



## A Brief Summary and Achievements of SIATI

Society of Indian Aerospace Technologies & Industries (SIATI) was established in the year 1991 with the support of major aerospace organisations such as HAL/ISRO/DRDO/NAL/DGCA/ CEMILAC and DGAQA with a mission to create useful interaction with Indian and International Aerospace companies, R&D organisations and Academic Institutions for growth through partnership, creating useful interaction among Indian and international Aerospace Industries, R&D, Academic Institutions, Quality & Regulatory agencies for development and production of aircraft, materials, components, structures, equipments and systems and enhancing participation of the Indian private industries with special focus on SMES and growing global opportunities for synergising private industries with aerospace and defense PSUs, R&D organisations including academic institutions.

For more than two decades, SIATI has been serving the Nation and is happy to state that SIATI has made substantial progress over the years in harnessing the potential of its member industries for developing & manufacturing aerospace materials, components, equipments and systems and also information technology, enhanced design and testing solutions. It has also inspired and nurtured several SMEs in different regions in India to actively participate in the aerospace and defence sector R&D and Manufacture, enhancing self-reliance.

SIATI has been conducting every year a number of **awareness workshops and seminars** on the business opportunities for the Indian SMEs and private sector based on the national aerospace and defence projects and also arising out of a offset opportunities

SIATI has also been conducting several **training workshops** on the subjects useful to its members such as procedure for indigenisation, materials, component and equipment required to be indigenously developed, associated technologies, certification requirements and the like.

Several **exhibitions were being** organised from time to time indicating the requirement of the Indian Aerospace and Defense industries and also spare parts requirement of the armed forces.

The Defense offset policy has come into existence due to consistent efforts of SIATI along with HAL. It is a matter of pride that SIATI has been always consulted for modifications and the improvements of the offset policy and many of our recommendations have been incorporated.

SIATI has advocated to **the foreign OEMs and suppliers** of equipments the need for taking Indian SMEs and other private industries as industry partners. It is a matter of pride that many Indian industries have become exporters of the Indian made aerospace components and equipments.

SIATI provided a **gateway for international co-operation through participation in Indian and overseas Air Shows, exhibitions and seminars, exchange of industry delegations and B to B meetings** and also in co-operation with similar aerospace industry associations of other countries. SIATI initiated the concept of **“India Pavilion” in the international Air Shows and led Indian delegations to these Air Shows.**

Excellence in R&D and innovations by members are being recognised by bestowing **‘SIATI Awards for Excellence in Indigenous Development’**. So far 168 industries have been honoured with SIATI awards.

SIATI contributed in the development of private industries to be partners in innovation and R&D with HAL, ISRO, DRDO, BEL and other DPSUs, NAL and other R&D Labs. Many Indian Private Industries have also become exporters of Indian made aerospace and defense products to leading aerospace companies in the other countries.

SIATI conducted training workshops and short-courses to impart knowledge and training personnel from industries to enhance their competence. **These short courses are imparted along with International Institute of Aerospace Engineering and Management (IIAEM), established by SIATI along with Jain University with the support of Indian Institute of Science (IISc), ISRO, NAL, HAL and several other aerospace and aviation business corporate.** The participants are awarded certificates.

As the Government of India announced the policy for skilling technicians / engineers for various industries under the **National Skill Council**, SIATI took initiative to form an **Aerospace and Aviation Sector Skill Council** under the aegis of National Skill Development Corporation, Government of India. The aerospace skill council has been registered as Section-8 Company, with a governing council/board with Chairman HAL by designation as Chairperson, Hony. President, SIATI, and Hony. President BCCI and representatives of industries from major aerospace and aviation organisations and the large number of supply chain (component manufacturers, equipment manufacturers).

SIATI has been **Member of Civil Aviation Aeronautics Promotion Advisory Council (CAPAC)**, Ministry of Civil Aviation. SIATI is a Member of the working group on defence equipment and aerospace chaired by Secretary (DP). SIATI is also a **Member of the Aerospace Task Force under Ministry of Industries**, Government of Karnataka and regular meeting are held under the Chairmanship of Secretary Commerce and Industries.

SIATI has published directory of its members. As you recall the First Airshow was conducted by SIATI jointly with HAL / Aeronautical Society and private sector in the year 1993. It was at that time the First Directory on Indian Aerospace Industries was prepared and published giving the list of a number of SIATI members and their capabilities. Subsequently, SIATI has been revising the aerospace directory from time to time and distributing during the airshows for creating greater awareness of our members' capabilities.

A bimonthly Magazine 'AEROMAG ASIA' is published in association with SIATI by Aerosun Media, wherein the activities of SIATI are highlighted. The events of SIATI and its members are published under SIATI news regularly. AEROMAG has become a prominent aerospace and defense magazine.

**SIATI is managed and led by SIATI Council which has nominated members from HAL, ISRO, DRDO, CEMILAC, DGCA, and NAL and from Private Industries.**

SIATI has constituted a number of Empowered Committees from among members for the focused action on important areas i.e.

1. **Aerospace Industry – Academy & R&D Interaction,**
2. **Training and Skill Development,**
3. **Government Policies related to aerospace and defense**
4. **SME development**
5. **International collaborations**

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