

INTERNAL INITIATIVES / ACTIVITIES

1. DATA BANK

CFI is continuously developing a data bank incorporating the various facets of construction sector. A wide spectrum of subjects are being incorporated to facilitate information at a single point which would inter-alia include macro-economic indicators relevant to construction, economic policy finance, taxation, government policies on foreign direct investment, foreign trade, Standard Bidding Document, RFQ / RFP, etc.

2. CFI WEBSITE

The website (www.cfiindia.com) of CFI is being continuously updated and improved to provide relevant information to the CFI members and construction fraternity. The inputs from different desks of CFI are regularly incorporated on the website.

3. RESEARCH DESK

The Research Desk regularly keeps the members apprised of latest announcements of Government policies and projects in roads & highways, civil aviation, urban infrastructure, railways, urban infrastructure, etc.

Research Desk compiles and conducts analysis of data and information having a direct or indirect bearing on the activities as well as future prospects of the construction sector. To this end, the desk also keeps track of related macro-economic issues, new policy announcements, changes in laws / rules / regulations etc.,

4. TAXATION DESK

The desk collects and disseminates information on tax related matters including Goods & Services Taxes (GST), Direct & Indirect taxes as well as the special levies if any imposed on the construction sector. The desk also regularly keeps the members informed of important judgements and rulings while representing the voice of the industry to the policy makers through various representations and recommendations.

5. NEWS UPDATE DESK

Members are kept informed and updated about the latest developments in construction sector through circulation of relevant press clippings from leading newspapers viz, Economic Times, The Hindu Business Line, The Financial Express, Live Mint, Business Standard, etc, on day-to-day basis.

The members are also regularly informed of the PIB Press Releases on Infrastructure, Responses to questions on Infrastructure sector raised in Parliament, Extracts relating to construction and infrastructure sector in various policy pronouncements of Ministry of Finance, Reserve Bank of India, etc.