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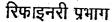
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Dear Mr. Lokesh Patel \N.P.Shah

Sub: VISIT TO IFSDM

Thanks for your invitation for the inauguration of "Institute of Fire Safety and Disaster Management at Por, Baroda, which was graced by many dignitaries including Ministers & Govt officials & MLAs from Gujarat Govt.

As an in-charge for Fire & Safety of the biggest PSU oil refinery of India I was greatly impressed with the set up and arrangements made at the Institute. Such highly sophisticated Fire Training facility developed and the practical live demo of various facilities was very impressive.

Availability of such sophisticated facilities now operational in our country will be very useful for educating and training various levels of people in the whole country. This will be the first in our country to have such elaborate facility. Such unique facility for imparting training is long awaited in our country as no such live fire training facility is extended in any of the present training schools in India. I am sure that even a layman will get himself well conversed with the advanced fire fighting technologies of modern time.

The institute IFSDM, the first of its kind in India, would prove to be highly beneficial to various levels of personnel working in Oil Sector, Power Sector, Civil Defense and other PSU organizations wherein presently the need is.

Kudos to your Institution and I wish all the success to this institution dedicated to fire and safety. I am sure that your Institute will attract various levels of candidates, not only from India, but also from abroad. I strongly feel and recommend that industries should enroll their personnel in your Training Institute for live fire fighting training that will enrich their skills, which will reduce the losses to a greater extent.

I congratulate you for setting up this dedicated facility, certainly a great gift and asset to our Nation.

Thank you once again for inviting me to IFDSM.

Yours sincefely.

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