



# Handicrafts and Carpet Sector Skill Council

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**SHRI. ARSHAD MIR ELECTED AS NEW CHAIRMAN AND SHRI. K.L RAMESH AS NEW CO-CHAIRMAN, SHRI. RISHI SONI AS GENERAL SECRETARY AND SHRI. NADEEM HUSSAIN AS TREASURER OF HCSSC**

**New Delhi-7<sup>th</sup> July 2021-** Shri. Arshad Mir has been elected as a new Chairman of Handicrafts and Carpet Sector Skill Council (HCSSC) during 28<sup>th</sup> virtual GC Meeting held today. Shri. Arshad Mir has taken charge from Shri. O.P Prahladka upon completion of the two years' term as Chairman-HCSSC retired. Members of GC present during the meeting, welcomed Shri. Arshad Mir as a New Chairman.



Shri. Arshad Mir representing M/S Mir Handicrafts Pvt. Ltd., Jammu & Kashmir is a leading Carpet Exporter from Jammu & Kashmir for over 20 years, he also exports Handicrafts. He is actively involved in Skill Training programs for the Carpet and Handicrafts sector for Jammu & Kashmir.

Shri. Arshad Mir expressed his gratitude to the members of Committee after being appointed as a Chairman of Handicrafts and Carpet Sector Skill Council, apex body for overall skill development, established in the year 2014 with a core objective to provide deployable resources to the Handicrafts and Carpet Sector by enabling competency-based training as per the standards set in consultation with the industry. HCSSC is jointly promoted by Export Promotion Council for Handicrafts (EPCH), Carpet Export Promotion Council (CEPC) and National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) under the aegis of Ministry of Skills Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) and Ministry of Textiles, In-line Ministry, Government of India.

Members who have been appointed as the member of Administration Committee of GC are as follows:



Shri. K L Ramesh-Co-Chairman, represent Sri Vijayalakshmi Agarbathi Works, Bangalore has made efforts for more than 30 years in the business of fragrances.

Shri. Rishi Soni- General Secretary, represents M/S Gayatri International, New Delhi, having experience of 25 years as a leading manufacturer & exporter of Handicrafts products.



Shri. Nadeem Hussain-Treasurer, represents M/S Marque Impex, Moradabad, is a leading exporter of giftware Handicrafts for more than 25 years.