

Brief of Recent visit of Mr. Robert G. Davies , Representative, First Minister, Wales (U.K.) on 24th February, 2009

Department of Science & Technology, Government of Rajasthan, Jaipur had a golden opportunity to meet foreign dignitaries. Recently Mr. Robert G. Davies, special representative of First Minister, Wales (U.K.) has visited India.

During his visit to Jaipur, he had visited Department of Science & Technology, Government of Rajasthan, Jaipur on 24th February 2009. The day when Department was celebrating "National Science Week" Feb 28th is Indian's National Science day! Which is celebrated every year, the day Nobel Laureate (in the year 1930), Sir C V Raman announced a landmark discovery which is finding applications today in the area of continuous wave all-silicon laser. On this day, the nation pays tribute and expresses its gratitude to all the scientists who have made our dream of using the science and scientific discoveries as vehicles for economic development, a reality. During this the visit of Mr. Robert was really very fortunate, he has been given healthy welcome by Shri Damodar Sharma, Principal Secretary, Department of Science & Technology, Government of Rajasthan, at "Science Park", Shastri Nagar, Jaipur. Mr. Robert was accompanied by Shri Ajay Sharma. During the meet Shri Sharma brief about various schemes and programmes which are being implemented by department. In addition to this department also implements various schemes following the footsteps of department of Science & Technology, Government of India, New Delhi and finding pattern too.

The meeting was held in a cordial atmosphere which was followed by visit to science Park, where Mr. Anil Kumar Bhargava, Project Officer (In charge- Science Park) explained underlying scientific principals in each of models. Mr. Robert also visited the Traffic Park which is also a part and partial of Science Park. Mr. Robert was excited and overwhelmed to see such beautiful park and models. There were exchange of ideas and schemes between two dignitaries and Mr. Robert was eager to learn more about the department. Mr. Robert was expressed his willingness to seek British cooperation to maximum extend and also requested Shri Sharma to explore some concrete proposal in this regard.

To sum up the interactive meet of Mr. Robert was very fruitful and department expects same footings of bilateral cooperation (Indo-U.K.) and enter into bilateral agreements and MOUs.



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