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Message

I am happy to learn that NACE International Gateway India Section (NIGIS) is organizing "CORCON 2017" International Corrosion Conference and Expo during 17-20th September, 2017 at Mumbai. Corrosion undoubtedly is a massive drain to our economy causing billions of dollars of damages in each year. The issue of corrosion merits serious attention as it has significant safety and economic concerns. It is very heartening to know that NACE International, NACE Gateway India Section and the NACE East Asia Pacific Area have joined forces to strengthen this issue and conduct this premier event. The theme of the conference "Uniting the World in the fight against corrosion" is very apt as the main approach of the conference is to bring awareness to tough corrosion challenges in industries In India, Asia and the whole world.

I congratulate NIGIS and NACE International for organizing this International event and providing a platform for showcasing developments and progress in frontiers of corrosion science and technology and for interactions and networking among all stakeholders. This will help in better understanding of the problems of corrosion and evolve suitable strategies to reduce the huge economic losses and wastage of natural resources caused by metal deterioration.

I am sure that participants can advance their understanding of corrosion mitigation as they listen to corrosion experts and professionals.

I wish CORCON 2017 a grand success.

(Devang Khakhar)