

RAJASTHAN STATE CENTRE

Inaugural Programme

July 11, 2009, Jaipur

In its 11th meeting at Jaipur on July 11th the Governing Body decided to approve the request of the Jaipur Local Centre to become a full fledged State Centre as the Rajasthan State Centre since the relevant criteria were met.

The inaugural programme of the State Centre began with a technical seminar on Green lighting – A New Paradigm.

The dignitaries were formally welcomed with traditional Rajasthani safas. This was followed by the lighting of the ceremonial lamp.

Mr. R.S. Saxena, Chairman, Jaipur Local Centre (now Rajasthan State Centre) welcomed the dignitaries, participants and speakers to the inaugural function. The gathering was then addressed briefly by ISLE President, Dr. A.D. Kulkarni and Past Presidents, Mr. H.S. Mamak and Mr. S. Venkataramani.

The first presentation was on Architectural Lighting by Mr. Balakrishna Sugumar, General Manager of Ligman Lighting India. After this Mr. Swarup Bolar, DGM Crompton Greaves made a presentation on Mesopic Vision Street Lighting. The final presentation of the evening on Green Lighting was made by Mr. Jyotirmoy Mathur, Reader, Malaviya National Institute of Technology, Jaipur. This was followed by a discussion on the three presentations.

Mementoes were presented to the speakers and members of the Governing Body by Mr. Saxena and Mr. Jain

Mr. A.K. Jain, Secretary, Jaipur Local Centre proposed a vote of thanks.

The seminar was followed by a vibrant cultural programme featuring folk artistes from Rajasthan. The evening ended with cocktails and dinner.