

## **AsiaConstruct – Construct Asia**

“Building capacities through cooperation”

### **1. Preamble:**

**AsiaConstruct** was founded as a **network of apex organizations** representing construction Industry from Asian continent, in the year 1995, the network includes several Ministries of construction, construction Industry Development Board & Authorities, leading academic bodies, and other research organizations, contributing to the growth and development of construction activities in their geopolitical region.

The present membership comprises of following prominent organizations. Apart from these, we have observer organizations from Australia, Mongolia, Bhutan, Nepal, Maldives & several Asian & African Nations.

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1.	China	Ministry of Housing and Urban-Rural Development, Govt. of P.R of China
2.	Hong Kong	Hong Kong Polytechnic University <a href="http://www.bre.polyu.edu.hk/">http://www.bre.polyu.edu.hk/</a>
3.	India	Construction Industry Development Council <a href="http://www.cidc.in/">http://www.cidc.in/</a>
4.	Indonesia	National Construction Services Development Board, Govt. of Indonesia <a href="http://www.lpjk.org/">http://www.lpjk.org/</a>
5.	Japan	Research Institute of Construction and Economy, Govt. of Japan <a href="http://www.rice.or.jp/e-home/e-home.html">http://www.rice.or.jp/e-home/e-home.html</a> .
6.	Korea	Korea Research Institute for Human Settlements, Govt. of Korea <a href="http://www.krihs.re.kr/english/main/main.asp">http://www.krihs.re.kr/english/main/main.asp</a>
7.	Malaysia	Construction Industry Development Board, Govt. of Malaysia <a href="http://www.cidb.gov.my/">http://www.cidb.gov.my/</a>
8.	New Zealand	Department of Building and Housing, Govt. of New Zealand <a href="http://www.dbh.govt.nz/">http://www.dbh.govt.nz/</a>
9.	The Philippines	Construction Industry Authority of The Philippines
10.	Singapore	Building and Construction Authority, Govt. of Singapore <a href="http://www.bca.gov.sg/">http://www.bca.gov.sg/</a>

11.	Sri Lanka	Institute for Construction Training and Development, Govt. of Sri Lanka <a href="http://www.ictad.lk/">http://www.ictad.lk/</a>
12.	Vietnam	Ministry of Construction, Govt. of Vietnam Hanoi Architectural University National Institute of Urban & Rural Planning

Construction Industry Development Council of India joined this network as a full member, representing India on the Managing Body of AsiaConstruct in 1996, and has been actively participating in all the events for past decades.

**AsiaConstruct convenes an annual conference & exposition** in Asian & Pacific Rim countries, since inception, where the member organizations & Industry majors from the member as well as non member countries join to share their experiences & good practices for the benefit of Asian, Pacific Rim Countries, & now African Economies.

CIDC, was nominated as the host organization to organize the 7<sup>th</sup> AsiaConstruct event in New Delhi, which attracted over 1000 delegates & 200 exhibitors.

**After a decade, India has the honour & privilege to host the 17<sup>th</sup> AsiaConstruct Event, once again in New Delhi during the later part of this year.**

## 2. Objective of AsiaConstruct

- a. To **forge alliances** & Regional cooperation among all constituents of Construction Industry from Various Nations.
- b. To **share & disseminate information about the economic pointers, regulatory frame work, business opportunities, technologies, and the good practices being followed by different Nations.**
- c. To **exchange views**, ideas leading to better implementation of construction Projects.
- d. To **showcase** the potentials & prowesses of product **manufacturers & service providers** to enhance bilateral / multilateral trade.
- e. To evolve a **database** for the use of all stakeholders.

## 3. Objectives of 17<sup>th</sup> AsiaConstruct

Being the second largest economic activity in the nation, with an annual expenditure of Rs 410,000 crores & a consistent growth rate of over 10%, Construction Industry enjoys the most prominent place in the national economy.

Considering its importance, Govt. of India inducted a separate chapter on construction in the 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> National Plans.

The plan documents articulate the issues needing attention of the Government as well as the reform process to be initiated for better performance of the Industry. Several seminars & conferences have deliberated on the issues, however, such deliberations have been on the issues related to individual sub-sectors of Construction Industry. However, there is a need of a holistic approach for sustainable development of the industry.

There is also an issue of learning from the Industry of other nations, specially from member countries of AsiaConstruct. The focus of 17<sup>th</sup> AsiaConstruct Conference is to raise such issues, cutting across sub-sectoral domains & also to take cognizance of the developments/ reforms introduced in other countries.

The event shall also present an excellent opportunity to initiate & strengthen multilateral alliances among the public & corporates of multinational origin.

It is proposed to have a direct focus on following sub- sectors;

- I. Cement Industry
- II. Construction Equipment Industry
- III. Contractors
- IV. Consultants
- V. Steel Manufacturing Industry
- VI. Oil & Petroleum Industry
- VII. Hydro power
- VIII. Non Ferrous Metal Industry
- IX. Banks/FIs
- X. Defense Construction
- XI. Insurance Sector
- XII. Other materials Manufacturing Industry
- XIII. Healthcare Infrastructure

Several partner states too, shall participate in this prestigious event & shall showcase the work opportunities available with them, to benefit corporate houses & participants from other nations.

The event shall have a series of focused seminars, on the issues confronting respective sub-sectors, where industry leaders shall participate.

The event shall bring out the new & innovative technologies, plans & models which have been adopted in other nations for smooth transition & building of physical infrastructure, and inter – alia, open up possibilities in several infrastructure sectors for all constituents of Construction Industry.

The event shall also showcase new products & services to enable the stakeholders to expand the ambit of their business, instill efficiency & bring economy in their working.

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