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Mr. Nandan M. Nilakani, Chief Executive Officer & Managing Director, Infosys Technology Ltd., Bangalore receiving the Fellowship Award from Mr. Siddharth, Secretary IT, Govt. of West Bengal. Mr. Lalit Sawhney, President, CSI is on extreme left and Dr. M L Goyal, Chairman Awards Committee is seen on extreme right.

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Mr. S Ramadorai, Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director, Tata Consultancy Services Ltd., Mumbai receiving the Fellowship Award from Prof. Debesh Dass, Minister of IT, Govt. of West Bengal.

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Dear Members.

I have great pleasure in presenting this Forty Second Report of the Computer Society of India for the year 2006-'07.

The Indian economy during the year 2006-'07 continued its trend of robust growth on the back of strong performance in key industrial sectors, paving the way to rapidly emerge as a major economic power in the years to come. The year has been a significant and successful year for the Computer Society of India in terms of achieving various performance milestones which it had set upon itself at the commencement of the year.

Operational Highlights

1. The Executive Committee (ExecCom) of the Society consisting of seventeen elected members and the immediate past President, entrusted with the responsibility of successfully running the Society met five times during the year at various locations across the country to review the functioning and activities of the Society and take decisions on important matters. The members of the ExecCom attended these meetings as follows:

Name	Position	No. of meetings held	No. of meetings attended
Mr. Lalit K. Sawhney	President	5	5
Mr. Bipin V Mehta	Vice President	5	5
Mr. Satish Babu	Hon Secretary	5	5
Mr. C D Murthy	Hon. Treasurer	5	1
Mr. Satish Doshi	Hon Treasurer	3	3
Mr. Raj Kumar Gupta	RVP - I	5	4
Mr. Rabindra Nath Lahiri	RVP - II	5	4
Mr. Arup R Dasgupta	RVP - III	5	2
Dr. Himansu K Mohanty	RVP - IV	5	3
Prof. Swarnalatha R Rao	RVP - V	5	5
Mr. Milind Kshirsagar	RVP - VI	5	3
Dr. S Arumugam	RVP - VII	5	3
Ms. Lynette Saldanha	RVP - VIII	5	Nil
Mr. Raj Saraf	Division Chair - I	5	Nil
Mr. H R Mohan	Division Chair - II	5	2
Mr. Deepak Shikarpur	Division Chair - III	5	5
Dr. C R Chakravarthy	Division Chair - IV	5	5
Dr. Tushar M Desai	Division Chair - V	5	3
Mr. M L Ravi	Imm. Past President	5	Nil

Mr. S R Karode was elected Hon Treasurer (2006-'07) but due to certain problems tendered his resignation from the elective post and hence Mr. C D Murthy of Hyderabad was nominated Hon Treasurer (2006-'07) filling in the vacancy. However, Mr. Murthy after attending just one ExecCom meeting had to temporarily move to the US and hence resigned. Mr. Satish Doshi was nominated Hon Treasurer in November 2006 for the remaining term of office for the year 2006-'07.

Ms Lynette Saldanha, RVP-VIII (International) is based in NewZealand and hence could not attend the ExecCom meetings.

The Corporate Officers who are entrusted with the responsibility of conducting the day to day operations of the Society on behalf of the ExecCom had also met from time to time depending on the exigencies to consider important matters and ensure implementation of decisions in accordance with the strategic directions and policies of the ExecCom.

- 2. Some of the Regional Vice Presidents conducted regional meetings of their Chapters which facilitated interaction between them and the concerned Chapters and Divisional Chairmen. Additionally, the Regional Vice Presidents and Divisional Chairmen also met the Chapter representatives during the CSI Annual National Convention held in November 2006 at Kolkata which provided them an opportunity for mutual interaction and drawing of plans for organizing conferences, seminars and workshops at various locations in association with the local Chapters.
- The National Council of the Society consisting of the ExecCom members and Chairmen of Chapters normally meets once a year to review the functioning of the Society. Accordingly, the Council met during the CSI Annual National Convention held in November 2006 at Kolkata.
- The forty second Annual General Meeting of the Society was held on 24th November, 2006 at Science City, Kolkata, the venue of the CSI-2006 Annual National Convention.
- 5. The CSI Think Tank is a core group of past Presidents and Fellows of the Society most of whom are very eminent and highly experienced professionals. The Think Tank normally meets the ExecCom during the CSI Annual National Convention and accordingly the group met the ExecCom on 23rd November, 2006 during the CSI-2006 Convention and gave valuable advice, guidance and suggestions some of which were as follows:
 - a) The objectives of CSI are all encompassing and hence the areas of primary and secondary focus must be identified.
 - Needs of potential and regular members should be assessed regularly and value to members should be enhanced. A model of survey should be considered. Concerted efforts should be made

to enrol IT professionals who can take ahead the mission and vision of CSI in tune with the growing pace of IT industry. Have a mix of media tools to attract the young and potential IT professionals. Institutions and academicians should be closely associated with CSI.

- c) Presently the cost of services to CSI Life Members is much more than the Life Membership fee paid by Life Members. A workable solution to overcome this problem will have to be considered.
- d) Efforts should be made to involve Academicians in the activities of Education Directorate which should establish itself as the highest level certification and accrediting institute and expanded to more job market skills. Also, the Directorate should have a number of faculty persons to give advice on project to project basis.
- e) One National Student Convention should be held every year. The society should provide counselling and also assist in projects. Regular lectures by specialists should be conducted on fixed dates.
- f) Consider introduction of web based courses.
- g) Inter-disciplinary winning ideas and good content should be integral part of CSI. Good content should be available on the website.
- h) Voluntary services is the main principle and foundation of the Society. Members should fix up targets and have module to measure their work and activities to enable them to assess the achievement of their goals. Members should write articles regularly.
- i) CSI's nine TC (IFIP) Representatives must provide a leadership role in IT.
- j) Check the non-accountability of Chapters and Regions. There should be better pooling and sharing of resources from Chapters.
- k) The theme of Entertainment Computing may be considered.
- I) Get international IT events to India.
- m) E-governance Awards should continue.

The ExecCom has already implemented most of the above suggestions and also initiated steps to implement the other suggestions.

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Membership Highlights

The success of any professional society like CSI primarily depends on the quality of the activities it conducts for the benefit of its members. Growth in membership is, to a very large extent, a reflection of the quality of activities conducted which provides satisfaction and thus acts as a driving force to attract new members. It is a matter of satisfaction that there was an all-round increase in membership during the year. The total membership increased from 30,186 as on 31.03.2006 to 37,513 as on 31.03.2007 i.e. an increase of 24%. While there was increase in every category of membership the increase in student membership in particular, was very significant as can be seen from the following Tables -1,2 & 3 which give membership details for the last five years.

Table - 1 : Individual Members including Life Members and Institutional Nominees

Grade		As on 30/06/2003	As on 30/06/2004	As on 30/06/2005	As on 31/03/2006	As on 31/03/2007
Associate		6,247	6,944	7,150	6,906	7,487
Member		751	739	726	713	708
Senior Member		880	896	917	924	951
Fellows		76	83	86	86	91
\$	Sub Total-1	7,954	8,662	8,879	8,629	9,945
Institutional Members		2,481	2,523	2495	2,135	2,226
9	Sub Total-2	10,435	11,185	11,374	10,764	12,171
Students		10,817	12,913	20,887	19,422	25,342
1	Total	21,252	24,098	32,261	31,186	37,513

Table - 2: Life Members

Grade	As on 30/06/2002	As on 30/06/2003	As on 30/06/2004	As on 30/06/2005	As on 31/03/2006
Associate	3,749	4,164	4,641	5,002	5,541
Member	632	641	644	651	655
Senior Member	804	831	862	878	909
Fellows	76	83	86	86	91
Total	5,261	5,719	6,233	6,617	7,196

Table - 3: Institutional Members

Grade	As on 30/06/2003	As on 30/06/2004	As on 30/06/2005	As on 31/03/2006	As on 31/03/2007
Educational	155	217	266	291	340
Non Educational	356	329	299	248	221
Total	511	546	565	539	561

Though the membership has increased it is definitely not a cause to be complacent as the ExeCom is strongly of the view that the increases achieved are insignificant considering that there are hundreds of thousands of IT professionals and students spread across the country and there is tremendous scope to increase our membership many fold with some more efforts, especially by the Chapters. In this context the ExecCom wishes to record its appreciation of the vigorous efforts made by some Chapters who were successful in increasing their membership.

Honorary Fellowship

During the year the Society with pride and pleasure conferred its Honorary Fellowship in absentia on Prof. Harold D Huskey in grateful recognition of his pioneering role in the field of Computer Science and Education and visionary contribution in bringing together the young computer professionals in India into a forum for gainful exchange of Information and experiences, which led to the formation of the Computer Society of India.

For the information of members who may not be well aware of Prof Husky who is a very distinguished and eminent person, it is to be briefly mentioned that though he was based in USA he had spent two years (1964-65) in India under the USAID Programme to support the establishment of Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur and the Ford Foundation Programme at the Delhi University, establishing the Computer facilities and initiating Computer Science programmes. Prof Husky was an active participant in a meeting of Computer user organisations and scientists in India held at the IBM Education Centre, Faridabad on June 4, 1964 which conceived the idea and formed the All India Computer Users Group (AICUG) to bring all the individuals together and pool their experiences for the benefit of all. The scope of AICUG was later on broadened to include others, and renamed as the Computer Society of India and formally registered on 6th March 1965 at Hyderabad.

