PRESS RELEASE

National Institute of Electronics & Information Technology (NIELIT), Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology, Govt. of India, in association with National Career Service (NCS), Govt. of India for differently Abled and National Career Service for SC/ST, Ministry of Labour & Employment, Govt. of India organised a Job Fair at the premises of NCS for Differently Abled located behind ITI Guwahati and opposite Bhubaneswar Barooah Cancer Institute, Guwahati.

The Job Fair was aimed to provide a platform for placement opportunity to the various job seekers who have been trained through NIELIT & NCS for Differently Abled & NCS for SC/ST in different courses in IT, Electronics etc.

The Job Fair was formally inaugurated at 10:30 AM in the presence of Shri P.K. Das, Director, STPI, Guwahati as Chief Guest, Shri P. Rava, ACS, Joint Director, Employment and Craftsman Training, Govt of Assam, as Guest of Honour, Smti Ashish Garg, Principal Consultant, Skill Development, MeitY, Govt. of India as Guest of Honour, Shri Manab Kalita Director In-charge, NIELIT Shillong, Shri L. K. Varte, In Charge, NCS for Differently Abled for Differently Abled, DGE and Shri K. Baruah, Director, NIELIT Guwahati.

Shri K. Baruah, Director, NIELIT Guwahati in his welcome-cum-inaugural address welcomed all the dignitaries, placement agencies and job seekers etc and desired that Job Seekers take full advantage of the opportunity provided by NIELIT & NCS.

The other following Speakers also welcomed and appreciated initiative of NIELIT & NCS in providing placement opportunity to local youths.

Chief Guest Shri P. K. Das, Director, STPI in his speech called for identifying the strengths of the population of the North Eastern Region in terms of skills specifically inherent in them.

Smt. Ashish Garg, Principal Consultant, Skill Development, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology called upon the audience not to remain passive consumers of technology and urged the students gathered in the event to keep in pace with time and consistently update one's skill. In her speech, Smt. Garg praised NIELIT for the noble initiative taken by them for providing the students a placement opportunity.

Shri P. Rava, ACS, Joint Director, Employment and Craftsman Training, in his speech expressed concern against fraudulent placement agencies and mentioned the need to monitor

the security of jobs being offered to the candidates of the North Eastern region who had to face great difficulties after being abandoned by these agencies in the middle of many metro cities. Shri Rava also cited examples of entrepreneurship set up by Differently Abled women in Chamata town in Nalbari District and exhorted the students to also consider entrepreneurship as a means of livelihood.

Shri L. K. Varte, In Charge, NCS for Differently Abled, DGE in his speech mentioned about the hardships faced by many employees in terms of working conditions after being recruited through placement interviews and requested the job seekers to be aware of the circumstance. He also requested the job seekers to provide a healthy work environment to the recruits.

The gathering was also addressed by Shri M. Kalita, Director in Charge, NIELIT Shillong.

Altogether 595 candidates registered during the day and altogether 20 Placement Agencies like Ajmal Foundation, NIIT, eYantra, Akash Hyundai, AJ Infotechline, K.L. Group, Barman Food and Beverage, GenX IT solution, Bell Finvest India Limited, Dominos Pizza, Technowell Services, Byatikram Digital, Axis Bank, Eureka Forbes, Mohit Marketing, Janalakshmi Financial Service, Jubilant Food Works Ltd, Aurora Travels, Saraighat Hyundai, MTR Foods etc took part in the Fair.

Out of 595 candidates who turned at the Job Fair, 178 nos. of candidates were shortlisted. However another 5 Agencies will submit the shortlisted candidates through e-mail wherein a minimum of 50 nos. (approx.) candidates are also expected to be shortlisted. Excellent feedback has been received from the recruiters and the candidates as reported.









