## **REPORT AFTER CONDUCT OF ONE DAY WORKSHOP IN PARLIAMENTARY PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE FOR OFFICERS OF DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY IN MUMBAI**

The Union Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs (MPA) organized One Day Workshop in Parliamentary Practice and Procedure for the benefit of Officers of Department of Atomic Energy on Friday, the 4<sup>th</sup>October, 2019 at Anushakti Bhavan, Mumbai.

The Joint Secretary (Admn. & Accts.), Department of Atomic Energy welcomed the Joint Secretary, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs and informed that officers from various units/subordinate offices/attached offices had been invited to take part in the Workshop and that very enthusiastically, officers showcased their interest in the event and ensured their presence.

Joint Secretary, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs took three technical sessions wherein technicalities and intricacies of the Parliamentary matters, mainly Legislative Procedure and Budgetary Exercise, were explained to the participants. The officers of DAE displayed their keen interest in the subject matter and it was perfectly an interactive session, with zealous participation of the officers of DAE who had a volley of questions relating to the Parliamentary Matters, all such queries were aptly replied. The participating officers were briefed about Parliamentary Questions, Assurances, Matters under rule 377 in Lok Sabha/by way of Special Mentions etc. by Under Secretary, Parliamentary Affairs.

This is the very first occasion when the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs conducted such a Workshop on Parliamentary Practice and Procedure outside Delhi. This was done on the special request made by the Department of Atomic Energy who are based primarily in Mumbai. The Joint Secretary, Department of Atomic Energy was appreciative of the fact that the officers of MPA, by acceding to their request, travelled to Mumbai and endeavoured their best to enlighten officers of DAE on a variety of Parliamentary topics. The participating officers displayed huge amount of enthusiasm during the entire event. A total of 50 officers from different Units/Organizations under Administrative control of Department of Atomic Energy took part in the Workshop. The Workshop proved to be immensely useful for the officials and enriched their repository of knowledge.

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