visited CHINA REFRIGERATION – 2014, Beijing, China in the month of April, 2014. The AIACRA delegation not only included members from Delhi region but also joined by Mr. Navin Lamba, President, Eastern India Air-conditioning & Refrigeration Association (EIARA) and senior members of EIARA, Kolkata association. All the delegates received VIP's treatment from Chinese Association of Refrigeration (CAR) and Chinese Refrigeration & Air-conditioning Association (CRAA) at the exhibition. All the arrangements done by CAR/CRAA were excellent and the delegation was quite pleased by the remarkable experience of visiting the CR-2014 expo.

The new AIACRA Member's Directory-2014, CD's and latest AIACRA Newsletters were circulated in abundance at China Refrigeration-2014 exhibition in Beijing, China.

AIACRA members also participated in ACREX India - 2014 in large numbers and it was a great success. During ACREX a Buyer-Seller Meet with KOREA delegation was very successfully organized between AIACRA members and Korean companies.

We had a very fruitful discussion with the President and Senior Executive Members of CAR/CRAA and Korea Refrigeration and Air-conditioning Industry Association (KRAIA) during their visit to ACREX-2014, New Delhi for the

mutual benefits of the members of both associations.

We are pleased to inform that AIACRA has signed its Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Australian Refrigeration Association (ARA) by Mr. Yash Pal Sandhu, EC Member on behalf of AIACRA.

AIACRA is also once again supporting ICE Expo-2014 to be held at Ahmadabad, Gujarat from 21st to 22nd November, 2014. I would request all our members to participate in this leading exhibition on Cold Chain, for assistance on space booking please contact Ms. Anita at AIACRA Office.

AIACRA continues to support ACREX show and this time it will be held on 26 – 28 February, 2015 at Bangalore. We are in the process of booking stall for our members at ACREX India-2015. For further information and booking please contact the AIACRA Secretariat.

Before concluding, I would like to inform you that AIACRA 112th General Body Meeting is scheduled to be held on 19th July, 2014 at Chennai. A Notice of GBM was already circulated by the AIACRA Secretariat.

Steps for necessary arrangements have already been initiated and I look forward to meet you at Chennai for the event.

Thanking you and with best wishes.

Rajendra Mittal
President, AIACRA



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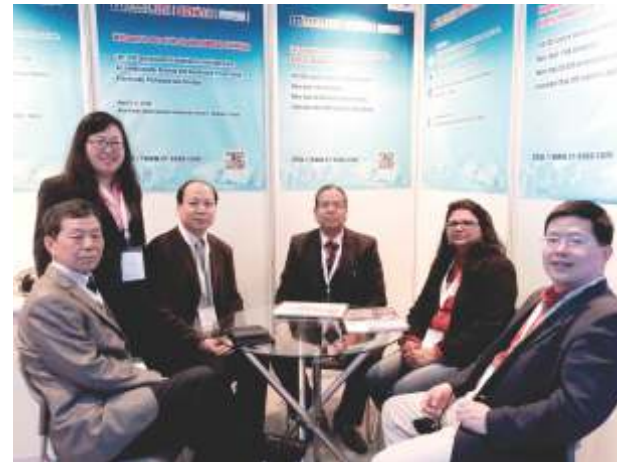
ACREX INDIA -2014

(Supported by AIACRA)

ACREX India is the largest International Exhibition and Conference catering to the Air Conditioning, Refrigeration, Ventilation and Building Services' Industries. ACREX India 2014 was held at Pragati Maidan, New Delhi from 27th February to 1st March, 2014. As before, AIACRA once again supported the expo and its members participated on a large scale as exhibitors and visitors the visitors. The Expo has set an example and has shown the way forward for moving towards a carbon-neutral HVAC&R industry. The exhibition, which has grown rapidly over the past few years, hosted country pavilions from the USA, Germany, Italy, Korea and China. Additionally, exhibitors from the Czech Republic, France, Malaysia, the

Netherlands, Saudi Arabia, Switzerland, Thailand, the UAE, the UK and Ukraine have also signed up for participation.

More than 400 exhibitors from 25 different countries and 30,000 visitors from across the country who participated at ACREX India 2014 could not only showcase their products and new developments from the HVAC&R industry but also from various other allied building services including plumbing, fire safety, window and facade products. ACREX India is much more than a trade fair. It has developed into a most successful industry platform for the segments of Refrigeration, Air-conditioning, Ventilation and Building Services' Industries.



