

FROM THE DESK OF THE GENERAL SECRETARY

HONY. EDITOR, JILTA

As per recommendation of the Executive Committee, Dr. Goutam Mukherjee, a Life Member of our Association and an Associate Professor, Govt. College of Engineering & Leather Technology, Kolkata has kindly taken over as the Hony. Editor, JILTA with immediate effect.

CHIEF CO-ORDINATOR, LEXPO SECRETARIAT

The Executive Committee at its 430th meeting held on 31st October 2011 recommended Mr. Mrinal Kanti Chakraborty as the Chief Coordinator, Lexpo Secretariat for the period 2011-2013. Mr. Chakraborty has kindly consented. The names of the members of the Secretariat will be announced in due course.

DURGAPUR LEXPO - II

The inaugural ceremony took place at 4 pm on Saturday 26th November 2011 at the Gandhi More Maidan, City Centre, Durgapur.

Mr. Pradipta Konar, Convenor, Durgapur Lexpo – II addressed the gathering outlining the purpose of organizing Lexpo. Mr. Mrinal Kanti Chakraborty, Chief Coordinator, Lexpo Secretariat elaborated on the objectives of organizing Lexpo at various locations. Mr. Susanta Mallick, General Secretary was the next to address the gathering. Mr. Mallick highlighted the versatile activities of ILTA and its contribution in last 61 years for the development of leather industry.

After delivering his inaugural address, Mr. Rathin Roy, Mayor, Durgapur Municipal Corporation inaugurated the fair by lighting a lamp.

The ceremony ended with the Convenor offering a vote of thanks to all concerned.

Nearly 50 stalls have been put up. The fair will continue up to 11th December 2011.

SILIGURI LEXPO - XVIII

This will be held at Kanchanjungha Krirangan adjacent maidan in Siliguri from 18th January to 2nd February 2012.

MEMBERS' SUGGESTION IN RESPECT OF ACTIVITIES OTHER THAN ROUTINE ACTIVITIES DURING THE PERIOD 2011-2013

Vide our letter dated 8th November 2011, all members have been requested to offer their suggestions by 31st December 2011 in respect of activities other than routine activities that may be undertaken during 2011-2013 period.

Along with the letter attached is a list of activities that were undertaken during 2009-2011 and also the routine activities proposed to be undertaken during 2011-2013.

Kindly offer your valuable suggestions just as soon as possible.

We have also approached different Associations, Academic Institutes, Research Centres and CLE for their feed back on organizing any programme jointly for the growth and development of the leather, leather goods, chemicals and their allied industries.

Susanta Mallick
General Secretary

<p>Executive Committee Members meet every Thursday at 18-30 hrs. at ILTA Office. Members willing to participate are most welcome.</p>
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