

CIMAC INDIA-ISFL JOINT SESSION ON MARINE FUELS & LUBRICANTS

CIMAC INDIA, for the first time, had joined hands with the organizers of ISFL-International symposium on Fuels and Lubricants in its 5th edition that was held from March 7-10, 2006 at New Delhi, India to conduct a joint technical session on marine fuels and lubricants.

Indian Oil R&D Center organized the 5th International Symposium on Fuels and Lubricants, during March 7-10th, 2006 at Hotel Intercontinental Eros, New Delhi. The central theme of this symposium is **“Fuels & Lubricants: Technological Innovations and Environmental Concerns”**. Like the previous ones, this symposium has also attracted an overwhelming number of national and international scientists & technologists and major policy makers of downstream petroleum sector.

CIMAC INDIA organized a technical session on Marine fuels and Lubricants as a part of this symposium (Tech.Session IIIA) on 9th March 2006. This one and half hour session comprises of a key note presentation from M/S Neo Petcon-Indian agents of M/S Total, France and four technical papers from M/S Wartsila India, M/S Indian Oil and M/S Shipping Corporation of India. Topics like multifunctional additives for heavy fuels, gas conversion of medium speed diesel engines for power generation, new generation trunk piston engine oils and MARPOL standards were dealt with. An overwhelming 100 symposium participants attended this session. The session was chaired by Mr.A.Chatterjee, GM(Lubes), IOC. Mr.B.R.Tyagi, DGM, IOC R&D acted as co-chair person. This technical session was sponsored by M/S Lubrizol India and M/S Neo Petcon and co-sponsored by M/S SCI and M/S Wartsila India Limited. At the beginning of the session, Dr.SSV Ramakumar, Secretary, CIMAC INDIA, had presented the activities of central CIMAC, Germany and those of CIMAC INDIA.

Based on the independent evaluation of all the technical papers excluding the key note paper by five eminent participants of the session (including session chair and co-chair), the technical presentation from M/S Indian Oil by Dr. SSV Ramakumar on new generation trunk piston engine oils was adjudged as the “Best Presentation” of the session and was presented with a memento by Patron-In-Chief of CIMAC INDIA-Mr.B.M.Bansal.



(L-R) Mr. Vinay Kumar, Neo Petcon, Dr.SSV Ramakumar, IOC, R&D, Mr. A. Chaterjee, GM(lubes), IOC & Session Chairman, Mr. B.R. Tyagi, DGM(PDD), IOC & Session Co-chairman, Mr. C.M. Madhavan, GM(B&T), SCI, India.



(L-R) Mr. M.V. Dixit, Wartsila India Limited, Dr.SSV Ramakumar, IOC, R&D, Mr. A. Chaterjee, GM(lubes), IOC & Session Chairman, Mr. B.R. Tyagi, DGM(PDD), IOC & Session Co-chairman, Mr. C.M. Madhavan, GM(B&T), SCI, India.



Mr.Vinay Kumar of M/S Neo Petcon delivering the Key Note presentation on Multi functional fuel additives for heavy fuels in the CIMAC- ISFL session



Dr.S.S.V.Ramakukmar , IOC R&D receiving the Best Paper Award for Joint CIMAC INDIA-ISFL session from Mr.B.M.Bansal, Director(Planning & Business Development), IOC and Patron-In-Chief, CIMAC INDIA.



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