

PRESS RELEASE**Vedanta's Value Added Business bags 2 Safety Awards by Green Triangle Society**

October 1st, 2019, Panaji: Vedanta Sesa Goa Iron Ore's Value Added Business was awarded 2 prestigious safety awards- **"Gomant Sarvocha Suraksha Puraskar"** and **"Gomant Suraksha Puraskar"** organized by Green Triangle Society in association with the Inspectorate of Factories and Boilers. These awards are conferred to recognize exemplary performances by companies in maintaining consistent and meritorious Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) performance.

Vedanta's Value added business (VAB) unit Pig Iron Division II received 1st prize in category C that is- **"Gomant Sarvocha Suraksha Puraskar"** for outstanding performance on the parameters of OSH while Power Plant-I secured 3rd place for the good performance in category A.

Chief Guest- Mr. Sanjay Kumar, IAS, Secretary for Revenue and Inspectorate of Factories and Boilers congratulated all the participants and said "Occupational Health and Safety has to be a top priority for each and every industrial unit. I urge all of you to inculcate the culture of behavioral safety and maintain robust safety standards at your industrial units. I appreciate Green Triangle Society for organizing these awards which are much needed to promote OHS practices among operational units"

Mr. Sauvick Mazumdar – CEO, Vedanta Sesa Goa Iron congratulated VAB team and quoted "We always strive hard to achieve the operational excellence with the utmost focus on implementation of world class safety standards across all our sites. We always look forward to continuous improvement particularly, to eliminate potential safety hazards if any and keep our operations to be a safest place to work"

After receiving the award, Mr. N.L. Vhatte said "Occupational Health and Safety is at the core of our Vedanta philosophy. We strongly believe that our people are our real strength and nothing is more important than their health & safety. Since safety is an integral part of our business, we are fully committed to maintain highest quality of safety standards."

On Behalf of Vedanta Sesa Goa Iron Ore's Value Added Business, the award was received by Shri. N. L. Vhatte (Director, Value Added Business) and Mr. Saptesh Sardesai (COO- Met Coke and Power, Value Added Business)

Photo Caption – Mr. NL Vhatte & Mr. Ramesh Sinari receiving the award at the hands of chief guest Shri. Sanjay Kumar

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