CSI Fellowships

During the year the Society took pride and pleasure in conferring its Fellowships on the following senior life members in appreciation and recognition of their significant contribution to the growth of the Society and Information Technology in the national field.

- 1. Mr. Nandan M Nilekani, Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director, Infosys Technology Ltd., Bangalore.
- 2. Mr. S Ramadorai, Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director, Tata Consultancy Services Ltd.,

Mumbai.

- 3. Prof. Samir Kumar Bandyopadhyay, Registrar, University of Calcutta, Kolkata.
- 4. Prof. Nandlal L Sarda, Professor and Head of Department, Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay.
- 5. Mr. P R Rangaswami, Managing Director, Consolidated Cybernetics Co. Pvt. Ltd., Coimbatore.

CHAPTERS

As at the end of the year 2006-'07 the Society had 66 Chapters most of which conducted regularly and were quite vibrant during the year. Brief details of activities conducted by some of these Chapters and communicated are given below;

Ahmedabad:

- The Chapter in association with the CSI Student Branch of GLS Institute of Computer Technology, Ahmedabad, organized "TechnoFest-2006" a one-day State Level Seminar on "Open Source: A Beneficial Path" on 1st April, 2006.
- In association with Institution of Engineers organized a free popular lecture on "How IT is Changing" by Mr Lalit Sawhney, President, CSI.
- In association with the CSI Student Branch of GLS Institute of Computer Technology, Ahmedabad organized a five-day full time crash course on "Developing Web Applications" using ASP.NET" at GLSICT.
- In association with the CSI Student Branch of Government Engineering College, Chandkheda, Gandhinagar organized a five-day full time crash course on "Developing Web applications using ASP. NET 2.0" from 17th to 22nd August, 2006.
- The Chapter and Microsoft jointly organized Microsoft .NET technology training programme for faculty members of MCA colleges of Gujarat State from 17th to 19th November, 2006 at AES Institute of Computer Studies, Ahmedabad. The objective of this training programme was to give hands-on training on .NET technology so that faculty members can train other faculty members and also assist Final Yeat Students to carry out project work.
- In association with Redhat organized a threeday workshop on Linux Networking and System Administration for IT Professionals and faculty members of MCA and Engineering colleges from 26th to 28th January, 2006. At the end of the workshop it was decided by the participants to create a Linux



user group and meet once in a month to discuss and share their experiences and problems.

Allahabad:

 The Chapter celebrated Engineers Day Programme at Allahabad Agricultural Institute.

Annamalainagar:

 The Chapter was formally inaugurated on 25th April, 2006 at Annamalai University Campus at Chidambaran. The inaugural programme was followed by a technical seminar for the benefit of the faculty members and the students numbering around 300 when a talk on Information Security Management was delivered

Bangalore:

- The Chapter organized an evening talk on "Information Security Management Systems – Standardization Scenario at National & International level" by Mr Sukh Bir Singh, Head – Standardization department of Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) in the field of Electronics and Information Technology Group on 12th May, 2006.
- Organized an evening talk on "Intellectual Property Rights-Roadway to Process Setup" by Ms Bindu Sharma, an expert in the field, on 9th August, 2006 at the Chapter Office.
- Organized at its premises a "CSI Student Branch Meet-2006" on 19th August, 2006. The Chapter sent invitations to all Technical institutions across the state of Karnataka and in response, students and faculty members from various institutions participated in the Meet.
- Celebrated "Digital Society Day" in commemoration of Cyber Law passed in India on 17th October, 2006.
 The event was hosted by Digital Society Foundation & Cyber Law College, and was supported by the Chapter.
- Organized a Technical Talk by Dr. R K Ramanathan on "Virtual Reality Concepts".

Bhopal:

 The Chapter in association with the CSI Student Branch of Oriental Institute of Science & Technology (OSIT), Bhopal organized a one-day workshop on "Mobile Computing" on 15th March, 2007. Around 500 students especially from CSI Student Branches and 100 faculties, from various engineering colleges of Bhopal participated in this interactive workshop. In association with IETE and OIST organized a twoday National Seminar on "Chip Focus" covering VLSI Design & Embedded Systems, Challenges and Opportunities on 30th & 31st March, 2007.

Bokaro:

 The Chapter organized a Technical Talk on "Supply Chain Management" on 19th September, 2006. On that occasion prizes were also given to winners of the Inter School Essay Competition organized by the Chapter on 31st august, 2006 on separate topics for Senior and Junior groups.

Chennai:

- The Chapter organized a Supply Chain Meet in which Dr Vaidyanathan Jayaraman, Professor, Miami University, Florida and Visiting Faculty, Great Lakes Institute of Management, Chennai spoke on the role of IT in the Supply Chain Management.
- The Chapter Chairman Mr Adivarahan and the Secretary Mr S Ramasamy gave interviews on Cyber crimes to Sun TV during the prime time.
- A Seminar on "Life Unwired: Emerging Advanced Wireless Technologies and their Impact on our Lives" was held by the Chapter on 21st August, 2006.
- A Profit Oriented Project Management PMBOK Guide was held on 31st August, 2006. The speaker was Mr A Chandrasekaran, Sr Vice President of Digital Illusion India and IPP Technologies Pty Ltd, Australia.
- Organized on 11th January, 2007 a Technical Talk on "Internet Governance Moving Forward" by Mr S Manian, Chairman, Tamil Language WG & Indian Language WG and Chairman, Tamil Internet Names. Also, a Technical Talk was held on "Organizational Project Management Maturity Model (OPM3)" by Mr Angyan P Jagathnarayanan who has wide experience in the area of Project Management.
- Organized on 24th January, 2007 a talk on "Stress Management & Diet Theraphy for IT Professionals" by Dr Ramanujam Narayan, a Naturopathy (ND) with MS in Counselling and psychotherapy. He is a practitioner of Neurolinguistic Programming and Hypnotherapy.
- Organized on 8th February, 2007 a talk on "Software Configuration Management (SCM)" by Mr Christy Gerard John, Project Manager & Senior Technology Consultant, Airbee Wireless, Chennai.
- Celebrated CSI Day on 6th March, 2007 with a talk on "Affordable Computing" by Prof C R Muthukrishnan, Fellow and Past President, CSI. An IT Quit for CSI

members was also held on the occasion.

Cochin:

 The Chapter in association with Institution of Engineers (India) Cochin Local Centre and the Institution of Electronics & Telecommunication Engineers, Kochi Chapter celebrated World Telecommunication Day on 17th May, 2006 by organising a Talk on "Promoting Global Cyber Security".

Coimbatore:

- The Chapter in association with IBM and Broadline Computers, conducted a program on the topic "IBM Academic Solutions" on 2nd September, 2006.
- Conducted a monthly lecture meeting on 13th September, 2006 on the topic "Neuro Linguistic Programming". The speaker was Mr Sridhar Arumugasamy, Director, Find Mind, Coimbatore.
- Conducted a monthly lecture meeting on 11th October, 2006 on the topic "Evaluating ERP For The Enterprise".
- Conducted on 25th October, 2006 its monthly lecture meeting on the topic "Latest Trends in Security Technologies".
- Conducted on 8th November, 2006 its monthly lecture meeting on the topic "Information System Security". The Chapter also conducted a lecture meeting on 22nd November, 2006 on the topic "Total Productivity Maintenance (TPM)"
- Conducted a monthly lecture meeting on 13th December, 2006 on the topic "Indo German Initiatives in Cyber Security" by Mr Richard Hartmann, Chair of Network Science at Technical University of Munich, Germany who was in India as part of an Indo German initiative in Cyber security. The Chapter also conducted a lecture meeting on 27th December, 2006 on the topic "Groupware and Lotus Notes."
- Conducted a monthly lecture meeting on 10th January, 2007 on the topic "Object Computing in Thirukkural" by Dr R Nadarajan, Prof. of Maths & Computer Applications, PSG College of Technology, Coimbatore.
- Conducted a monthly lecture meeting on 24th January, 2007 on the topic "The Six Sigma Milestone" by Dr J Ravichandran, Department of Mathematics, amritha Vishwa Vidyapeetham, Coimbatore.
- Celebrated CSI Day on 6th March, 2007 to which all Past Chairmen and Secretaries of the Chapter since 1984 were invited.

Dehradun:

 The Chapter organized a Seminar on "Wireless Technology and Network Security" on 16th September, 2006.

Durgapur:

 The Chapter celebrated Computer Day to mark the foundation day of the Society on 15th December 2006 when Prize distribution of Elocution & Quiz contest for the school students was also held.

Goa:

 The Chapter organized the 14th Annual Exhibition of Computers and Allied Products (ECAP) on the 16th and 17th September, 2006. The CSI-IT Directory 2006 which compiles the major players in the IT sector in Goa was also released on the occasion.

