

Performance during February, 2017

- (i) Commission advised issuance of sanction for prosecution in respect of **10** officials of various Ministries/Departments/Organizations.
- (ii) Prosecution sanctions were issued by the Competent Authorities in respect of **3** officials of various Ministries/Departments/Organizations.
- (iii) Commission advised initiation of major penalty proceedings against **75** officials of various Ministries/Departments/Organizations.
- (iv) Commission advised imposition of major penalty against **9** officials of various Ministries/Departments/Organization.
- (v) On the advice of the Commission, the Competent Authorities imposed major penalties in respect of **64** officials of various Ministries/Departments/ Organizations.
- (vi) Commission processed **1262** complaints (including **74** whistle blower complaints) during the month and sought investigation report in **1** complaint from the concerned Ministries/Departments/Organizations.
- (vii) Intensive Examination of **01** work carried out by Chief Technical Examiner's Organization resulted in recoveries to the tune of **₹ 599.30 lakh** during **February, 2017**.
- (viii) Commission provided inputs in respect of **14** cases for vigilance clearance of officials for Board level appointments in CPSE's. In addition, references of **750** officials of All India Services and Central Services were considered for vigilance clearance in matters of empanelment, promotion etc. and inputs provided by the Commission.
- (ix) **16** officers were considered for appointment/empanelment as full time/part time CVOs in various organizations and recommendations were given by the Commission.

Important activities:

- (i) Shri K.V. Chowdary, Central Vigilance Commissioner attended the meeting of the Executive Committee of the International Association of Anti-Corruption Authorities, which was presided by HE. Dr. Ali Al Marri-Attorney General of the State of Qatar on 27-28th February, 2017.
- (ii) Shri K.V.Chowdary, Central Vigilance Commissioner inaugurated two-day International HR Summit 2017 organized by SCOPE at New Delhi on 20th February, 2017. While addressing the august gathering, CVC observed that HR today is facing a big challenge of managing the diverse workforce having diverse expectations and high ambitions. He underlined that HR needs to identify areas of training that their employees need and advised HR executives to build a bond between employees and the organization. CVC also mentioned that HR needs to be a facilitator in striking a work life balance that will have a huge impact on the quality of work the employee performs.

- (iii) The Central Vigilance Commission's monthly lecture was delivered by Professor Ashish Nanda, Director, IIM Ahmadabad on the topic "Rights and Responsibilities of the public officials" on 16th February, 2017.

- (iv) The Commission convened Annual Zonal/Sectoral Review Meetings with the Chief Executives/CMDs and Chief Vigilance Officers of **Steel & Mines Sector** and **Defence Sector** on 1st February, 2017. During the meeting, Commission emphasized various aspects of vigilance administration, the need for bringing greater transparency and accountability in the functioning and for undertaking systemic improvements, leveraging of technology through e-procurement etc. The Commission also underscored the need for updation of Manuals, sensitization of officials by conducting training programmes, effecting rotational transfer of officials, as well as expeditious finalization of departmental proceedings. Further, matters pertaining to pendency of complaints/cases, delay in processing of vigilance cases and cases pertaining to sanction of prosecution were also reviewed by the Commission in the review meeting.
