Integrated Development of Leather Sector (IDLS) Scheme provides investment grant for modernization, technology upgradation and capacity expansion in all segments of the leather industry. The CLE is the Facilitation Agency for receipt of applications from units, and coordination with stakeholders FDDI, CLRI, SIDBI and Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion (DIPP), Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Govt of India. Being the Facilitation Agency, the CLE is pursuing with recipients of the Sanction Letter from the DIPP, Government of India to approach SIDBI for completing documentations, guiding them on the documentations so that the SIDBI Branches could lodge the claim with the SIDBI HO, Lucknow. Based on this, the SIDBI HO consolidates the cases which are ready for disbursements, and send fund request to the DIPP.

The Open House Meets for IDLS Scheme are being conducted at CLE Offices, every Wednesday, at Chennai, New Delhi, Agra, Jalandhar, Kanpur, Kolkata & Mumbai. All issues concerning the IDLS Scheme are taken up in these Open House Meets including documentations, application submission & Processing, formalities to be done with the SIDBI after receipt of Sanction Letter, claim lodging & fund disbursement.

Shri K Abdul Sattar Khan, Regional Director(South), Shri O P Pandey, Regional Director(Central), Shri Sanjay Kumar, Regional Director(North), Shri Tapan Chattopadhyay, Regional Director(East), and Shri D K Acharya, Regional Director(West) conducts the Open House Meets at their respective Regional Offices. Shri R K Shukla, Assistant Director for Agra, conducts the meetings at Agra. Similarly, office in charge Shri Sachin Behl organized the meetings at Jalandhar.

Shri A. Fayaz Ahmad, Assistant Director (ILDP), Head Office, is present at the Open House Meets held at Chennai, and also takes part in the Open House Meets from the CLE HO through Video Conference or Mobile Phone, and makes clarifications and guidance on case-to-case basis, guidelines for receipt of applications, technical and financial appraisal coordination, documentations to be completed with SIDBI etc, and holds discussions with the units.

In this issue, the 9th to 12th editions of the Open House Meets for IDLS Scheme, held from Nov 20, 2013 to Dec 11, 2013 is covered. In all, 13 units attended 9th meet (20.11.2013), 15 units attended 10th meet (27.11.2013), 16 units attended the 11th meet (04.12.2013) & 5 Units attended the 12th meet (11.12.2013).

All the production units in the leather sector are requested to attend the Open House Meet for IDLS Scheme, which is held every Wednesday at CLE offices. The details of the application submissions, documents required as enclosures, process to be followed with the SIDBI etc will be explained by the CLE during the open house meetings for the benefit of the industry.

Open House Meet in Western Region, December 4, 2013
Open House Meet in Central Region, December 4, 2013
Open House Meet in Central Region, November 27, 2013

Shri O.P. Pandey, RD, CLE (CR) interacting with participants

Open House Meet in Central Region, November 20, 2013

Shri P.N. Pandey, AEPO interacting with a participant

Open House Meet in Southern Region, November 20, 2013

Shri A. Fayaz Ahmed, Asst. Director examining the documents

Open House Meet in Southern Region, November 27, 2013

Shri A. Fayaz Ahmad, Asst. Director (left) interacting with a participant

Participants at the meet

Shri K. Abdul Sattar Khan, Regional Director (SR) (Centre) clarifying a point

A view of the participants
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Open House Meet in Southern Region, December 4, 2013

Shri A. Fayaz Ahmad, Asst. Director (left) and Shri K. Abdul Sattar Khan, Regional Director (SR) at the meet along with representative of Axis Bank.

A view of participants.

Open House Meet in Southern Region, December 11, 2013

Mr. K Abdul Sattar Khan, Regional Director (SR), CLE conducted the Open House Meet. Mr. A. Fayaz Ahmad, Assistant Director (ILDP) was present in the meeting to interact on case-to-case basis.

A view of participants.

Alongside the Open House Meet for IDLS Scheme, Mr. Mohamed Rafiuddin, Head, Intl Market Development, CLE made a presentation on the Potential of South Africa in the footwear sector, with reference to the CLE BSM Event proposed to be held in South Africa during March 2013.

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