

## DEDICATED FREIGHT CORRIDOR CORPORATION

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## DFCCIL CELEBRATED ITS 10<sup>th</sup> FOUNDATION DAY

The Dedicated Freight Corridor Corporation of India Limited, a public sector undertaking under Ministry of Railways celebrated its 10<sup>th</sup> foundation day on 29.10.2015 (yesterday) in a function organised at Air Force Auditorium Subroto Park, New Delhi. The function was inaugurated by Shri A K Mital, Chairman Railway Board and Chairman DFCCIL by lighting the lamp. On this occasion Sh. Navin Tandon Member Electrical, Sh. Hement Kumar Member Mechanical, Sh Pradeep Kumar Member Staff, Sh. S. Mookerjee Financial Commissioner, Railway Board, Sh A K Puthia, General Manager Northern Railway, Sh. Adesh Sharma Managing Director, other Directors of DFCCIL, representatives of World Bank & JICA, stake holders, senior officers from Railways, other ministries and DFCCIL were also present.

Speaking on the occasion Shri A K Mital, Chairman, Railway Board and Chairman DFCCIL, applauded the progress made by DFC. He praised the efforts and dedication of DFCCIL officers and staff for acquiring 87% of land and finalisation of tenders more than Rs. 31,000 crores which is remarkable. He said that the future is challenging and assured full support from the Railway ministry.

Sh. Adesh Sharma Managing Director DFCCIL, while addressing the gathering said that the DFC is now progressing fast towards project implementation, as contracts of more than Rs 17000 Cr. have been awarded in last one year. The construction work is on full swing on these corridors and will be completed as per scheduled timeline. He further said that once completed, DFC will not just become a game changer in transport logistics sector but will also help in increasing number and speed of passenger trains by removing congestion on present lines.

On this occasion 25 employees were awarded for their exemplary contribution and meritorious services. A running shield and cash award of Rs.25,000/ (Twenty five thousand) each for the best performance of the field units were also given to Tundla project office for Eastern DFC. Jaipur & Ahemedabad project office jointly won the shield for Western DFC.

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