Mr. Zhong Weiqin, Director, International Division, CAR, Mr. Yu Xueshun, Deputy Secretary General, CRAA, Mr. Rajendra Mittal, President, AIACRA, Ms. Anita, Executive Secretary, AIACRA

BUYER-SELLER MEET AT ACREX INDIA-2014

(Organized by AIACRA & KRAIA)



Buyer-Seller Meet at ACREX India - 2014, New Delhi

AIACRA organized its first Buyer-Seller Meet on 27th February, 2014, the first day of ACREX India-2014.

Korea Refrigeration and Air-conditioning Industry Association (KRAIA) is one and the only Association representing the Korean Refrigeration and Air-conditioning Industry. It has been our experience that a 'Pre-Scheduled Appointment System' enables buyers and sellers achieve maximum business success before and during the event.

The Korean companies which attended the meet were Lordo I, HEPHZIBAH CO. LTD., Seungil Electronics, SK Brazing Co., Sungshin Hasco, Ltd., NSV Co.

Ltd., JAE HYUN Autonics, A-Tech Thermo Co. Ltd., DAESUNG HEAT PUMP CO. LTD., AR Co. Ltd. Members from AIACRA also showed immense interest to grab all possible business opportunities during the meet and to enter into a new collaborations.

Mr. Vinod Rekhi, EC Member and Ms. Anita, Executive Secretary, AIACRA arranged and scheduled all the meetings for Korean and Indian companies. The President Mr. Rajendra Mittal along with Mr. Jagmit Singh, Past President, AIACRA & other EC Members attended the Buyer-Seller Meet to ensure its success.



Mr. Jangsop Han, President, KRAIA and Mrs. Christine Kim, Secretary, KRAIA



AIACRA EC Member with President KRAIA



AIACRA Members at Buyer-Seller Meet

11th AIACRA delegation to China Refrigeration – 2014, Beijing

AIACRA had once again taken its 11th delegation of 25 members to China Refrigeration – 2014 at Beijing, China. CR-2014 was held from 9th April to 11th April, 2014 at New China International Exhibition Center, Beijing, China.

It was led by Mr. Rajendra Mittal, President of AIACRA. Mr. Navin Lamba, President, EIARA, Kolkata and senior members from RATA-SI and RATA, Mumbai were also joined AIACRA delegation at Beijing, China. Chinese Association of Refrigeration (CAR) had arranged a stall for AIACRA at the exhibition where AIACRA Member's Directory -2014, CDs and Newsletter were circulated to all visitors, exhibitors and members.

Following are the useful exhibition analysis of CR-2014, for the information of members:

Origins of overseas visitors at CR-2014 :

Asia	49%
Hong Kong, Macau, Taiwan	20%
Europe	17%
South America	4%
North America	4%
Oceania	3%
Africa	3%

Main interests in products segments:

Refrigeration Equipment	66.2%
Ventilation	32.8%
Heating Equipment	31.0%
Commercial / Industrial A/C Equipment	30.7%
Residential Air Conditioner	24.3%
HVAC & R Components and Materials	13.1%
Automatic Controls and Testing Equipment	10.9%
Cold Storage and Frozen Food Storage	9.3%
Refrigerant and Lubrication Oils	8.7%
Refrigeration Transportations Facilities	8.1%
Tools and Machinery of HVAC & R	5.3%
Services, Consultation, Design, Installation, Supervision, Test	3.7%
Other	1.1%



AIACRA 11th Delegation to CR-2014, Beijing, China



AIACRA Member's Stall at CR-2014 Expo

ISHRAE Air-conditioning & Refrigeration Hand Book for Technicians

Indian Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-conditioning Engineers (ISHRAE) is bringing out a new Handbook on Air-conditioning and Refrigeration specially for HVAC Technicians. This Handbook is the result of the dedicated efforts of the Delhi Chapter of the Ishrae Institute of Excellence (IIE) and is authored by Mr. Arvind Dhawan and co-authored by the IIE

co-ordinator Mr. V.K. Seth.

