## <u>Seminar on "Handling of Dangerous Goods (Chemicals) Transportation by Sea</u> and Road" on 17<sup>th</sup> June 2016 at The Gateway Hotel, Akota Gardens, Vadodara

The Council had organised this seminar on handling of dangerous goods transportation in Vadodara, to create awareness amongst all concerned in the risks involved and detailed understanding of the IMDG Code, proper IIP approved packaging etc which is meant for safe carriage of dangerous goods.

The guest speaker for this seminar was *Mr. Prakash Meshram, Deputy Director (R&D), Indian Institute of Packaging* who made a presentation on Importance of UN Performance Tested Packaging.

The key speaker was *Mr. Shashi Kallada (Specialist- Dangerous Goods),* Ex-Manager Global -Dangerous Goods (Maersk Line) who is well experienced in Merchant Shipping, Packaged Dangerous Goods etc. He covered the areas of classification, packaging, Segregation, Marking, Labelling, Placarding, Documentation & Common non- compliance noticed on Indian export shipments etc.

The special speaker for the event was *Mr Shailash Rawal, ICC & Head HSE, Deepak Nitrite Ltd* who gave a presentation on *Nicer Globe* which is an initiative of industry to facilitate emergency response during transportation of dangerous goods.

The event was also graced by Mr. Mahesh Desai, President GDMA and Mr. Sanjay Mankad, President, EXIM Club. Overall, the event attracted excellent response with partcipation of total 60 participants.

Mr. Deepak Gupta, Deputy Director CHEMEXCIL gave welcome address and advised the participants to benefit from the expertise of the speakers and interact with them. The participants interacted with the speakers and also got clarifications on their queries.

## **Glimpses of the event**



1. Mr. Shashi Kallada- Key speaker and Consultant- Dangerous goods being welcomed by Mr. Mahesh Desai, President GDMA



2. Mr. Prakash Meshram- Deputy Director (R&D), IIP being welcomed by CHEMEXCIL officer



3. Mr. Shashi Kallada- Key speaker and Consultant- Dangerous goods making his presentation during the Vadodara seminar



4. Mr. Prakash Meshram- Deputy Director (R&D), IIP during his session on UN Performance Tested Packaging



5. Mr Shailash Rawal, ICC & Head HSE, Deepak Nitrite Ltd giving presentation on Nicer Globe



6. CHEMEXCIL officers with esteemed speakers of the event