

NIC Telangana: Superannuation function – 31st October 2025

A Celebration of Dedication and Excellence at NIC Telangana

The National Informatics Centre, Telangana, organized a warm and memorable Superannuation Function on 31st October 2025 at the 6th Floor Conference Hall, NIC Hyderabad, to honour two distinguished officers — **Shri K. Ganapathi Rao, Scientist-F & Senior Director (IT)**, and **Shri S. Ravindar, Scientist-E & Director (IT)** — on the occasion of their retirement.



The event was graced by senior officers, colleagues, and staff from NIC Telangana and district centres who gathered to celebrate the illustrious careers and contributions of the retirees.



The session was started and hosted by **Mr. Ravi Bandi, Scientist-C and Welfare Officer, NIC Telangana.**

Highlights of the Event

Opening Ceremony

The function commenced with a warm welcome and opening remarks, setting a tone of respect and celebration. A short video titled *“Bye Bye Tension, Welcome Pension”* brought smiles and laughter, perfectly reflecting the joyous spirit of the day.

Dais Welcome

Dignitaries and the superannuating officers, along with their families, were invited onto the dais.

The dignitaries included:

- **Shri. Guntuku Prasad**, State Informatics Officer (SIO), NIC Telangana
- **Smt. Achuta Venu**, Additional SIO (ASIO-State), NIC Telangana

They were joined by **Shri K. Ganapathi Rao** and **Shri S. Ravindar & Smt. Tulasi**, whose presence was warmly applauded by all attendees.



Profiles & Felicitations

Heartfelt narrations of the career journeys of both officers were presented:



- Profile of **Shri K. Ganapathi Rao** – read by **Shri Rakesh Gundi, Scientist-F**



- Profile of **Shri S. Ravindar** – read by **Shri G. Srikanth, Scientist-F & ASIO (Districts)**

Brief Profiles

Shri K Ganapathi Rao

A native of **Rudraram village in Nalgonda District**, Shri Ganapathi Rao joined NIC on **2nd January 1991**, beginning his service at **NIC Karnataka (Gulbarga District Centre)** and later transferring to **NIC Nalgonda** in 1998.

With an educational background that includes an **M.Sc. (Information Technology)** and **PGDCA from Osmania University**, he rose through the ranks to become **Scientist-F**, serving a distinguished tenure of over **34 years**.

He played a pivotal role in the implementation of several flagship e-Governance initiatives such as **Land Records Computerisation, Webland, ePanchayat, eOffice, eHospital, and Election Monitoring Systems**. He was instrumental in modernizing district-level ICT infrastructure and led numerous successful projects across **Nalgonda, Yadadri-Bhuvanagiri, Suryapet, Nagarkurnool, and Wanaparthy** districts.

His dedicated service has been recognized with multiple **Commendation Certificates** and a **Telangana Formation Day Award** for exemplary performance. His humility, leadership, and technical excellence have left a lasting impression on the NIC fraternity.

Shri S. Ravindar

Born in **Hasanpur village, Karimnagar District**, Shri Ravindar began his journey with NIC on **21st November 1992** as a **Scientific Assistant-A** at Jalgaon District, Maharashtra. Over a career spanning more than **32 years**, he contributed significantly to major national ICT initiatives.

An alumnus of **Osmania University** with an **M.Sc. in Mathematics** and **PGDCA**, Shri Ravindar served at the **Parliament Informatics Division, New Delhi**, and later joined **NIC Telangana State Centre** in 2017.

He was the key developer of numerous mission-critical systems for **Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha**, including the **Parliament Debates System, Members' Salary Systems, Reference Registration, Budget Monitoring, and E-Notices System**. In Telangana, he contributed to projects such as the **e-Mining System** and **Land Records Updation Program (LRUP)**.

Shri Ravindar is highly respected for his calm demeanour, problem-solving approach, and deep technical expertise, that have greatly benefited both NIC and the institutions he served.

Following this, a formal felicitation ceremony took place:

- Mementos and shawls were presented by **Shri Guntuku Prasad, SIO, Telangana** and **Smt. Achuta Venu, ASIO (State)**
- Flower bouquets were presented to both families in appreciation of their enduring support.
- PPO documents and ID cards were ceremonially handed over by **Shri John Peter, Section Officer**, and **Smt. Mini Paul, Assistant Section Officer**.
- As a gesture of gratitude, trolley bags were also presented to both officers by the SIO and the Section Officer.



Tributes from AINOA and Various Teams

Representatives from AINOA (NIC Telangana) and Various Teams extended their felicitations, acknowledging the retirees' contributions to organizational growth, digital innovation, and mentorship.





Messages and Reflections

Colleagues, family members, and officers from various district centres shared emotional messages, fond memories, and anecdotes that reflected the humility, leadership, and professionalism of both officers.

This was followed by addresses from **SIO Telangana** and **ASIO Telangana**, who highlighted the significant milestones achieved under the guidance of **Shri Ganapathi Rao** and **Shri Ravindar**.

Words of Wisdom from the Retirees

In their farewell addresses, **Shri K. Ganapathi Rao** and **Shri S. Ravindar** expressed heartfelt gratitude to their colleagues, mentors, and the NIC fraternity. They spoke of their enriching journeys, the evolving digital mission of NIC, and their pride in being part of a transformative era in e-Governance.

Concluding Felicitations

The final segment of the program saw individual and group felicitations from various divisions and departments, symbolizing the deep respect and affection both officers commanded across the organization.

Conclusion

The function concluded on a note of celebration and gratitude.

NIC Telangana extended its heartfelt thanks to **Shri K. Ganapathi Rao** and **Shri S. Ravindar** for their decades of dedicated service, technical excellence, and leadership that inspired generations of professionals.

“Retirement is not the end of a career, but the beginning of a new chapter filled with peace, joy, and cherished memories. We wish both officers a fulfilling and joyous retired life.”
