

Arvind Mehta Technology and Entrepreneurship Centre (AIPMA's AMTEC)

AIPMA's Arvind Mehta Technology and Entrepreneurship Centre (AMTEC) was launched on 16th Feb 2021 in Mumbai with the objective to help MSME's in plastics and its application industry in reducing overall time to design, develop and rapid roll out of products thereby increase speed to global market and compete with China in global market. The Centre was inaugurated in presence of dignitaries from the industry, academia and government. The launch



ceremony was presided by Prof. (Dr.) S.K Nayak, Former Director General, CIPET and currently Vice Chancellor of Ravenshaw University, Odisha. The launch event was witnessed by more than 1000 people both in-person and virtually. Vision behind this novel initiative of AIPMA is to promote high quality knowledge and industrial services for rapid growth of the plastics and its application industry. The Centre of

Excellence is being set up as a triangulation of AIPMA, MSME's and international technology providers to bring MSME's at par with global standards rapidly. The Centre of Excellence would help the industry to graduate from Micro to small, small to medium and medium to large enterprises. The Centre would consist of state-of-the-art Product Innovation & Application Centre consisting of high quality equipment's, leading national and international knowledge partners. Ultimate goal is to provide training and industry services for faster growth of MSME's thereby bringing Indian Plastic Industry at par with China. Initiative of the Centre of Excellence would lead to increased profitability and cash flow for MSME's through productivity enhancement and better quality.

The Centre would provide technology & management services, webinars, digital workshops and certificate courses for student, trainees and industry workers. Five major verticals are being considered for the Centre of Excellence in the areas of Reverse Engineering & metrology, Software design application, 3D printing, Plastics packaging and Management

courses. AIPMA's AMTEC is in process of signing with International knowledge partners such as Cal Zeiss, Autodesk, Stratasys, 3D Systems. Various other knowledge partners are being roped in to help MSME's in the plastics industry.

