

INDORE LOCAL CENTRE

New Committee Takes Charge

July 21, 2009

The Indore Local Centre organised a meeting on July 21 where the newly elected Committee Members took over charge. The new Committee of the Centre comprises the following:

Mr Akhilesh Jain	Chairman
Mr Dinesh Wadhwa	Hon. Secretary
Mr Kiran P Shinde	Hon. Treasurer
Dr. R.L. Sawhney	Member
Mr. Vijay Panse	Member
Mr. Dilip Dharkar	Immediate Past Chairman

Welcoming everybody present, Mr Akhilesh Jain, the newly elected Chairman, mentioned that ILC plans to conduct programs every month. He invited suggestions from everyone present. He also requested the lighting companies and other institutions to inform the Centre whenever any dignitary or knowledgeable expert in the field of lighting plans to visit Indore, so that ILC could organize a lecture.

Dr. Prakash Barjatia, Chairman of Mumbai State Centre, who was specially present for the occasion welcomed the new Committee and expressed his appreciation of the commitment given by the newly elected members in undertaking the future activities of the Centre.

This was followed by an an interesting presentation made by Dr. Barjatia on Green Lighting and Lighting Education. Dr. Barjatia said that like so many other things Light is taken for granted, but in the present context of global warming it was becoming increasingly important to use energy efficient lighting. He pointed out that it was the wastage resulting from bad lighting that lights up the sky around our cities. The awareness of energy efficient light sources and appropriate luminaries can be spread through greater emphasis on lighting education across the country.

Shri Dinesh Wadhwa, Hon. Secretary gave the vote of thanks. The programme was organised at Hotel South Avenue, Indore, and was well attended by members and other professionals interested in the field of lighting.