Gwalior:

- The Chapter along with Bank of India donated a computer to one of the needy girls school in Gwalior which was planned to be a regular activity for every month. The Chapter had also given free computer training to poor children from 8th to 18th, May 2006 along with HEIGHTs Institute and awarded Certificates to all students.
- In association with Anand Engineering College, Agra organized a two-day National Seminar on "MATLAB" which had good participation.
- In association with IETE Gwalior Sub centre organized a series of Lectures on "Human Rights for Development of Sustainable Technology" on 29th March, 2007.

Hyderabad:

- The Cyber crime week was held at Hyderabad from 20th to 22nd July, 2006 by NASSCOM and AP police.
 CSI was an associate organizer.
- The Chapter conducted in August 2006 the first of the Popular Lecture Series, sponsored by Guru Nanak Engineering College, Hyderabad. The topic was EMRI, and the technology adapted.
- The Joint A C Nielsen and CSI Award function for the Small & Medium Businesses was held on 20th June, 2006.
- A condolence meeting was held on 24th August, 2006 for Dr Srikantan, Fellow, CSI who passed away on 19th August, 2006 at Bangalore. Dr Srikantan was the Organising Committee Chair for CSI-1976



held at Hyderabad and had made lot of contributions to the Society.

• The Chapter held a Press Conference on 7th December to announce the launching of ELTP (Exploratory Learning through Project) on 11th December, 2006 in association with Vital Score, a leading software house engaged in training, to provide 100 days quality project oriented training to the Engineering and MCA students of Andhra Pradesh who find it difficult to do a good project with the industry.

Kolkata:

- The Chapter held a lecture meeting on 13th May, 2006 in that for the first time both the presentation and the meeting itself was conducted in Bangla enabling the local language computing infrastructure.
- Organized a Lecture by Dr Pradeep Srivastava, Sr. Scientist from Young, Active & Dynamic" on 30th June, 2006.
- Organized a two-day workshop on "Current Trends in Bio-Informatics (CTB-06)" from 30th June to 1st July, 2006 at Birla Institute of Technology,in association with BIT. Kolkata.
- Celebrated the Computer Day on 15th December, 2006 when it invited quite a few well known schools of Kolkata. The programme included an enlightening presentation on the concept of E-business (Electronic Business) which was followed by seven rounds of quiz, each round based on a particular topic of computers.

Mankapur:

 The Chapter in association with IETE (Mankapur Sub-Center) and ITI Ltd (Mankapur unit) organized a two-day National Conference on "Next Generation Networks, Evolution, Application & Limitation" on 24th & 25th February, 2007.

Mumbai:

 A two-day Conference titled Quality of Project Management-2006 (CQPM-2006) was jointly organized by the Chapter and the Project Management Institute in Mumbai on 15th & 16th September, 2006. The theme of the event was "Is Project Management Quality Ensuring Customer Delight". Microsoft and QAI were the knowledge partners for the event.

Patna:

· The Chapter organized a one-day workshop on

- "Career Prospects in Information Technology" on 15th November, 2006 in association with Dr Zakir Husain Institute, Patna. As part of the workshop a half-day Seminar on the theme "Strategy & Planning for upcoming IT Professionals" was also organized.
- Organized a one-day Seminar on "IT in Bihar Prospects & Constraints" on 18th November, 2006.
- Conducted a lecture meeting on the topic "Information Technology & Cyber Law" on 15th January, 2007.
 Besides the Chapter members students of BCA, MCA & B Tec (Computer Sciences) were invited to attend the meeting.

Pune:

 The Chapter organized a one-day Seminar on "Affordable Computing" on 13th April, 2006

Rourkela:

- The Chapter organized a Technical Talk on "ERP Design and Implementation" on 6th May, 2006.
- Organised a Technical Talk on "Industrial Eathernet Networking" on 17th June, 2006.
- Organised a Technical Talk by Prof R V Rajkumar, Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering, IIT Kharagpur, on "Wireless Networks" on 22nd July, 2006
- Organized a Technical Talk on "Computer Vision Syndrome" on 19th August, 2006.
- Organized a Technical Talk on "Fuzzy Logic Application to Modelling & Control" on 16th September, 2006.
- Organized a Technical Talk on "Business Process Re-engineering and Change Management" on 14th October, 2006.
- Organized a Talk on "Managing Stress in Information World" on 11th November, 2006.
- Organized a Technical Talk on "Decision Support System for Maintenance Management" on 30th March, 2007.

Solapur:

 The Chapter organized a one-day Seminar on "IT Trends in 2007" on 24th March 2007 at Bharat Ratna Indira Solapur University. Besides the members of the Chapter about 250 Engineering students and others participated in the event. Also, a few stalls by some corporates were put up at the venue.

Shriji Ongole:

The Chapter organized a two-day workshop on

Computer Hardware Assembly on 3rd & 4th March, 2007.

Surat:

- A talk aimed at bringing about awareness and meaning of Right to Information Act was held on 6th May, 2006 at SCET, Surat by Mr Tejas Patel of Strategic Alliance, that developes IT solutions
- A talk about virtualisation of servers was also held on 15th May, 2006 at SCET, Surat by the guest speaker Mr Rajiv Sreekantan.
- The Chapter organized a talk on"Introduction to Networking and Linux" on 17th March, 2007.
- Organized a workshop on "Demonstration and Configuration of Linux Desktop and Server" on 24th March, 2007.

Udaipur:

- The Chapter organized a lecture meeting on "Live Stress Free" on 19th June, 2007 at Secure Meters Ltd in association with Indian Institute of Materials Management, Udaipur Branch.
- With the assistance of GBH American Hospital organized Executive Health Awareness programme at Udaipur on 30th September, 2006.
- Organized Computer Awareness Programme for DEAF students on 6th November, 2006.
- As part of CSI Day the Chapter organized a round table conference on "eGovernance" at Secure Meters on 6th March, 2007.

Vellore:

- The Chapter organized its first programme of the academic year 2006-'07 in association with the CSI Student Branch of Vellore Institute of Technology on the theme "Open Source Software – Research and Development Opportunities" The Chapter also organized a half-day Seminar on "Software Quality Assurance".
- Organized a two-day workshop on "Network Modeling and Simulation" on 17th & 18th March, 2007 which was hosted by School of Computing Sciences, VIT University.

Vishakapatanam:

- The Chapter organized a presentation on "Enterprise Risk Management" (ERM) on 6th September, 2006.
- · Organized a Talk on "Cyber Crimes and Laws" in

association with Vishakapatanam Steel Plant for the benefit of internet users on 14th October, 2006.

Reports received from the Chapters on activities conducted, were regularly published in CSI Communications. However, there were many Chapters who had conducted activities but not sent reports.

During the year some of the Chapters were inactive and not functioning in accordance with the guidelines of the Society resulting in problems and handicaps in the smooth and efficient functioning of the Society. The ExecCom had requested the Regional Vice Presidents concerned to contact and / or visit such Chapters to try and reactivate them. The ExecCom had also agreed to provide financial grants to needy Chapters for revival based on the recommendations of the Regional Vice Presidents. The relentless efforts were fruitful in a few cases and the efforts for revival of other inactive Chapters are continuing. Though the ExecCom has the easier option of closing down such inactive Chapters, it is strongly of the view that all possible efforts at revival should be made in the larger interest of servicing the members of those Chapters.

During the year the ExecCom granted an in principle approval to form a new Chapter at Noida.

Student Branches

During the year ExecCom had approved formation of new CSI Student Branches at the following educational institutions.

- 1. Allahabad Agricultural Institute, Allahabad.
- 2. Institute of Engineering & Technology, Lucknow.
- Vidya Vikas Institute of Engineering & Technology, Mysore
- Vivekananda College of Engineering for Women, Namakkal.
- 5. Mar Athanasios College for Advanced Studies, Tiruvalla
- 6. Aurora Degree College, Hyderabad.
- 7. Dhanalakshmi Srinivasan Engineering College, Perambalur.
- 8. The Oxford College of Engineering, Bangalore.
- 9. Jaypee Institute of Engineering & Technology, Guna.
- 10. Vellore Institute of Technology, Vellore.
- 11. Annasaheb Chudaman Patil College of Engineering, Navi Mumbai.
- 12. St Joseph's College of Engineering, Chennai.



- 13. Meenakshi Sundararajan Engineering College, Chennai.
- 14. D M I College of Engineering, Chennai.
- 15. P E S College of Engineering, Mandya.
- 16. New Horizon College of Engineering, Bangalore.
- 17. Amrita School of Engineering, Coimbatore.
- 18. Dhanlaxmi College of Engineering, Chennai.
- M P Nachimuthu M. Jaganathan Engineering College, Erode.
- 20. DKTES Textile & Engineering Institute, Ichalkaranji.
- 21. AISSMS College of Engineering, Pune.
- 22. Anil Neerukonda Institute of Technology & Science, Vishakapatnam.
- 23. G H Raisoni College of Engineering, Nagpur.
- 24. K S R College of Engineering, Tiruchengode.
- 25. Valliammai Engineering College, Kattankulathur.
- 26. Charotar Institute of Technology, Changa, Anand.
- 27. Raj Kumar Goel Institute of Technology, Ghaziabad.
- 28. Shah & Anchor Kutchhi Engineering College, Mumbai (Activity Centre).
- 29. JIMS, New Delhi.
- 30. Shri Vishnu Engineering College for Women, Bhimavaram.
- 31. Acropolis Institute of Technology & Research, Indore.
- 32. Xavier Institute of Engineering, Mumbai (Activity Centre).
- 33. Institute of Technology & Management, Gwalior.
- 34. East West Institute of Technology, Bangalore.
- 35. Lourdes Matha College of Science & Technology, Trivandrum.
- 36. Sree Chitra Thirunal College of Engineering, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 37. Reva Institute of Technology & Management, Bangalore.
- 38. Technocrats Institute of Technology, Bhopal.
- 39. Sant Baba Bhag Singh Institute of Engineering & Technology, Jalandhar.
- 40. D R Institute of Engineering & Management Studies, Cuttack.
- 41. Kings College of Engineering, Pudukkottai Dist.

