

J.S.S SAKRI LAW COLLEGE HUBBALLI

REPORT ON INDUSTRIAL VISIT



West Coast Paper Mills (WCPM) is the flagship Company promoted by S.K. Bangur Group and one of the leading integrated pulp and paper mills in Indian Industry established on March 25th 1955.. The Company's Dandeli Plant is integrated Pulp & Paper Plant and produce various type of quality Paper & Paper Board. This caters to needs of innumerable industries in printing writing publishing stationary notebooks and packaging sectors in India. The Company's swing manufacturing facility enables the Company to produce diversified range of products which has been a source of strength to keep in line with the market demand. The Company strongly believes on continuous improvement in product quality reduction in cost and environment management. The Company is ISO 90012015 ISO 14001-2015 FSC (R) & OHSAS 18000-2007.

50 Students of various semester from JSS Sakri Law college along with staff members visited the plant on 10-08-2022. The troop headed by Shri B.R. Dargad, Principal, JSS Sakri Law College Hubli and Dr. Roopa Ingalahalli, Assistant Professor, Shri. S.M. Limbikai, Physical Director, Shri. Satish C.V, Shri.

Avadhani and Shri. Ishwar Gopali of JSS Sakri Law College were in the organising team. Troop reached the destination around 1.30 and post lunch went inside the plant in two batches. They took a round of Paper Machine number 5. Soon after the visit, an interaction was arranged by the officials of West Coast Paper Mill. Shri. Bijpur, Junior Vice President (I.R) and his team consisting of Shri Vijay Mahantesh sir, General Manager (I.R) and Shri. Nagesh, Manager (I.R) interacted with students and explained students about, why West Coast is set up in Dandeli. Meanwhile Shri. Bijapur sir said that, machine number 5 output capacity is 500 tons of paper per day where in rest 4 machines out put in total is 500 tons. He further explained that the cost of the machine is 1500 crores. Shri Vijaya Mahantesh sir briefed our student about standing orders of the company and procedure of initiating disciplinary action. Finally Shri Nagesh sir addressed our students and explained about trade union activities of West Coast Paper Mill and same time he explained the issues faced by the company. He also explained about Common Negotiation Committee which is a unique idea to manage union activities smoothly. Finally doubts of our students are addressed by all the officials. In total the visit was fruitful and object was achieved.

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