

## Performance during January, 2016

- (i) Commission advised issuance of sanction for prosecution in respect of **4** officials of various Ministries/Departments/Organizations.
- (ii) Prosecution sanctions were issued by the Competent Authorities in respect of **15** officials of various Ministries/Departments/Organizations.
- (iii) Commission advised initiation of major penalty proceedings against **90** officials of various Ministries/Departments/Organizations.
- (iv) Commission advised imposition of major penalty against **7** officials of various Ministries/Departments/Organization.
- (v) On the advice of the Commission, the Competent Authorities imposed major penalties in respect of **122** officials of various Ministries/Departments/ Organizations.
- (vi) Commission processed **1825** complaints (including **36** whistle blower complaints) during the month and sought investigation report in **7** complaints from the concerned Ministries/Departments/Organizations.
- (vii) Intensive Examination of **4** works carried out by Chief Technical Examiner's Organization resulted in recoveries to the tune of **₹ 1503.11 lakhs** during January, 2016.
- (viii) Commission provided inputs in respect of **25** cases for vigilance clearance of officials for Board level appointments in CPSE's. In addition, references of **68** officials of All India Services and Central Services were considered for vigilance clearance in matters of empanelment, promotion etc. and inputs provided by the Commission.
- (ix) **12** officers were considered for appointment/empanelment as full time/part time CVOs in various organizations and recommendations were given by the Commission.

### Important activities:

- (i) Shri K.V. Chowdary, Central Vigilance Commissioner delivered lecture on the topic "**Preventive Vigilance : Key to Good Corporate Governance**" on 15<sup>th</sup> Edition of NALCO Foundation Day Lecture Series held on 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2016 at NALCO Bhawan, Bhubaneswar.
- (ii) Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) and the Vigilance Study Circle (Delhi & NCR) convened the 2<sup>nd</sup> Round table Interaction between Chief Vigilance Officers (CVOs) of the Public Sector and their counterparts, the Compliance Officers from the Private Sector on 18<sup>th</sup> January, 2016. As a Chief Guest, Shri K.V. Chowdary, CVC addressed the gathering and said that there is need to bring some provisions in Whistleblowers Act to protect witness that would provide confidence to those who exposes corruption. He also said that we have to look into forensic investigation, being a wider area on a larger note instead of forensic accounting. He mentioned that automation can easily identify the issues and cause. While speaking on usage of IT to detect the fudging activities, he said that awareness on the ways that fudging can be detected can keep the wrongdoers away.

- (iii) Shri K.V. Chowdary, Central Vigilance Commissioner attended Valedictory session of 3-Days Advanced Training in Vigilance Investigation, which was held on 27<sup>th</sup> -29<sup>th</sup> January, 2016 at Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel National Police Academy, Hyderabad.
- (iv) The Central Vigilance Commission had organized a lecture of Shri Shashi Kant Sharma, CAG on the topic of “**Accountability in Public Private Partnerships**” on 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2016.

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