- 42. P A Aziz College of Engineering & Technology, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 43. Jerusalem College of Engineering, Chennai.
- 44. University Institute of Engineering & Technology, Chandigarh.
- 45. Gudlavalleru Engineering College, Gudlavalleru.
- 46. S R R Engineering College, Kanchipuram Dist.
- 47. Adhiparasakthi Engineering College, Melmaruvathur.
- 48. A V C College of Engineering, Nagai.
- 49. M G R College, Hosur.
- 50. Gates Institute of Technology, Anantapur.

With the approval of the above Student Branches the number of CSI Student Branches (also called Branches for convenience) as on 31st March, 2007 stood at 303 as follows Regionwise:

Table - 4

Regions	Territory	No. of Student Branches	% of Total
Region-1	Delhi, Punjab, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Uttar Pradesh, Uttaranchal And other areas in Northern India	27	8.911
Region-II	Assam, Bihar, West Bengal North Eastern States and other areas in East and Nor East India	,	5.610
Region-III	Gujarat, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan and other areas in Western India	41	13.531
Region-IV	Jharkhand, Chattisgarh, Orissa and other areas in Central & South Eastern India	5	1.650
Region-V	Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh	64	21.122
Region-VI	Maharashtra and Goa	41	13.531
Region-VII	Tamil Nadu, Pondicherry, Andaman and Nicobar, Kerala, Lakshadweep	108	35.644
	Total	303	100.00

Most of the Student Branches were active during the year and conducted activities beneficial to the students. Brief details of some of the activities conducted and reported to CSI HOs are given below.

Ahmedabad:

- A one-day Seminar on Advance Technologies and Dot NET 2005 was conducted on 19th April, 2006 by the Branch of GLS Institute of Computer Technology, Ahmedabad. The Branch also conducted a one-day workshop on "PC Assembly and Trouble Shooting" on 19th August, 2006. Further, the Branch also organized a Seminar on "Linux System Administration" on 23rd September, 2006.
- A one-day Seminar on "Network Security" was conducted on 16th April, 2006 by the Branch of AES Institute of Computer Studies, Ahmedabad. The Branch also conducted a one-day workshop on Multimedia Flash & Action Scripting on 17th September, 2006. Further, as part of Computer Day celebrations a lecture on "Open Source Technologies: PHP and MySQL" by Mr Amit Mendapara, Senior Software Engineer, Tiny ERP India Pvt. Ltd, Ahmedabad was organized by the Branch.

Allahabad:

 The Branch of Allahabad Agricultural University-Deemed University was formally inaugurated with the support of the CSI Allahabad Chapter.

Alluri Institute of Management Sciences, Warangal:

 The Branch at the institute was inaugurated on 10th November, 2006 by Mr Amarnath Rao, Chairman, CSI Hyderabad Chapter who delivered the key note address. The Branch conducted a student activity "Young IT Manager" on the occasion.

Amrapali Inst. of Mgmt & Comp. Applications, Haldwani, Lucknow:

 The Branch at the institute in association with IBM India organized a two-day workshop on "IBM Open Source Software".

Aurora's Degree & PG College, Hyderabad:

 The Branch at the college was inaugurated on 20th September, 2006. A lecture on "Interaction in Education and Industry for Mutual Benefits" was presented on the occasion by Col M Vijay Kumar, senior Vice President at Kernexmicro.

Baba Banda Singh Bahadur Engineering College, Fatehgarh Sahib:

 The Branch organized a Programming contest "Software Crunch" on 20th & 21st March, 2007 in which over 150 college students participated.

Bardoli, Surat:

- The Branch of Shrimad Rajchandra Institute of Management and Computer Application in association with CSI Surat Chapter and CSI Student Branch, Bardoli organized a National Conference on Intelligent Information Retrieval & Processing (NCIIRP-2006) and SMITE-2006, on 29th & 30th April, 2006 at Gopal Vidyanagar, Bardoli.
- The Branch in association with the Gopal Vidyanagar Computer and Management Alumini Association organized a Seminar entitled "Pre and Post requisites for MCA / BCA 6th Semester Project Training" on 22nd August, 2006.
- As part of the CSI Day celebrations on 6th March, 2007 the Branch organized a lecture on "Flash" by Ms Dhara Tandel of Anand Systems India, Surat. It was followed by a one hour technical talk on "Phishing in the ocean of Security" by Mr Dharmendra G Bhatti, Asst. Professor, and Ms Jikitsha Sheth, Lecturer at the institute.

Bangalore Institute of Technology, Bangalore:

 The CSI Student Branch at BIT, Bangalore was formally inaugurated on 22nd May, 2006 when Mr T Sabapathy, Chairman, CSI Bangalore Chapter gave a presentation on the topic "Project Planning & Management". The Branch with support from CSI Bangalore Chapter organized on 4th & 5th November, 2006 a Technical Event "AAROHANA-2006" which consisted of 13 events with total participation of nearly 1500 participants.

Banasthali Vidyapith, Jaipur:

 The Branch organized a two-day Fest called "RENDEZVOUS" on 26th & 27th July, 2006, which included exciting rounds like Brain Twister, Gab Fest and Mind Space.

Bhavnagar:

• The Branch at Department of Computer Science, Bhavnagar University, Bhavnagar organized a Programming Competition on 20th April, 2006 for MCA 2nd and 4th Semester students. The Branch also conducted a three-day fast track training program mainly based on career counselling, from 12th to 14th May, 2006 for the MCA 6th Semester students. Further, a three-day Personality Development Training workshop was also conducted from 6th to 8th August, 2006.



Bharati Vidyapeeth, Delhi:

- The Branch organized one-day seminar on "Information Security" in association with CSI Delhi Chapter.
- The Branch in association with CSI Delhi Chapter organized a half-day Seminar on "Robotics" at Bharati Vidyapeeth's Institute of Computer Applications and Management (BVICAM), New Delhi.

Calicut:

 The Student Branch of AWH Engineering College, Calicut was formally inaugurated on 24th April, 2006.
 A special presentation on GIS (Geographic Information System) was held on the occasion.

Coimbatore:

 The Branch along with the IT departmental student association of Amrita School of Engineering, Coimbatore conducted an intra-collegiate student symposium "TITANIQ-2006" on 29th august, 2006.

Delhi College of Engineering, Delhi:

 The Branch which has over 300 student members organised the annual technical festival "PHOENIX" from 16th to 18th October, 2006 with Tata Consulting Services as the title sponsors of the festival.

Dharmsinh Desai Institute of Technology, Nadiad:

 The Branch at the institute conducted a three-day workshop on "Networking" from 12th to 19th August, 2006.

Easwari Engineering College, Chennai:

 The Branch organized on 19th February, 2007 a Paper presentation and Programming contest common to all students. Papers were presented in the fields of VLSI, Nano Technology, Network Security, Grid Computing, Mobile Networks etc whereas the participants in programming contest showed their problem solving skills using C, C++, Java etc.

Ganadhipathy Tulsi's Engineering College, Vellore:

 The Branch at the college was inaugurated by Dr S Arumugam, CSI Regional Vice President (Region-VII), and Prof H R Vishwakarma, CSI National Student Coordinator. They also delivered key note addresses to the participants of the workshop on "Mobile Computing" organized on the occasion.

Indian Institute of Management, Indore:

 The Student Branch of the institute was inaugurated on 3rd February, 2007 by Mr Lalit Sawhney, CSI President. Jayaram College of Engineering & Technology, Tiruchirapalli:

 The Branch in association with CSI Tiruchirapalli Chapter organized a one-day workshop on "Recent Trends in Computer Architecture" on 10th March, 2007.

Malla Reddy College of Engineering, Secunderabad:

 The Student Branch at Malla Reddy College of Engineering was inaugurated by Mr Amarnath Rao, Chairman, CSI Hyderabad Chapter.

Mohamed Sathak Engineering College, Kilakarai:

 The Student Branch at the college was formally inaugurated on 20th August, 2006 by Dr K Ramar, Regional Student Coordinator (Region – VII), HOD CSE Department, National Engineering College, Kovilpatti. After the inauguration a Technical Seminar on "Virtual Reality" was conducted.

Mookambigai College of Engineering, Keeranur:

- The Branch organized a one-day State Level Technical Symposium "DEXTRA XP - '06" on 25th September, 2006 with participation of students from 12 colleges.
- The Branch in association with Bharathidasan University Technology Park organized a one-day workshop on "Software Development – Trends in Technologies and Methodologies" on 19th March, 2007.

