

## **Press Note**

### **Commissioner of Police, Cyberabad, Conducted Chai Pe Charcha (Employee Connect session) at TCS Hyderabad**

Hyderabad, September 04, 2018 – The Cyberabad Commissioner of Police, Mr. V.C. Sajjanar IPS, TCS Senior Vice President Mr. V Rajanna, along with a few of Cyberabad's top-ranking officers including DCP - Law & Order, Mr. A. Venkateswar Rao IPS, DCP- Traffic, Mr. S.M. Vijay Kumar IPS, DCP Admin and SHE Teams - Ms. C. Anasuya, Additional DCP - Women's Protection Cell and Crime Branch, Ms. Indira and Mr. Bharani Aroll, Secretary - Society for Cyberabad Security Council visited Tata Consultancy Services, Hyderabad, to conduct a Citizen Connect session. This is a first of its kind initiative, where Hyderabad's top Police officers visited the TCS premises to engage with employees, and address the safety needs and concerns of citizens in the IT corridor.

Mr. V. Rajanna, lauded the efforts of the Cyberabad Police and thanked them for their relentless efforts towards ensuring safety in Hyderabad's IT corridor. He mentioned that the State Police was amongst the first in the country to embrace technology and that the Industry and Police have been collaborating closely on several aspects to enhance the Safety and Security factor. Setting up of SHE teams, launch of Safety apps, Command Control Centre, Installing CCTV Cameras, and various other initiatives have gone a long way in bringing the department close to IT work force in the city and improving overall safety.

The Cyberabad Commissioner of Police, Mr. V.C. Sajjanar then addressed the employees. He gave details of the various initiatives taken by his department including increase in patrol vehicles, quicker response time to distress calls, easier accessibility to citizens through WhatsApp and Twitter, and the Police Kalabrundam that was reaching out to citizens across cities and remote locations to educate them on social and behavioural matters such as gender inequality, eve teasing, ragging and suicides. He made a special mention of Operation Smile that has enabled the rescue of over 200 children from the streets and from hard labour, also helping reunite some of the lost children with their families, and of the installation of CCTV cameras across the city, which has helped the Police solve many crimes. A video showcasing how recent crimes have been solved using footages from CCTV cameras installed across the city, was also played. CP requested the top heads of the TCS and each IT professional to contribute towards the CCTV project for a safe and secure community. The services of IT employees in regulating traffic in IT areas was highly appreciated by the CP and he also requested the management to encourage their employees to participate more in traffic volunteer initiative of Cyberabad police. For which the management positively responded that more than 100 of their employees soon volunteer to regulate traffic in IT areas.

The TCS team screened an in-house developed short film, emphasising that Safety is not a restriction, it is a ticket to long life.

During a Q&A session, TCSers brought up several concerns and queries, largely relating to mounting traffic woes in the city, which were addressed by the DCP- Traffic, Mr. S.M. Vijay Kumar. Other queries relating to transport and women safety were also addressed.

Mr. Bharani Aroll, Secretary, Society for Cyberabad Security Council concluded the event with a remark that ensuring safety is not just the responsibility of the police but also of the everybody.

Awards were given away by Mr. Sajjanar & Mr Rajanna to Safety Champions from TCS Hyderabad, for their exemplary work towards improving safety for all and contributing selflessly to making the society a better place. Later CP Cyberabad along with other participants planted a sapling in TCS.

## Commissioner of Police Cyberabad.

