



7th IRF Regional Conference
Road Safety in Urban and Rural Roads
1-2 November 2012 at Manekshaw Centre, New Delhi
PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

Day One (01 November, 2012) Thursday

Duration (Hrs.)	Title/Theme/Activity	Topics of Presentation	Presenter(s)
0900-1000	Registration		
1000-1100	INAUGURATION AND PROGRAMME OVERVIEW		
1100-1130	Tea/Coffee		
1130-1330	Chairman : Mr. Jitin Prasada, Hon'ble Minister of State, MORT&H Co-Chair : Ato Tekletsadik Reba Ayane, Hon'ble State Minister of Transport of the Democratic Republic of Ethiopia		
	PLENARY SESSION: Road Safety in Urban and Rural Roads	Policy and Planning for Road Safety	Mr. Marc Juhel, World Bank
		Laws, Regulation and Enforcement Issues	Mr. Anish Dayal, Advocate, Supreme Court of India
		Innovative Funding for Road Safety	Mr. C. Kandasamy, DG (RD), MoRT&H
		Public Education, Campaign & Community Involvement	Dr. Adnan Rahman, Cambridge Systematic, Netherlands
Monitoring of Road Safety Programmes		Dr. Prajapati Trivedi, Secy. to Govt. of India, Cabinet Secretariat	
1330-1430	LUNCH		
1430-1600	Chairman : Dr. M. Ramachandran, Former Secretary, MoUD, Govt. of India Co-Chair : Mr. S. P. S. Bakshi, Chairman-cum-Managing Director, EPI, New Delhi		
	TECHNICAL SESSION I: Status and Action Plan of Road Safety in Urban Areas	Policies for Traffic Safety on Urban Road	Mr. S. K. Lohia, OSD, MoUD
		Tackling Safety for Mixed Traffic in Urban Areas	Mr. Satyendra Garg, JCP (T)
		Capacity Building of Municipalities / ULBs for Road Safety	Prof. H. M. Shivanand Swamy, CEPT University
Road Safety through Provision of Infrastructures		Prof. P .K. Sarkar, SPA	
1600-1630	Tea/Coffee		
1630-1800	Chairman : Mr. Pradeep Jain, Minister of State for Rural Development, Ministry of Rural Development Co-Chair : Mr. Mahesh Kumar, E-in-C, Haryana PWD		
	TECHNICAL SESSION II: Status and Action Plan of Road Safety in Rural Roads	Traffic Mix in Rural Areas & Safety Concerns	Dr. I. K. Pateria, Director, NRRDA
		Policies for Road Safety in Rural Areas	Dr. B. P. Chandrasekhar, Advisor SRRDA (AP)
		Is Deteriorated Road Safety a Price for Rural Development ?	Mr. D. P. Gupta, Former DG (RD) & Addl. Secy.
Engineering Measures for Road Safety in Rural Roads with NMT		Mr. S. S. Singhvi, CE (PMGSY), PWD Rajasthan	
1830 onward	Cultural Programme, Networking, Cocktail and Dinner		



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Day Two (02 November, 2012) Friday

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0930-1100	Chairman : Mr. C. Kandasamy, Director General (Road Development), MORT&H Co-Chair : Ms. Susanna Zammataro, Acting DG, IRF Geneva		
	TECHNICAL SESSION III: Road Safety Engineering Measures for Urban & Rural Roads	Engineering Measures for Road Safety in Urban Roads with Mixed Traffic	Mr. V. L. Patankar, ADG, MoRT&H
		Research on Accident Causation Analysis and Reporting Schemes in Emerging Countries	Mr. Olivier Lenz, FIA, Belgium
		Mandatory Provision of Road Safety Audit	Mr. Stein Lundebye, Road Safety Consultant, USA
		Case Studies and Research Areas for Forgiving Roads	Dr. S. Velmurugan, CRRI
1100-1130	Tea/Coffee		
1130-1300	Chairman : Mr. A. K. Upadhyay, Secretary, MORT&H Co-Chair : Dr. S. Gangopadhyay, Director, CRRI		
	TECHNICAL SESSION IV: Law, Regulation and Enforcement Issues	Enforcement Issues of Motor Vehicle Act for Safety	Mr. S. Bandopadhyay JS (T), MoRT&H
		Necessity of Uniform Road Traffic Legislation and Standards of Traffic control devices	Dr. Rohit Baluja, IRTE
		Modern ITS Applications for (Urban) Road Safety	Mr. Josef Czako, KAPSCH
		Technology for Enforcement of Road Safety	Mr. C. Krishna Kumar, CEOS
Necessity of Uniform Road Traffic Act		Mr. Keita NAKASU, JICA	
1300-1400	LUNCH		
1400-1530	Chairman : Mr. Deepak Dasgupta, Former Chairman, NHAI Co-Chair : Dr. (Mrs.) Mridula Bhasin, MUSKAAN, Jaipur		
	TECHNICAL SESSION V: Community Involvement & Public Education Campaign	Scientific Tools and Systems for Driver Training and Assessment in Developing Countries	Mr. Trevor Wedge, Director, IS4SD, GB
		Comprehensive Plan for Improving Road User Behaviour	Dr. Pawan Kumar, TCPO
		e-Learning System for Driver Training & Assessment	Mr. Andrew Bayne, a2om, UK
Role of Media and Social Media in Road Safety		Mr. Abhijit Majumder, Editor HT, Delhi	
1530-1600	Tea/Coffee		
1600-1730	Chairman : Mr. Brijeshwar Singh, Former Chairman, NHAI Co-Chair : Mr. V. L. Patankar, ADG, MoRT&H		
	TECHNICAL SESSION VI: Funding and Capacity Building Issues in Road Safety	Institutional development & strengthening for Road Safety in Urban Areas	Mr. Amitava Basu, ICT
		Institutional development & strengthening for Road Safety in Rural Areas	Mr. Tony Pearce, IRF Honorary Life Member
		Funding for Road Safety Projects	Dr. J. N. Singh, Member (F), NHAI
Monitoring system of Road Safety Programme for Rural and Urban Roads		Mr. Paul Hillier, ARRB	
1730-1830	PANEL DISCUSSION: Accessibility and Mobility Issues in Urban and Rural Areas - A Policy : Safety First		
	Panelists (Requested): Mr. J. C. Mohanty, Ms. Karla Gonzalez Carvajal, Mr. Abijit Majumder, Mr. C. Kandasamy, Dr. J. N. Singh, Mr. Mukesh C. Gupta, Col. A. K. Bhasin, Mr. Satyendra Garg, Ms. Susanna Zammataro, Dr. Rohit Baluja, Mr. Balraj Bhanot Conference Recommendations: Conference Chairman		
1830	High Tea		