M P Nachimuthu M Jaganathan Engineering College, Erode:

 The Branch at the college was inaugurated on 30th March, 2007 by Mr Ranga Rajagopal, Secretary, CSI Coimbatore Chapter.

National Engineering College, Kovilpatti:

- The Student Branch at the college organized a Seminar on ".Net Technology" on April 4, 2006.
- Organized a Seminar on "Mobile Computing" in which the Chief Guest Dr Alex Aravind, Asst. Professor in University of Northern British Columbia, Canada gave a very useful talk on "Mobile Computing".
- Organized a Seminar on "New Developments in IT Hardware Industry" for students and faculty members.
- Organized a Debate on the topic "Has Information Technology made Human Lazy" and "E-Learning" on 5th September, 2006 for M E final year students. A Group Discussion on "Machine made Man" on

- account of Engineers Day was also held on 15th September, 2006 for students.
- Organized a Seminar on the topic "Windows and Web Applications" on 23rd September, 2006. The Branch also conducted a National Level Technical Symposium "XINEC '06" on 27th September, 2006. Further, the Branch organized a Multimedia Presentation competition on the topics Professional Ethics and Environmental Science on 13th October, 2006.
- Organized a Placement Training Seminar on the topic "Skills to face the Challenges" on 13th December, 2006 exclusively for first year Engineering graduate students.
- Organized a Seminar on the topic "A View on IT Sector" on 5th January, 2007. Mr Sateesh Palanisamy, Director, Syntel, Chennai was the Chief Guest
- Organized refresher courses on "Web Designing" from 23rd to 25th January, 2007 for which 118 students were registered.
- Celebrated CSI Day on 6th March, 2007 and as part of the celebration organized a special lecture and group discussion for the students of the college.
- Organized a special Lecture on the topic "SAP" on 21st March, 2007.

National Engineering College, Chennai:

- The inaugural and installation function of Student Branch for the academic year 2006-'07 was held on 20th July, 2006.
- The Branch organized a Seminar on "Mobile Computing" at the college premises.

NMAM Institute of Technology, Nitte (Karnataka):

- The Student Branch at the institute was inaugurated on 28th October, 2006. Mr T Sabapathy, Chairman, CSI Bangalore Chapter, delivered the key note address.
- Celebrated CSI Day on 6th March, 2007 with a talk on "Bioinformatics" by Dr Niranjan Chiplunkar, HOD of the Dept. of CSE. Also, the Branch organized on 26th March, 2007 "LINUX Awareness Workshop" in which about 250 students participated.

Oxford College of Engineering, Bangalore:

 The Student Branch at the college was inaugurated on 20th November, 2006. Mr T Sabapathy, Chairman, CSI Bangalore Chapter gave the key note address. Organized a one-day Seminar Gyandeep to give the student members and outside participants some research ideas in the fields of Image processing and Data mining. Mr Ramesh Raju, the Executive Director of the Oxford institutions gave the key note address.

R V College of Engineering, Bangalore:

- The Student Branch with the support of CSI Bangalore Chapter organized a National Seminar on "Software Quality & Testing (SQT – '06)" on 27th May, 2006.
- Organized and conducted the "Young Talent Search in Computer Programming 2006" competition for the school children on 9th July, 2006 in which 12 school teams from across the state participated.
- Organized a "Career Guidance Program" on 9th September, 2006 with a talk by Mr Viral S Patel – Software Engineer, IBM India.
- The college conducted the 20th CSI Karnataka Student Convention with the Theme "IT Convergence
 – Innovations & Products" on 13th & 14th October, 2006 in association with CSI Bangalore Chapter. In fact, RVCE hosted this annual convention for the third time.
- Organised a Technical Talk on "Preview for Advanced Studies" on 31st January, 2007 by Mr Arvind R, Research Fellow, Carnegie Melon University (an Alumini of RVCE).
- Organized a Technical Talk on "Virtual Graphics" by Dr P J Narayan of IIIT, Hyderabad on 3rd March, 2007. The Branch also organized on 20th March, 2007 an invited Lecture by Dr Qi Lu, Senior Vice President, Web Search Yahoo, on "Scaling Search Beyond the Public Web – Challenges".

Rajalakshmi Engineering College, Chennai:

 The Branch organized a National Symposium on 8th March, 2007 on the topic whether students of the first year IT courses in Engineering colleges be addressed on the professional aspects or is it too early. There were a number of speakers. An interesting Quiz programme was also conducted on the occasion which kept the audience in excitement.

Sai Ram Engineering College, Chennai:

 A function to inaugurate the activity of the Student Branch was held in which the key note address was delivered by Mr. D Swaminathan, Vice Chairman of CSI Chennai Chapter. Mr K Adhivarahan, Chapter Chairman emphasized the soft skills to be learned by the students.



Sona College, Salem:

• The Branch conducted "Dazzle '06", an Intra Departmental Symposium, on 5th October, 2006.

Sri Krishna College of Engineering & Technology, Coimbatore :

- The Branch was inaugurated on 11th August, 2006. In his inaugural speech the Chief Guest Dr Ramalingam Sridhar, Professor, State University of New York, spoke about "Recent Trends in Wireless Networks and Security Aspects".
- Conducted a Seminar on 22nd September, 2006 on "Blogging" on which the Chief Guest Mr Kasilingam, CEO, Nutpam Technologies, Coimbatore spoke at length.
- Conducted the second National level technical symposium on 23rd March, 2007 in which over 200 student members participated. As part of the programme a Technical Paper Presentation was held in which students from various engineering colleges presented their papers on topics such as Mobile Networks, Grid Computing, Data Mining, Genetic Algorithm etc.

Sree Sastha Institute of Engineering & Technology, Chennai:

- The Branch at the college was formally inaugurated by Mr K Adhivarahan, Chairman, CSI Chennai Chapter who addressed the gathering on the soft skills to be developed among the student community.
 - Sri Sivasubramaniya Nadar College of Engineering, Kalavakkam:
- The Branch organized a Programming Contest on 26th March, 2007 the finals of which was held the next day. A total of 61 teams of 2 students each participated in the contest.

Thiagarajar College of Engineering, Madurai:

- The Student Branch at the college was formally inaugurated on 19th July, 2007. The Chief Guest Mr V Ram Prakash, Managing Director of Industrial Estate Corporation, Madurai, spoke on Open Source Software and the current state of art in the IT field.
- Organized a Seminar on "Software Testing Techniques"
- Organized a Seminar on AJAX Technology on 11th August, 2006 with an introductory talk by Mr Kaushik Srenevasan of Microsoft India.

- Organized an Intra Department Multimedia Contest for the Junior Students on 11th September, 2006. Also the Final Year Students gave three days training in the last week of August in multimedia tools like Flash, Swish, etc. for the Junior Students to give them awareness about the various multimedia tools.
- Organized a two-day workshop on "Evolution of Computing towards .NET 3.0 and Allied Technologies" on 26th & 27th February, 2007. The Branch also celebrated CSI Day on 6th March, 2007 with a Paper Presentation Contest on the theme "Affordable Computing".

Valliammai Engineering College, Kattankulathur:

 The Student Branch at the college was inaugurated on 24th March, 2007 by Mr S Ramasamy, Secretary, CSI Chennai Chapter. A Seminar on "Challenges and Opportunities in IT" was held on the occasion.

Vellore Institute of Technology, Vellore:

Vivekanand Education Society's Institute of Technology, Mumbai:

• CSI-VESIT for its annual symposium held on 10th March, 2007 organized a lecture on 'Bomb Detection and Safety' by Mr S K Anthony, Senior Inspector of Police of the bomb detection squad, which included live demonstrations of explosions. The trained Labrador, Caesar who is an active member of the squad also thrilled the audience by his prompt obedience and ability to locate a bomb by virtue of his sense of smell. The CSI-VESIT's annual magazine "Interface" was launched on the occasion.

Reports of the activities received from the Student Branches concerned were published during the year in CSI Communications. However, it may be noted that many other activities conducted by the Student Branches during the year could not be mentioned due to non receipt of reports.

National and Regional Student Conventions

1. National Student Convention-2006

The CSI Kolkata Chapter hosted the two-day CSI National Student Convention and Paper Presentation Contest on 23rd and 24th November, 2006 at Science City, Kolkata during the CSI-2006 Annual National Convention held by the Chapter. Fifteen papers were selected for presentation on these two dates out of the 52 papers received. On the basis of the evaluation of paper presentations prizes were given to students.