The handbook covers all types of air-conditioners (window, split, packaged, ductable and VRV) and refrigerators. The book is written in very simple English language, that can be readily understood by the technician community. Easy understanding of the contents has been facilitated by photographs, illustrations and case studies.

ISHRAE plans to translate the handbook in Hindi and other regional languages in future. It is planned to launch the new Handbook during the "AcreServe – 2014" program in Bangalore in November 2014. The handbook will serve as an excellent reference book for AIACRA members and as a training resource for technical service professionals.



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Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Australian Refrigeration Association (ARA)



Mr. Tim Edwards, President, ARA and Mr. Yash Pal Sandhu, EC Member, AIACRA at ARBS-2014, Australia

Mr. Yash Pal Sandhu, EC Member of AIACRA during his visit to ARBS - 2014, Australia's only international trade exhibition for the Air Conditioning, Refrigeration and Building Services industry, made the first move to sign a MOU between AIACRA & ARA. This MOU proposes to promote trade relations in the HVAC & R industry between India and Australia and endeavors to improve co-operation between the two organizations for the benefits of its Members.

ICE 2014

(Supported by AIACRA)

Accelerating Supply Chain by creating ideas, knowledge, network and opportunities for Modern Cold Chain

ICE is the only event in India where the entire community of Cold Chain comes together to be part of the process of defining the future of this industry. **The exhibition will be held from 21st November to 22nd November, 2014 at YMCA, International Centre, Ahmadabad, Gujarat.** AIACRA is a Supporting Partner of ICE Expo since 2009 and every year its members participate enthusiastically as exhibitors.

ICE has been effectively acting as a medium to dissipate latest technologies, best practices and governing policies in the cold chain sector and has productively brought together the buyers, suppliers and all stakeholders. It focused on cold chain industry and brings together users and service providers from all over the globe. It is a unique networking opportunity for decision makers, opinion leaders and the entire cold chain fraternity. Through an innovative format of Conference, Exhibition and Awards, ICE enables global best practice exchange delivering knowledge and thought leadership to the Cold Chain.

Highlights

- 4,029 visitors from 20 countries, 40 exhibitors showcasing 200+ brands
- Explore international pavilions and visit dedicated Cold Supply Chain Zone at the event.
- Meet cold storage owners and operators from all over India.
- Discuss and debate on the newly launched MIDH Guidelines
- Meet international delegations visiting the show
- Network with 1000 delegates
- Over 30 cold chain expert speakers
- Over 10 hours of networking PLUS a dedicated speed networking & cocktail and awards evening with cold chain professionals
- 30+ presentations & panel discussions

AIACRA once again has become an active supporting partner of ICE Expo-2014. **Members who are interested in participating may kindly contact AIACRA Secretariat for stall booking and further information on ICE-2014.**

NEWS FROM RATA – SOUTH INDIA

60TH ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING OF RATA-SI



RATA-SI New Executive Committee



Mr. Ajay Nahata (Jain)
President, RATA-SI



Mr. Vivek Bachhawat,
Secretary RATA-SI



Members at AGM

RATA-SI (Refrigeration & Air-Conditioning Trades Association-South India) held their 60th Annual General Meeting (AGM) on 19th February 2014, at Madras Cricket Club, Chepauk, Chennai. It is noteworthy that RATA-SI has completed 60 years of its formation, and is the oldest & foremost trade body in refrigeration & air-conditioning trade, all over India.

At the AGM, 10 Members were appointed to the Executive Committee to assist the new team and 6 Senior Members were also appointed to the advisory panel to guide them. The event overall was highly successful.

The election was held for formation of entire new team and the House unanimously approved the following office bearers for the year 2014 to 2016.

1. Sri Ajay Nahata (Jain) - President
2. Sri Pradeep Dugar - Vice President
3. Sri Suresh Menon - Vice President
4. Sri Vivek Bachhawat - Secretary
5. Sri Ashok Malu - Jt. Secretary
6. Sri Rangarajan Kidambi - Jt. Secretary
7. Sri Ritesh Jain - Treasurer

First Get Together Event of RATA-SI

RATA-SI held its First Get Together event after the 60th Annual General Body Meeting on the 24th May, 2014 (Saturday) at Hotel Novelty, Chennai. It was attended by the 60 members of RATA-SI. The event provided an excellent opportunity to the esteemed members for networking.



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