

07 January 2013

**Dr Dibyendu Mazumdar
President
Dental Council of India
Aiwan-E-Galib Marg
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Dear Sir,

**Subject: Workshop on Dental Personnel Resources Management
in Mumbai on 22 January 2013 at Sahyadri Guest House**

You are well aware that, under the aegis of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, a National Workshop was organized by IDA on 18 September, 2005, in Mumbai, following which a Database Software system was prepared with desktop features. Later on, this was totally modified to a web based application with all the features essential for the management of the system. The system, it may be emphasised attempts to develop a uniform pattern of online registration of dentists across the country and monitoring by the DCI.

The system developed by IDA has since been tested and found working properly as per the needs and requirements. The Dental Council of India and its affiliates at the States will be able to suitably plan management of resources and make effective and efficient use of the limited dental healthcare personnel.

We are now organizing under the auspices of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, a one day Workshop in Mumbai at Sahyadri Guest House, on Tuesday, 22 January, 2013. Dr. Vishwas Mehta, Joint Secretary in the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, has kindly consented to be the chief guest. On this auspicious occasion, we would like to release the software system developed by IDA at the hands of the chief guest for use by the State Dental Councils so that all SDCs will have a uniform pattern for the management of dental professionals in the country, in addition to CDE accreditation and assessment of dentist-population ratio.

I would greatly appreciate if you could kindly agree to be our guest of honour at the inaugural function.

On behalf of the President and members of IDA, and on my own personal behalf, I extend to you an invitation. I would be happy if you could make it convenient to kindly attend and actively participate in the deliberations. A tentative programme of the workshop is attached hereto.

Kindly let me know your travel itinerary so that I could arrange to send you the tickets and arrange your accommodation.

Looking forward to your enthusiastic participation and support,

With best personal regards,

Yours sincerely

**Dr Ashok Dhoble
Hon Secretary General**