2. Regional Student Conventions

- i) **Region-I:** Students Convention on the theme "Enterprise Application Development Methodologies & Tools" was organized on 25th February, 2007 by CSI Delhi Chapter in association with Bharati Vidyapeeth's Institute of Computer Applications and Management.
- "Software Engineering Methodologies & Tools" was organized on 17th and 18th February, 2007 by CSI Ahmedabad Chapter in association with the Student Branch of Hemchandracharya North Gujarat University, Patan, Gujarat. The Convention included many students related events such as presentation /demonstration of innovative project work and programming contests in addition to debate and quiz competitions. It also had tutorials for students on Requirements Engineering, Software Estimation, architectures & Design, Software Inspection and Verification and Validation by eminent professionals and authors.
- iii) **Region-IV**: Students Convention was organized by the CSI Student Branch of the Institute of Management Studies, Rourkela in association with CSI Rourkela Chapter on the theme "Web Engineering" on 24th & 25th March, 2007. As part of the Convention a web design contest was held and an award for the best web design was presented.
- iv) Region-V: Students Convention on the theme "Security of Information Gathered & its Management (SIGMa 2007) was jointly organized by the Student Branch of R V Engineering College, Bangalore and CSI Bangalore Chapter on 23rd and 24th March, 2007. It was inaugurated by Mr Ramachandra Gowda, Minister for Planning, Small Savings, Science & Technology, Govt. of Karnataka. The Convention had Invited Lectures, Technical Paper Presentations and other events like Technical Quiz and Programming.
- v) Region-VII: Students Convention on the theme "Pervasive Computing The Technology and its Applications" was organized by the Student Branch of National Engineering College, Kovilpatti on 23rd and 24th February, 2007. The Convention had paper presentations, project demonstration, and programming / debate / quiz competitions. In the tutorial session, Mr K

G Srinivasan, dealt with the topic "Challenges: An Application Model for Pervasive Computing". Dr S Arumugam, Regional Vice President, CSI (Region-VII) was the Chief Guest and released the Convention Proceedings and Necnet V8 Magazine.

Support for Student Activities

The Society is conscious of the fact that students of Engineering and Technology colleges are going to be the IT and other professionals of the future and to groom them into becoming good professionals they need to be given support and also provided opportunities and platform to interact with the industry and academia but these can essentially come only at a price. Hence, the ExecCom took the following important decisions concerning Student Branches.

- Provide financial support upto 1/3rd amount of annual student membership fee received from the Branch conducting activities.
- Provide Rs 50,000 (including seed money of Rs 15,000) to every Region to conduct Regional Student Convention at least once a year.
- Provide Rs 1,00,000 (including seed money of Rs 30,000) to hold an Annual National Student Convention at the national level during the CSI Annual National Convention.
- To encourage research, provide funding of good research projects of students, identified and approved by CSI.
- Provide Rs 50,000 to design and develop a portal for "CSI Adhyayan" for students.
- Nominate a National Student Coordinator who will coordinate student activities with the assistance of Regional Student Coordinators and others. He / She will be a permanent invitee to all meetings of the ExecCom and hence provided travel support etc.
- Provide additional budgetary support if needed, to Regional student Coordinators to encourage them to be more proactive.

The above decisions are expected to result in heavy financial implications to the Society but the ExecCom is strongly of the view that financial support is very essential if the Society is to ensure increase in student activities for the progress and growth of the students.

CSI Events

The Society conducted National, Regional, Divisional and International events during the year at various locations



across the country. Details of the events conducted are shown in Table-5 below:

Table - 5

Events	Organized	Date & Location	Organized by
I	NATIONAL EVENTS: 1) CSI-2006, the 41st Annual National Conference of CSI Theme: "Affordable Computing"	23rd to 25th Nov 2006 at Kolkata	CSI Kolkata Chapter
II	REGIONAL EVENTS: 1) SRC-2007, the Southern Reg. Conf. Theme: "Open Systems"	2nd & 3rd Feb 2007 at Coimbatore	CSI Region VI & CSI Coimbatore Chapter
III	DIVISIONAL EVENTS: 1) Workshop on Automotive Software Engineering Methodologies	1st & 2nd Sep 2006 at Vellore	CSI Divison II & CSI Vellore Chapter in association with TIFAC-CORE in Automotive Electronics, Software Process Improvement Network (SPIN)
	2) Workshop on Knowledge Management	13th & 14th Oct 2006 at Chennai	CSI Division II & CSI Chennai Chapter
	3) BIG-2006, the National Conference of Business & Industry Group Theme: "IT in Emerging Markets"	9th to 10th Nov 2006 at Bangalore	CSI Division IV & CSI Bangalore Chapter
	4) OBCOM-2006, the International Conference on Mobile, Ubiquitous and Pervasive Computing	18th & 19th Dec 2006 at Vellore	CSI Divison II & IV & CSI Vellore Chapter
	5) National Conference on IT in Defence Theme: "IT-Vision & Challenges of the future"	13th & 14th Dec. 2006 at Bangalore	CSI Division IV & CSI Bangalore Chapter
	6) ICTP-2006, the National Seminar on ICT for Productivity	23rd Dec 2006 at Vallabh Vidyanagar	CSI Divison V & CSI Vallabh Vidyanagar Chapter
	7) Workshop on Software Maintenance	20th Jan 2007	CSI Division II and CSI Chennai Chapter
	8) National Conference on e-Governance Theme: "Redefining Governance through	2nd & 3rd Feb 2007 at Lucknow	CSI Divison III & CSI Lucknow Chapter
	9) National Conference on Web 2.0 Theme: "Web 2.0 – Innovation & Challenges"	22nd & 23rd Feb 2007 at Bangalore	CSI Divison IV & CSI Bangalore Chapter
IV	SIG EVENTS: 1) NWAI-2006, the National Workshop on Artificial Intelligence	3rd & 4th Jul 2006 at Mumbai	CSI - SIGAI

Regional Training Programme

A five days Southern Regional Training Programme on Open Source Software was jointly conducted by CSI Division-II (software), Centre of the International Cooperation for Computerization (CICC), Singapore, National Resource Centre for Free and Open Source Software (NRCFOSS), CDAC, Chennai and RMK Engineering College, Chennai from 22nd to 26th May, 2006. The training programme aimed to train the trainers in OSS and those trained would assist in the future training events to be organized by CSI in other parts of the country. The experience gained in organizing this first OSS training programme has given the confidence to plan to run similar events at other regions after identifying the

host institutions.

Research Activities

As part of its research activities the Society launched its scheme for R & D funding to help in carrying out minor research projects by Academicians / PG Students (Engineering Colleges and Technological Institutions) during the year. Details of the scheme was announced in CSI Communications and also uploaded in CSI website. The Expert Committee of CSI scrutinized the applications received and based on its recommendations the ExecCom approved to fund the research projects detailed in Table-6 below.

TABLE - 6

Sr. No.	Name and Designation	Name and Address	Title of Project of the Institution	Amount Sanctioned by CSI
1.	Mr. A Ashok Kumar	NMAM Institute of Technology Nitte - 574 110, Karnataka	Design Automation Tool for 3D FPGA	Rs. 20,000
2.	Mr. N K Karthikeyan Associate Professor	Sri Krishna College of Engineering & Technology, Kuniamuthur P O, Coimbatore-641 008	Resource Allocation in Multimedia Cellular Networks using Optimization Techniques	Rs. 50,000
3.	Ms. T Lakshmi Professor	Velagapudi Ramakrishna Siddhartha Engineering College, Kanuru, Vijayawada - 520 007	Data Standardization & Online Framework	Rs. 20,000
4.	Mr. M Jaiganesh Lecturer	PSNA College of Engg. & Tech., Kothandaraman Nagar, Dindigul-624 622	Graphical user interface for Data Base Mgmt. System	Rs. 6,000
5.	Ms. K Sundarakantham Lecturer	Thiagarajar College of Engg. Madurai-625 015	Automated text Categorization	Rs. 30,000
6.	Mr. S Paramasivam Lecturer	Panimalar Engg. College, Chennai-Bangalore Trunk Road, Nazarethpettai, Poonamalle, Chennai-602 103	Adaptive Learning through Measurement of Interaction	Rs. 18,500

The CSI Education Directorate was entrusted with the responsibility of monitoring the implementation and progress of the above research projects in coordination with the Research Division of CSI. 50% amount for each of these projects was released in advance for implementation and further releases were based on the progress of the projects.

During the year the Department of Scientific & Industrial Research, Ministry of Science & Technology, Government of India, decided to accord renewal of recognition of Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation to CSI

for the period 01.04.2006 to 31.03.2009. Based on the renewal of recognition the Society has applied to the revenue authorities to grant the Society renewal of exemption for the period 01.04.2006 to 31.03.2009 from payment of income-tax.

MOU with Sister Societies and Others

CSI signed an MOU with Manufacturers' Association for Information Technology (MAIT) on 18th January, 2007 and an MOU with Institution of Engineers (India) on 5th March, 2007. Further, the Society signed an MOU with Microsoft



Corporation (I) Pvt Ltd on 9th March, 2007. The features and scope of these MOUs have been published in CSI Communications.

CSI's MOUs with Australian Computer Society, British Computer Society, Computer Society of Sri Lanka, Computer Society of Japan and Singapore Computer Society continued during the year. These MOUs primarily provide for reciprocal membership arrangements besides certain other facilities to each others' members.

CSI Publications

CSI Communications, the monthly publication of the Society, was regularly published with the active assistance of Dr T V Gopal, Chief Editor, who strived hard to improve the quality of the publication and brought out the following Special Theme Issues during the year.

