Summits / Conferences Attended in the area of Infrastructure

The researcher as part of this study could attend many conferences and seminars in the past seven years in the infrastructure sector which has helped in understanding the subject in deep and in sharpening the perspective. Incidentally, the meetings with many executives of banks, financial institutions and infrastructure companies in these conferences has helped in networking and establishing contacts which have helped a great deal in this study. On a few occasions the researcher has also been invited as moderator and resource person for some of these conferences. The following is the list of such conferences/ seminars ad summits.


4. Maharashtra Infrastructure Summit, 10-12 Nov 2002, an international summit with complete participation of the entire set of Ministries and the Chief Minister of Maharashtra with delegation of international investors from 15 countries conducted by Maharashtra Economic Development Council (MEDC) and the Industries department of the Government of Maharashtra. The summit was a precursor to passing the Maharashtra Infrastructure Development and Support Act, 2002 (referred commonly as MIDAS ACT, 2002) by the State.

6. International Conference and Exhibition on “Indian Ports & Shipping, 2002”, Dec 8-10, 2002 with the theme “the future is now” conducted by the Bombay Chamber of Commerce & Industry (BCCI) and supported by Union Ministry of Shipping at Mumbai.


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