

# AEROMART SUMMIT - INDIA CONFERENCES PROGRAM

## 2.00PM GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

Karnataka : Aerospace hub of India

SPEAKER: Sri R.V Deshpande, *Minister of Large and Medium Scale Industries and Infrastructure Development*



### Biography:

Mr. Raghunath Vishwanth Rao Deshpande, holds a B.A. Degree with honours and an LLB Degree. He began his political career as the President of Karnataka State Co-operative Agriculture & Rural Development Bank. He has held many coveted posts in his political career spanned for more than 43 years

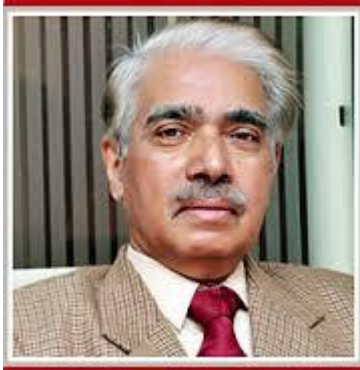
He has achieved number of accomplishments during his tenure as Minister for Small Scale Industries, Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Housing & Urban Development, Minister for Co-operation and Minister for Tourism. People of the state witnessed constructive politics, when he was the Leader of Opposition in the Karnataka state Assembly.

He is currently spearheading the Industries and Infrastructure Development in the State. His mission is to make Karnataka the most business friendly state in India. He is committed towards providing state of the art infrastructure facilities and development across all sectors improving 'Ease of Doing Business' in Karnataka

**2.30PM SIATI/AESI**

An overview of Indian Aerospace Industry

SPEAKER: Dr. C. G. Krishnadas Nair., *Honorary President*



Biography:

Padma Shree awardee Dr.C.G.Krishnadas Nair, an eminent technocrat in the field of aerospace with national and international reputation is the founder of SIATI. He has made significant contributions in aerospace engineering, R&D, education, industry and management. He transformed Hindustan Aeronautics Limited into a globally competent aerospace industry with emphasis on research, design and development, collaborating with National Laboratories, Academia, Indian private industries and international aerospace organizations.

Dr.C.G.Krishnadas Nair established International Institute of Aerospace Engineering and Management (IIAEM) first of its kind in India as a collaborative venture between Jain University, SIATI, and leading Aerospace and aviation organizations.

He led the design and development of Advanced Light helicopters, jet trainer and fighter aircraft, and was actively associated with ISRO in developing advanced materials, structures and process tech for satellite and Launch vehicles and with DRDO for structures and engines for Prithvi and Agni Missiles. He served as President of Aeronautical Society of India and President, Indian Institute of Metals. He is founder President of Society of Indian Aerospace and Industries (SIATI) and founder Chairman of Society of Defence Technologies (SODET) and contributed to the growth of private sector participation in aerospace and Defense.

**3.00PM AIRBUS**

Procurement policy and strategy

SPEAKER: Mr Olivier Devaux, *Head supplier development support/procurement India – Middle East – Singapore & Thailand*



Biography:

Olivier has joined Airbus India in the P team from September 2013 as Head of Supplier Development (POLZ) for India – Middle East – Singapore & Thailand. He has taken over the role of Acting Head of Sourcing Office India since May 2016. He's based out of Airbus India Bangalore office.

Olivier has done his Master Degree in Business Law & Post Master Degree in Marketing from IAE Toulouse in 1997.

He has started his career in EADS Sogerma in 1998 in the Procurement Domain then has lead Procurement Quality & Supply Chain activities in Airbus France. He has ensured in country since 2006 Supplier Development Activities in China, Malaysia (2010) and India (2013).

**3.30PM BREAK (30min)**

**4.00PM SAAB AERONAUTICS**

SAAB and the make in India policy

SPEAKER: Mats Palmberg, *Vice President Industrial Partnerships*



Biography:

Overall responsibility for the activities with respect to Gripen in India. Member of the executive management team at Saab Aeronautics, a business unit within Saab AB with main focus on Gripen and other flying systems for defence use. Mats has been with the company for some 30 years in various positions in areas such as engineering, management, marketing & business development.

**4.20PM SAAB AERONAUTICS**

Procurement strategy and requirements in India

SPEAKER: Falk Johan, *Head of Sourcing & Supply*



Biography :

Johan Falk is the Head of Sourcing and Supply at Saab Aeronautics . He has a combined experience of 25 years in Aerospace and Sourcing.

**4.40PM MAINI GROUP**

Essentials of robust supply chain management

SPEAKER: Mr Naresh Palta, *Chief Exec. Officer, Aerospace & Defence*



Biography :

Mr. Naresh Palta is the CEO (Aerospace & Defence) of Maini Group Bengaluru. He is steering a drive to deploy the products and competencies of the Maini group, a leader in innovation, green people/equipment movement products, material handling and high precision manufacture, into the Aerospace, Aviation and Defence sectors extensively. Mr. Palta had joined the Maini group in Dec 2008 as CEO of its Aerospace Manufacturing SBU. Under his leadership, a number of international and domestic customers were added to the Group's portfolio, resulting in substantial growth.

Prior to Maini Group, Mr. Palta worked at Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL) in various positions in a wide variety of fields, from 1969 onwards. In senior leadership roles, he led three SBUs of HAL at Lucknow, Hyderabad and Korwa. As Corporate Executive Director at HAL, his last appointment in HAL, he brought a paradigm shift in HAL's After-Market Support and Quality Assurance. He retired from HAL in November 2008.

Mr. Naresh Palta is a 1969 alumni of Punjab Engineering College, Chandigarh, in Aeronautical Engineering and has a Diploma in Management in 1987. He is also an alumni of the Air Force Technical College, Bangalore.

### 5.10PM **THYSSENKRUPP**

Evolution of Indian Aerospace Supply Chain

SPEAKER: Gopi Hanumanthappa, *ThyssenKrupp Aerospace India, Managing Director*



#### Biography:

Mr Gopi Hanumanthappa started his career as Asst General Manager at Constellium from 1989-2003 for 14 years. He switched to Hindalco industries Limited from 2004 – 2006 for 2 years.

Previously he was working with Tyco as Director for 1 year. He has pursued his BE in Metallurgy from National Institute of Technology, Durgapur.