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MD, HMR inaugurated a one week Metro technology training course for capacity and skill building for young engineers at Uppal Metro depot today (November 16, 2015). On popular demand from different upcoming Metros in the country and various technical consultancy firms, L&T Metro Rail (Hyderabad) Ltd has launched the technology training program and this is the first batch.

In his inaugural address to the participants belonging to different engineering disciplines in organizations like Nagpur Metro, AECOM, Parsons, L&T, HMR etc., Mr.NVS Reddy highlighted the unique features and advanced technologies of the Hyderabad Metro project. Explaining the dilemmas faced by Hyderabad Metro in choosing between different technology options, he emphasized on the need to absorb the latest technologies and avoid the marketing traps of some of the multinational firms which try to hawk outdated technologies to Indian Metros. He further elaborated as to how with the engineering talent of L&T and the guidance of some highly respected Metro Rail experts of the country, the Hyderabad project is able to substantially reduce the role of foreign consultants and yet adopt for very sophisticated Metro Rail technologies. He cited the choice of precast segmental construction of Metro viaduct, the unique design of Hyderabad Metro stations, adoption of Communication Based Train Control (CBTC) system which is a first in the country, the latest Automatic Fare Collection (AFC) systems etc., as examples of the technological sophistication of the Hyderabad Metro project.

Explaining the expanding market for Metro Rail engineers, Mr.Reddy urged the young engineers and managers to master the latest technologies and be aligned to the needs of the people to deliver world class transportation services in Indian cities. Enlightening them as to how India lost it's prime position over a period of time, he urged the young engineers to be innovative and reposition India as a technology leader in the modern world.

Head, Civil Systems, L&T Metro Rail Mr. Anil Saini, Ex-Chief Commissioner of Railway Safety Mr. Sudhir Kumar and Human Resources Head, L&T Metro Rail Mr.Sushanto Ganguly and others participated in the inaugural program.

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MD, HMR Mr. NVS Reddy lighting lamp to inaugurate Metro Technology training course in Metro Rail Depot at Uppal on Monday (November 16, 2015)



MD, HMR Mr. NVS Reddy addressing the participants of Metro Technology training course in Metro Rail Depot at Uppal on Monday (November 16, 2015). Seen to his right are Head, Civil Systems, L&TMRHL Mr. Anil Kumar Saini, Ex-Chief Commissioner of Railway Safety, Indian Railways, Mr. Sudhir Kumar and Vice President, HR & Admin, L&TMRHL Mr. Sushantho Ganguly.



MD, HMR Mr. NVS Reddy addressing the participants of Metro Technology training course in Metro Rail Depot at Uppal on Monday (November 16, 2015).



MD, HMR Mr. NVS Reddy with the team of participants of Metro Technology training course at Metro Rail Depot, Uppal on Monday (November 16, 2015).