

IICA participates in programme on “Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) - New Legal Dimensions”

Mr. Nikhil Pant, Chief Programme Executive, NFCSR, IICA, attended a live telecast programme on the topic “Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) – New Legal Dimensions” organised at IGNOU campus, New Delhi on May 3, 2014.

The programme was telecast by the School of Law, IGNOU, in order to create awareness among common masses on legal issues and concerns. The programme highlighted the importance of CSR as an emerging area in policy interventions mandating a commitment from the business communities towards collective good. In light of the new CSR mandate in the Companies Act 2013, it is felt that CSR has a big role to play in social development.

The programme shed light on Section 135 of the new Companies Act 2014 and its implications for companies. The role of IICA as an enabler in the better implementation of this law was also discussed.