

Visit of Ms. Alka Misra, DDG to Odisha State Centre, NIC, Bhubaneswar

Ms. Alka Misra, DDG and HOG (Network and Security for MHA and IVFRT (CPO and Missions) Division, IVFRT Project, eGovernment Procurement System, Open Data Technology, Web Technology, User Experience Design and Technology (UxDT) Division) visited Odisha State Centre, NIC, Bhubaneswar during 3rd - 4th May, 2023. She interacted with all the officers of Odisha State Centre, National Infrastructure Unit and Centre of Excellence for Application Security at Bhubaneswar.

She was received by SIO and other officials on her arrival at NIC. After her grand welcome a detailed presentation was given by Dr. Ashok Kumar Hota, DDG and SIO on 'Highlights of present activities and future visions' followed by the presentations by Shri C. R. Kanungo, DDG and HO, National Infrastructure Unit (NIU) on 'NIU's infrastructure and activities' and by Ms. Snigdha Acharya, DDG and Head, Centre of Excellence for Application Security on 'Centre of Excellence's activities'.



Ms. Alka Misra, DDG & HOG welcomed by Dr. A. K. Hota, DDG & SIO with other Officers

Ms. Alka Misra, DDG addressed the officers present in the hall as well as those connected through VC from all the district units of the State. She appreciated the initiatives of Odisha towards contribution of National projects like SATHI, PBOX, eDetection, EV Subsidy etc. which are developed by Odisha State Centre, NIC and getting implemented PAN India. She also advised to conceive and develop more such projects which may be implemented throughout the country. In her address she discussed about GIGW 3.0, S3WaaS, Open data and many other important concepts including Cyber Security. She also emphasized on punctualities in the office, on training and capacity building and advised to involve the DIOs and ADIOs in various state and central level projects.



Ms. Alka Misra, DDG & HOG addressing the Officers of Odisha State Centre

On this occasion she joined with other Senior Officers to release 'The Ascender', April, 2023 edition of the monthly newsletter of Odisha State Centre.



April, 2023 edition of the newsletter 'The Ascender' being launched

She looked at floor-wise Server rooms of NDC, Opensource upstream OpenStack Setup and interacted with HoDs of NDC regarding Current Utilization Openstack Cluster, Container and Kubernetes as Service etc.

She visited Odisha Legislative Assembly (OLA) and had meeting with the Secretary, Odisha Legislative Assembly and appreciated the progress of NeVA implementation in Odisha. She visited the NeVA cell and interacted with all officials.



Ms. Alka Misra, DDG & HOG with SIO and other Officers meeting with Secretary, OLA



Ms. Alka Misra, DDG & HOG with all officers of NeVA Cell, OLA, Bhubaneswar

Madam visited State eProcurement Cell (SPC), Bhubaneswar and had meeting with EIC - Works, CM-Technical (SPC) and other Senior Officers regarding end to end eProcurement and GePNIC-NeSL integration.



Officers from NIC Delhi headed by Smt. Usha Saxena, **HOD** - eGovernment Procurement System (APSS and GPSS), Open Data Technology and officers from NIC Chennai headed by Shri S. Sivaramaselvan, Scientist-F, had joined over VC.



The process for GePNIC-NeSI integration for eBG-Bid and eBG-LOI/LOA were discussed. eLottery modalities and the criticality in its implementation to initiate the module was explained by NIC Chennai. It was appreciated that process for end to end integration with WAMIS is almost complete and it's testing completion and availability in production is likely to be over by end of this month. For final deliberation and testing of all pending processes, the SPC team proposed for a visit to NIC-Chennai for in-depth deliberations on the domain.