1.	"Challenges in Academia- Industry Interaction"	April 2006
2.	"CAD / CAM"	May 2006
3.	"Mobile Content"	June 2006
4.	"Tacit Knowledge"	July 2006
5.	"Psychology of Programming"	August 2006
6.	"Artificial Intelligence"	September 2006
7.	"Data Warehousing and Business Intelligence in Practice"	October 2006
8.	"Network Security"	November 2006

9. "Software Maintenance" December 2006
10. "Bioinformatics" January 2007
11. "Telemedicine" February 2007 we
12. "The Last Mile" March 2007

Dr Gopal exerted considerable effort in bringing out the special theme issues with the assistance of the Guest Editors concerned. The theme issues have not only contributed to enhancing the quality of the publication but also provided great value and knowledge to our members, though at a cost, since the special issues essentially contain more number of pages than normal and considerably increase the cost of the publication and contribute to the overall increase in the cost of servicing the membership. CSI Communications when published was also hosted on the CSI website for the benefit of the members.

Mr Lalit Sawhney, President (2005-'06) CSI, through his column "From the President's Desk" in CSI Communications, the mouthpiece of the Society, regularly apprised the membership at large the plans, programmes and activities of the Society as also other issues of importance and interest to members.

Computer Science and Informatics, the quarterly Journal of the Computer Society of India, continued to enjoy its pride of place in the eyes of its readers because of the dedicated effort and hard work of Dr Manohar Chandwani, Editor, with whose assistance four issues of the publication i.e. Vol. 36: 2, 3 & 4 and Vol. 37: 1 were published during the year.

As Dr Chandwani completed his tenure as editor during the year Prof P V S Rao, Fellow and past President of the Society, has since taken over as Editor of the Journal.

CSI Building at Chennai

The project implemented during the previous year for strengthening, renovating and expanding the existing CSI National Head Quarters Building at Taramani, Chennai made considerable progress during the year and based on the progress made the first phase of the project was expected to be completed and made ready for occupation by July 2007. The Society has allocated sufficient funds to ensure that further progress of the first phase is not handicapped. The project when completed will enable the Society to provide additional infrastructure to successfully increase the educational, student, research and other activities of the Society.

Educational Activities:

- During the year the CSI Education Directorate at Chennai in association with SQTL, Pune conducted the CSI Software Testing Examinations at four centres (Bangalore, Mumbai, Indore and Pune) and awarded certificates. A total of over 1180 candidates were registered for these examinations which have since become very popular and a valuable asset to job seekers. In view of the increasing demand the frequency of these examinations have been increased and these are now held on the last Sunday of every month. The MOU with SQTL is in the process of being renewed so as to provide opportunities to more candidates to appear for these examinations for which the Directorate is planning to open more examination centres.
- Members may be aware that in view of the changes in the demand pattern in the IT field the holding of CSI National Standard Examinations had been suspended for quite some time as the Academic Committee of CSI was strongly of the view that conduct of these examinations should be resumed only after new syllabi is finalised. Accordingly, during the year the

Education & Research Division of CSI had drafted the syllabi for 10 core subjects and 3 electives. These were reviewed by 24 eminent Academicians and Practicing Professionals, and finalised. Since the new syllabi has been approved by the CSI Academic Committee and the ExecCom the Education Directorate is now in the process of re-launching the National Standard Examination.

- The Education Directorate has been conducting since the year 2003 Professional Examinations on behalf of the British Computer Society twice a year. Accordingly, during the year under review these examinations were held from 19.04.2006 to 03.05.2006 and 13.10.2006 to 18.10.2006 at Mumbai and Bangalore centres. A total of 35 candidates appeared in these BCS examinations conducted by CSI.
- For the courses conducted by CSI Nagpur Chapter for the employees of Maharashtra State Electricity Board and its Corporation, the Education Directorate conducted examinations on 25.06.2006, 10.09.2006, 10.12.2006 and 18.02.2007 and awarded Certificates to the 41 candidates who had successfully appeared.
- As in the past, the Education Directorate conducted on 19.10.2006 examination on WORD & EXCEL for the blind students of Victoria Memorial School for the Blind, Mumbai. A total of 25 students had registered for the examination of which only 16 qualified.
- During the year the Education Directorate conducted the CSI Young Talent Search Contest in Computer Programming. The selection process was quite elaborate. A total of 102 school teams, each of 3 students under the age of 17 years, had registered for the contest. After the first level regional contest held at 15 centres across the country and the final national level contest held at Chennai two school teams, one each from D A V Boys' Senior Secondary School, Chennai and Lilavatibai Podar Senior Secondary School, Mumbai were selected. selected two teams were given extensive training at Rajalakshmi Engineering College, Chennai and taken to Colombo, Sri Lanka by a Chaperon from CSI for participation in the SEARCC International Software Programming Competition for School Students. In that competition held on 15.09.2006 several teams from SEARCC countries had participated and the Indian team from Lilavatibai Podar School won the First Prize and that from DAV Boys' School won the Third Prize.

Sending two school teams (each of 3 students) abroad along with the Chaperon, for participation in international competition entails considerable expenditure and the Society expresses its grateful thanks to the Sponsors Paharpur Cooling Towers Ltd, Kolkata, Satyabama Engineering College (Deemed University), Chennai, Tata Consultancy services Ltd, Chennai, and SQTL Integrated Solutions Pvt. Ltd, Pune for their magnanimous and timely assistance in making the participation by the school teams possible.

 Mr S Sudharssanam, CSI's Regional Director, Chennai had an interactive talk for about 50 minutes in All India Radio, Chennai on 07.06.2006 on the contribution of CSI in its four decades of standing since inception.

International Activities

1. IFIP

During the year the Society submitted its bid to the International Federation for Information Processing to host the IFIP World Computer Congress-2010 in India. IFIP had received bids from several of its member countries to host the event. A two-member Site Inspection Committee of IFIP was scheduled to come on a two-day visit to India during the 3rd week of May, 2007 to see the sites offered by CSI

2. SEARCC

During the year CSI made efforts to continue SEARCC in the back drop of strong suggestions made by some SEARCC members to dissolve the organization. As a result of the efforts made by CSI the whole focus has since turned to continue SEARCC and conduct its activities. A final decision on these issues will be taken at the next SEARCC Annual Convention scheduled to be held in Bankok in November 2007 which CSI will be attending.

Celebrations of Independence Day and Republic Day :

- Independence Day, for the first time was celebrated in CSI National Head Quarters Building at Taramani, Chennai on 15.08.2006. Maj. Gen A Balasubramanian, Fellow & Past President of CSI hoisted the National Flag. All the Officials of CSI at Chennai along with CSI members attended the function.
- Republic Day was celebrated in CSI National Head Quarters Building on 26.01.2007. Prof C R Muthukrishnan, Fellow & Past President of CSI hoisted



the National Flag and Maj Gen A Balasubramanian hoisted the CSI Flag. Several members from Chennai attended the function.

The Independence Day and the Republic Day will be celebrated every year in CSI National Head Quarters Building at Taramani, Chennai in future.

Special Interest Groups of CSI:

SIG by its very nature is a focus group and its activity is national in character. The SIG membership is through email groups and essentially we should be able to enthuse academic and research community to participate. Though the SIG is having functional autonomy it should essentially be working with the concerned Division to be within the frame work of the CSI Constitution & Byelaws. During the year the following proposed SIGs were approved by the ExecCom.

- 1. CSI-SIG-AI (Artificial Intelligence) Convenors, Prof. PVS Rao & Dr. S Ramani.
- 2. CSI-SIG-SE (Software Engineering) Convenor, Prof. Pankaj Jalote.
- 3. CSI-SIG-GC (Grid Computing) Convenor, Prof. Janakiraman
- 4. CSI-SIG-OSC (Open Source Computing Convenor, Mr. Satish Babu.
- 5. CSI-SIG-EG (E-Governance) Convenor, Dr. Ashok Agarwal.

Besides, proposals to form the following SIGs were under various stages of consideration.

- 1. CSI-SIG-NLC (Natural Language Computing)
- 2. CSI-SIG-IS (Information Security)
- 3. CSI-SIG-CS (Computing Standards)

CSI Annual Awards

I. CSI - Nihilent e-Governance Awards:

The main objective of the CSI-Nihilent e-Governance Awards is to recognize and appreciate the successful efforts of states and organizations in achieving good governance using ICT. These awards for the year 2005-'06 were announced and presented to the following winners at a function held on 24th November, 2006 during CSI-2006, the Annual National Convention of the Society organised at the Science City, Kolkata when Mr Siddharth, IAS, Secretary IT & Biotechnology, Govt. of West Bengal made a presentation on "IT in e-Governance".

- 1. Best e-Governance State (Overall category) Award
 - j) Joint overall winners –
 Gujarat & Karnataka States
 - ii) Future Potential Jharkhand State
- 2. Best e-Governance Project Award
 - i) Overall winner e-Sagu
 - ii) Joint overall Runner up Bhoomi, e-Dhara, Khajane
 - iii) Service orientation Bangalore One
 - iv) Technology National Portal of India
 - v) Sustainability PIMS
 - vi) Special Jury Award e-Abhiyan

An encouraging feature of the e-Governance awards for 2005-'06 was that we received an overwhelming response of over 100 entries.

II. CSI National IT Awards for the years 2004-'05 & 2005-'06:

During the year the CSI National IT Awards were given for two years i.e. for the years 2004-'05 and 2005-'06 as these Awards could not be given last year. The Awards presented were as follows:

For the year 2004-'05:

1. CSI - TCS Award for Best Usage.

First Prize awarded to Network for Information and Computer Technology (NICT), Indore for the "Project Sharada" implemented at NICT, Indore.

