## Exposure Visit: New Recruits of NIC Chhattisgarh interacted with the Collector Raipur



The exposure visit of the newly joined NICians was planned on 28<sup>th</sup> July 2021 to Raipur District, Chhattisgarh. The team headed by Shri P. RamaRao, ASIO(District) visited the Collectorate and interacted with Shri P. K. Mishra, DIO, Raipur.

DIO took them on a round of the Collectorate. The team interacted with user departments and tried to grasp the role of NIC in District Governance.



A meeting with the Collector was organized on the Occasion. Dr. A. K. Hota, DDG &SIO joined along with senior officers of NIC, Chhattisgarh to receive the Collector with flower bouquet.

SIO giving his welcome address informed that **Shri Saurabh Kumar, IAS is a man on a mission.** He had initiated unique career counselling programmes named **"Lunch with the Collector**" and parents interaction programme titled "**Evening**  with the Collector" in his earlier tenure. He had received Prime Minister's Award in 2017 for converting Naxal-hit Palnar village of Dantewada into a cashless village.



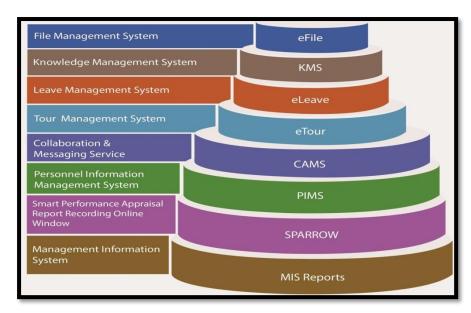
The Collector released the "e-Governance Services Profile" of Raipur District.



The newly joined NICians after being received by the DIO with rose buds, interacted with the Collector.

Addressing them Collector told that it is a good opportunity to work in Chhattisgarh. He shared his experiences with NIC in different domain and informed that NIC is developing the solutions as per the customer needs and that's why it has high user acceptance and sustainability. He added that Domain expertise is the key strength of NIC and advised to keep ears and eyes open and grasp as much domain knowledge possible during the induction training. SIO gave a brief presentation on eOffice Product suite. Collector agreed to implement the eOffice in the district in a phased manner.

He asked DIO to book a VC with NIC Hqrs eOffice team



to understand the required preparedness at the district level.

SIO requested the Collector to plan for proper space for NIC District Centre with a training hall, ICT Library, eGovernance Development Centre etc. in the proposed new Collectorate. He agreed for the same and asked DIO to submit a detailed proposal.

The meeting concluded with Vote of Thanks by Shri T. N. Singh, ASIO(State).