

SH. A. K. SINGH, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, PMSG, NHPC LTD. HAS TAKEN OVER AS PRESIDENT, ISEG



Sh. A. K. Singh, Executive Director, NHPC was recently elected as the 28th President of Indian Society of Engineering Geology (ISEG) for the term 2020-21. The charge was formally handed over to him by his predecessor Prof. K. Seshagiri Rao, President, ISEG 2018-19 by handing over the Presidential shield during the AGM of the society held on 11.01.2020 at NHPC Office Complex, Faridabad.



Prof. K.S. Rao, President ISEG 2018-19 is handing over the Presidential Shield to Sh. A. K. Singh, President, 2020-21

A Civil Engineer by profession, Sh. A. K. Singh joined NHPC as probationary executive in 1985 after completing graduation from NIT, Durgapur. In his illustrious career spanning more than 35 years he has been involved from inception to commissioning stage civil works of numerous hydropower projects viz. Tanakpur Project (94.2 MW), Dhauliganga Project (280 MW), TLDP-IV Project (160 MW), Parbati Stage-II Project (800 MW), Parbati Stage-

III Project (520 MW) etc. with responsibilities ranging from construction management of key project components to the Head of the Project (HoP) and Regional Head roles. His contributions in resuming the stalled tunnelling works through TBM at Parbati-II Project and acquisition of Lanco Teesta Hydro Power Corporation implementing Teesta – VI (500 MW) project by NHPC through NCLT are immense. Presently as Executive Director of NHPC he is looking after three important Corporate Divisions i.e. Project Monitoring & Support Group, Construction and Equipment Planning and Renewable Energy & Consultancy. He is also Designated as the Chief Executive Officer of Bundelkhand Saur Urja Limited (a JV of NHPC & UPNEDA), to oversee all functions of the joint venture company.

Considering his contribution to Hydropower development and Water Resources Sector in India, he been conferred with ‘HYDRO RATNA’ award by REPA (Renewable Energy Promotion Association) and ENERTIA Foundation.

In his welcome address Sh. Singh expressed his sincere gratitude to all the ISEG members for providing him the opportunity to serve as president of this prestigious society. He stressed upon the important role of ISEG in providing a technical platform wherein geoscientists and engineers can sit together and exchange their technical knowledge in resolving the complex geotechnical issues in hydropower and infrastructure projects. He assured his full support and cooperation in raising endeavour of the society in new heights. He also sought support and cooperation from all the members in achieving the future goals of the society.