

# CIDC VISHWAKARMA AWARDS 2010

Organized by  
**Construction Industry Development Council**

(Established by the Planning Commission (Govt. of India) and the Construction Industry)

It is our pleasure to announce the opening of nominations for CIDC Vishwakarma Awards 2010.

The CIDC Vishwakarma Awards are inspired by the spirit of construction and creation patronized by Lord Vishwakarma the ruling deity of the Construction practices in India.

CIDC Vishwakarma Awards are meant to motivate individuals' and organizations' contribution in construction domain and to promote replicable best practices in the Indian construction industry. CIDC has initiated these awards which recognize and honor the valuable contributions and work of Indian Construction Fraternity that has significantly enriched the construction domain and has helped bring about a change in our construction practices.



In continuation of our tradition to honor the super achievers of the construction fraternity, we have instituted the CIDC Vishwakarma Awards which reflect the true spirit of creation and recognition of excellence in the way we practice our profession.



Each year, this event is celebrated on 7<sup>th</sup> March which is also the foundation day of Construction Industry Development Council. The first Vishwakarma Award ceremony held on 7<sup>th</sup> March 2009 was hugely successful and 33 Awards were given in various categories.

It may be kindly noted that Construction Industry Development Council (CIDC) was established in 1996 by the Planning Commission, Govt. of India along with the constituents of Indian Construction Industry, as the apex organization to professionalize and improve the functioning of the industry.

CIDC recognizes the role of a national award for motivation and improved performance of individual workers, artisans and field supervisors (Upto diploma level) and has conceived the CIDC Vishwakarma Awards as an award of Excellence in the following categories:

## Award Categories:

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| 1. Achievement Award for Social upliftment (2 Nos.)                    | Code A         |
| 2. Achievement Award for Industry Doyen (2 Nos.)                       | Code B         |
| 3. Achievement Award for Public Officer (2 Nos. in each State)         | Code C         |
| 4. Achievement Award for Academician/Technologist / Scientist (6 Nos.) | Code D         |
| 5. Best Professionally Managed Company (2 Nos. in each Category)       |                |
| ✓ - Category - C (Turnover > Rs.500 Cr)                                | Code D1        |
| ✓ - Category - B (Turnover Rs. 500 to Rs.100 Cr)                       | Code D2        |
| ✓ - Category - A (Turnover < Rs.100 Cr)                                | Code D3        |
| ✓ - Category - S Entrepreneur  | Code D4        |
| 6. Artisans (20 Nos.)  | Code D5 to D24 |
| 7. Achievement Award for best news coverage of Construction Industry   | Code E         |
| ✓ Best Journalist  | Code E 1       |
| ✓ Best News Channel  | Code E 2       |
| ✓ Best News Magazine   | Code E 3       |
| ✓ Best Newspaper   | Code E 4       |

The Awards cover the entire spectrum of Indian Construction Industry and all stakeholders both from public and private sector including NGOs are encouraged to participate in the process and send their nominations subject to a maximum of one nomination per category as per the categories mentioned above.

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