

# Member's Bulletin

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**International Business Council of Australia**

(ABN 63 812 727 902)



## Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of IBC Australia was held on 14 August 2019. In the AGM, annual audited account was presented and accepted. Mr Yogesh Chhabra was appointed the independent auditor for 2019-20.

The following Executive Committee was elected for two-year term as per the Constitution of ABC Australia:

1. Dr Dilawar Singh, President
2. Mr Amarjot Rathore, Vice President
3. Vacant (to be selected by President), Vice-President
4. Mr Rajan Sharma, Secretary
5. Mr Amritpal Singh Masuta, Assistant Secretary
6. Mr Shibli Khan, Treasurer
7. Mr Anoop Bhatnagar, Member
8. Mr Pradip Rajeshirke, Member
9. Mr Florian Popp, Member
10. Mr Rajpal Kapoor, Member
11. Ms Kathleen McNally, Member



## Chapters

IBC Australia opened its first Chapter in New Delhi, India and signed the Chapter Agreement. Mr. Anoop Bhatnagar was elected as President to head the Indian Chapter.

IBC Australia looks forward to opening more Chapters to enhance and develop bilateral business relationships between Australia and other countries globally.



## Spread the News

You may be aware that the IBC Australia envisages the following events in 2019/2020.

### *International Business Summit in New Delhi*

For an International Business Summit in March 2020 in New Delhi, IBC Australia is approaching the Indian Prime Minister Mr Narendra Modi to inaugurate the Summit. We would also contact relevant Indian Government Departments/ Ministries to support and sponsor the Summit. We expect about 300 participants from several countries including Australia, USA, UK, Germany, Korea, Japan, Singapore, Malaysia and India for this Summit.

### *Gala Dinner and Awards Night in Perth*

We look forward to organising a Gala Dinner in April 2020 at the Parliament House in Perth. We will invite the Prime Minister of Australia Hon Scott Morrison, Leader of Opposition Hon Anthony Albanese and the Premier of Western Australia Hon Mark McGowan as the Guest of Honours. This event will also include recognising the achievements of individual members and corporates in the business sector.

### *Coffee Forums in Perth, Canberra, Sydney, New Delhi and Mumbai*

To promote business networking, opportunities and continuous engagement, IBC Australia will organise Coffee Forums in various cities locally and overseas. The Forum date and discussion topics will be circulated later.

## **Membership Drive**

We encourage more individuals and corporates to become an IBC member. We are a newly established association, but our members are equipped with diverse set of skills, experience and ideas.

Joining the IBC Australia will provide you with networking with like-minded people (locally and internationally), involve via social platforms to discuss business, potentially influence trade policies/legislations to promote commerce and learn from past experiences.

Please visit the IBC website for membership details <http://internationalbusinesscouncil.com.au/#>

## **Awards**

The IBC Australia will give Awards to its members in 8 categories. The nominations will be invited from the members soon with the closing date of 31 December 2019. An Independent 5-Member Committee chaired by Mr Arvind Misra will evaluate the nominations as per the awards criteria set by the Executive Committee.

## **Trade Enquiries**

IBC Australia has received the following Trade Enquiries:

### *Gold Jewellery by Krishniah Chetty Group*

Krishniah Chetty Group of Jewellers continues the rich tradition of design, wisdom, youth, class & sophistication. The Group carry forward 150 years legacy with innovation and ideas that have sets them apart. The iconic Bengaluru master Jewellers who dealt with the erstwhile British gentry, the Maharaja of Mysore, the Nizam of Hyderabad and over 21 kingdoms of South and Central India.

### *Society Tea by Amar Tea, India*

Amar Tea Private Limited are the leading manufacturers & exporters of consumer packed CTC Leaf Tea to USA, Canada, GCC & other global regions for the past 75 years in India. Amar Tea has an estimated market share of 40% in the tea category in Maharashtra & having a presence in Madhya Pradesh, Andhra Pradesh, Chennai & other states in India. Currently Amar Tea is interested to expand their reach through distributors/importers in Australia for their brand of "SOCIETY TEA". The company has won several awards including "India's Greatest Brands 2016-2017" awarded by Asia One, audited by PWC India.

### *Diwali in Jaipur, Rajasthan*

Celebrate Diwali in Jaipur on 26-27 October 2019 with Mr K V Singh, one of IBC Members and enjoy Horses Riding, Sports & Yoga Camps. Special discounts are available for IBC Australia members.

For more details about the above enquiries, please contact Dr Dilawar Singh.