

FICCI Sets up Task Force to Assist in Reconstruction and Rehabilitation Work in Uttarakhand

NEW DELHI, July 3, 2013. The Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI) has set up an industry Task Force chaired by Ms. Sudha Pillai, former Member-Secretary, Planning Commission, Government of India, to undertake reconstruction and rehabilitation of the flood-ravaged State of Uttarakhand.

FICCI has strong networks in the state and the initiatives will focus on affordable housing, provision of clean drinking water, improved sanitation and other forms of civic amenities through its active partnership with various Science & Technology institutes and R&D centres. FICCI recognises with utmost gratitude the timely contribution by its member companies for relief operations with contributions of over Rs. 40 crore from organizations such as SBI, ONGC, HSBC, Xpro India Ltd, NTPC, Power Grid Corporation Of India, Coal India Ltd., Mahindra & Mahindra, Finolex Cables, Pavers England, ICRA, Fair Exports, Hindustan Unilever Ltd. and infrastructure support provided by member companies like Fortis and Bharti Enterprises Ltd. FICCI staff has also contributed a day's salary to support relief operations in the state and provide succour to the people of the State.

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