TECHNICAL ACTIVITY CARRIED OUT BY CENTRES

Name of Centre Meerut Local Centre

Title of Activity: World Standards Day

Activity under Divisional Board Statutory Days

Date: 16-10-2024 Venue: Webinar from own place





Title of photo: Screenshot of the Webinar

Brief Report:-

On the occasion of World Standards Day, a webinar was organized on Oct 16, 2024, under the chairmanship of Er. R.P. Agrawal, Chairman of LC Meerut, The Institution of Engineers (India).

On October 16, Er. Kushagra Jindal, Deputy Director at the Bureau of Indian Standards, delivered a presentation in a webinar commemorating World Standards Day, celebrated globally on October 14, 2024. The theme for this year was "Shared Vision for a Better World: Spotlight on SDG 9 - Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure in the Age of AI."

Er. Kushagra emphasized that sustainable development is a guiding principle aimed at meeting human development goals while preserving the natural systems that provide essential resources and ecosystem services, which are crucial to the economy and society. He highlighted the United Nations' commitment, through a General Assembly resolution, to achieving 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by 2030 for a better and more sustainable future.

Focusing on SDG 9, which promotes Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure, Er. Kushagra explained that this goal supports economic development and human wellbeing by advocating for affordable and equitable access to essential resources. He pointed out that functional infrastructure, including water, electricity, and internet, forms the foundation for a quality life, stressing that all countries should be equipped with these basic services.

Er. Kushagra also underscored the significant role young people can play in developing new technologies and generating innovative ideas at a rapid pace. Additionally, he highlighted the importance of energy conservation, encouraging everyone to unplug devices when not in use to save energy.

In the end Er. S.C. Mittal Hony. Secretary, Meerut Local Centre presented vote of thanks.