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## **HRAWI - Safety is of paramount importance in the hospitality industry**

HRAWI recently hosted a seminar '**Life, Property and Environment Safety for Hospitality Industry**', in Mumbai. The seminar addressed the various aspects of safety at hotels and restaurants; and educated participants on the requisites for effectively implementing measures for the safety for everyone present at hospitality establishments.

"Safety is of paramount importance in the hospitality industry and our commitment extends beyond the physical security of our guests and properties; we are custodians of trust and stewards of the environment. By prioritizing life, property and environment safety, we not only fulfil our ethical obligations but also lay the foundation for sustainable growth and success. Let us collaborate, learn and share best practices, and work together to shape a future where safety is paramount, and our guests, properties and environment thrive," says **Mr Pradeep Shetty**.

The event hosted **Mr Santosh Warrick**, Chief Fire Officer & Fire Advisor of MIDC, Fire Service & Director, Maharashtra Fire Service as the Chief Guest; **Mr Gurmit Singh**



**Arora**, Chairman, IGBC & MD, Rajco Group as the Guest of Honour and Arch. **Anuja Sawant**, President, SSA Architects as the Keynote Speaker. **Mr Paramjit Singh Ghai**, Hon. Treasurer; **Mr Gurbir Bedi** and **Mr Sandeep Talaulicar**, Executive Committee Members of the Association were also present during the event.

**Mr Santosh Warrick** shared insights on the several aspects of fire safety. He emphasized on the need to increase awareness on precautions and preparedness management in case of fire within hospitality premises. **Mr Warrick** appealed to the participants to inculcate the culture of safety in our everyday lives to mitigate the risks to life, property and environment that could be caused by fire.

The seminar also hosted a panel discussion on Life, Property and Environment Safety for Hospitality Industry. The same was moderated by **Mr Hemant Khadse** with **Mr Sandeep Talaulicar**; **Mr Prem Thakur**, Director, Engg. Services, Taj Hotels; **Mr Mihir Sanghvi**, National President, RATA and **Mr Rupesh Umtol**, Electro-Mech Consultants Pvt Ltd as panellists