Second Prize awarded to Srimad Rajchandra Institute of Management & Computer applications (SRIMCA), Gopal Vidhyanagar, (Surat) for the project "Web student Information System" implemented at SRINMCA.

2. CSI – WIPRO Award for Best Package Application / Project.

First Prize awarded to CMC Limited for the project "State Finance Monitoring System for State Govt. of Madhya Pradesh".

Second Prize awarded to Steel Authority of India Limited for the project "PRODUCTION PLANNING & CONTROL SYSTEM at Rourkela Steel Plant"

For the year 2005-'06:

1. CSI - TCS Award for Best Usage.

1st Prize awarded to Reliance Industries Limited for

the project "Petroleum Retail Automation System"

2nd Prize awarded to TATA STEEL Limited, Jamshedpur for the project "Optimized Planning and Loading of Wagons at Cold Rolling Mill at Tata Steel.

2. CSI – WIPRO Award for Best Package Application / Project

First Prize awarded to CMC Limited for the project "Project National Skills Registry"

Second Prize awarded to BHEL, Ranipet for the project "Maintenance Management Application"

The Judges Committee had not recommended any nomination for the CSI – Infosys Award for the Best Shrink – Wrapped Software Product due to lack of entries in this category. It was decided that the category of this award will be changed from next year in consultation with Infosys Technology Ltd.

III. CSI National Young IT Professional Awards

As mentioned in the Society's Report for 2005-'06 the National Young IT Professional Awards - 2005 final Contest for young IT professionals up to the age of 30 years, was held on 14th May, 2006 at Bangalore at the national level. The theme of the event was "Innovation for National Development". The winners of the four Regional contests held earlier at Ghaziabad, Kolkata, Bangalore and Pune had participated in the final event and the Panel of Judges after critical evaluation of the presentations had declared the winners as mentioned in that Report.

CSI YITP-2006 Awards: The Eastern Regional Contest for the YITP Awards for the year 2006-'07 was conducted by CSI Kolkata Chapter on 25th November, 2006 as part of the CSI-2006 Annual National Convention organised by the Chapter at Science City, Kolkata. Likewise, during the year the Northern, Western and Southern Regional Contests for these Awards were also conducted by Delhi, Mumbai and Bangalore Chapters respectively. The winners of these four Regional contests participated in the final round held at the national level on 24th March, 2007 at Bangalore. A total of nine papers were received from the Regional level Winners and Runners up from the industry and all the papers were of good quality. All papers except one Runner-up from the Western region who was absent, were presented. The Panel of Judges based on the parameters like originality, technical feasibility / viability, content, presentation, ROI, its benefit to the industry and to the people in general etc, evaluated the presentations

and declared the following winners:

CSI-Computer Associate Trophy & Cash Prize of Rs 15,000 & Certificate.

Winner - First Prize

Title: "Smell Monitoring of Black Tea During Fermentation Using Electronic Nose"

Author(s): Amitava Akuli , Arun Jana & Devdulal

Ghose ---- EAST ZONE

Organization: C-DAC, Kolkota

2. Computer Society of India Trophy & Cash Prize of Rs.10,000 & Certificate

Winner – Second Prize (1st Runner-up Award)

Title: "Simulation of Ztranmission System for Testing of the Distance Relay"

Author(s): Rithik Majumder ----- SOUTH ZONE

Organization: ABB Global Services Limited, Bangalore

3. Special Mention Award : CSI IT People Special Mention Award Cash Prize of

Rs 5,000 and Certificate.

Winner - 2nd Runner-Up Award

Title: "STRING SEARCH"

Author(s): D. Veeresh ----- SOUTH ZONE

Organization: Parity Computing India P Ltd,

BANGALORE

Mr. Lalit K Sawhney, President CSI presented the Awards to the winners and Prof Swarnalatha Rao, Regional Vice President (Region-V) and Convenor for the YITP Awards-2006-'07 concluded with a vote of thanks.

Other Annual Awards of CSI:

The following annual Awards for the year 2005-'06 were presented at the Annual General Meeting of the Society held during CSI-2006 Annual National Convention of CSI held at Kolkata in November 2006.

Chapter Patron Awards

- 1. Mr. Nanda Kishore Lal, Cuttack
- 2. Mr. Satchidanada Dehuri, Balasore
- 3. Dr. J R Arora, Delhi
- 4. Prof. Pradeep Pendse, Mumbai
- 5. Dr. K Poulose Jacob, Cochin



- 6. Mr. M Y Khan, Allahabad
- 7. Mr. Ashok Mehta, Ahmedabad
- 8. Dr. Anand Deshpande, Pune
- 9. Prof. Mohit Roy, Kolkata

Best Chapter Newsletter

- 1. Region 1: Hardwar Chapter
- 2. Region 2: Kolkata Chapter
- 3. Region 4: Cuttack Chapter
- 4. Region 5: Bangalore Chapter

Best Student Branch

- 1. Bharati Vidyapeeth's Institute of Computer Application and Management, Delhi and Delhi College of Engineering, Delhi, Region 1.
- 2. Nirma Institute of Technology, Ahmedabad, Region 3
- 3. VIT, Pune, Region 4.
- 4. R V College of Engineering, Bangalore, Region 5.
- 5. National College of Engineering, Kovilpatti, Region 7.

Vandana Goyal Award for female candidate securing highest marks in software testing examination held during 2005

Ms Netra Naik, Pune.

Best National Chapter Award

Jointly shared between Bangalore and Delhi Chapters.

Best Regional Chapter Award (Category B / C)

- Lucknow Chapter, Region 1.
- 2. Kolkata Chapter, Region 2.
- 3. Ahmedabad Chapter, Region 3.
- 4. Bhilai Chapter, Region 4.
- 5. Vishakapatnam Chapter, Region 5
- 6. Coimbatore Chapter, Region 7

Due to various reasons the Memorial Awards, except Vandana Goyal Award, given annually could not be given for the year 2005-'06.

Elections

As in the previous year the CSI elections at the national level for the various elective offices for the year 2007-'08 / 2008-'09 were conducted electronically during the year. Simultaneously, some of the proposed amendments

to the CSI Constitution were also balloted and approved electronically. With the experience gained during the last two years in successfully conducting the CSI elections electronically the 'ExecCom is strongly of the view that Chapter elections too should be concurrently conducted electronically sooner than later. However, a final decision in this regard will be taken after studying the feasibility from all angles.

CSI Website

During the year a contract was entrusted to M/s Sakshay, Delhi for the design and implementation of a new CSI website. The contractors had completed 90% of the coding by the end of the year. The new website is expected to be completed and commissioned after successful trials.

Rememberance

- 1. Brig. V M Sundaram, the fourth President of CSI and Fellow passed away on 2nd June, 2006 at New Delhi at the age of 80 to the ravages of Cancer within a few months. 'Sandy' to friends, he was a brilliant cricketer, a speedy hockey winger, and a dashing fly-weight boxing champion. He was practical, unassuming and very outspoken to say the least. He was from Doon School, MCC and did his BE in Telecommunication from College of Engineering, Madras in 1948. He set up the EDP Centre at the Army Headquarters in Delhi in 1969 and was the architect of DOEACC. He joined CSI as the lead nominee of Army HQ Signals as an Institutional Member and was elected President CSI (1973-'74) when he successfully ushered CSI into the International Federation for Information Processing (IFIP). Later, in 1985 he was conferred the CSI Fellowship. In his passing away the Society has lost one of its senior professionals who will ever be remembered for his contribution and sustained support. A condolence meeting was held to pay him tributes at the CSI National Head Quarters at Chennai on 4th June, 2006 which was well attended by the CSI veterans and others.
- 2. Dr. S Srikantan, a Fellow and very ardent supporter of CSI passed away on 19th August, 2006 at Bangalore at the age of 74. He held a Ph. D in Electrical Engineering from Moore School, University of Pennsylvania, USA and was one among the true pioneers of the Information Technology industry in India in which he got involved in the mid sixties. He formed and led a group at the Atomic Energy Establishment, Trombay to design and develop digital computers for India and eventually took these designs into production at the Electronics Corporation of India.

He was a visionary and was deeply involved in R&D and in establishing a firm foundation for the growth of IT industry in India. In his passing away the Society has lost one more of its senior professionals during the year. He will ever be remembered in CSI for his useful contribution and support over the years.

Acknowledgement

The overall performance of the Society during the year 2006-'07 was quite satisfactory in spite of several handicaps and unforeseen adverse circumstances. The

ExecCom has been making relentless efforts at improving the performance and enhancing the image of the Society further, and counts on the contribution and support of its members and all others concerned.

In conclusion, I take this opportunity to express my gratitude to the members, bankers, auditors, employees and all others concerned for their contribution, support and cooperation during the year.

Satish Babu

Hon Secretary, CSI



CSI Chapters

Guwahati

Ahmedabad
Allahabad
Annamalainagar
Aurangabad
Balasore
Bangalore
Bhilai
Bhopal
Bokaro
Calicut
Chandigarh
Chennai
Chittorgarh
Cochin
Coimbatore
Cuttack
Dehradun
Delhi
Dhanbad
Durgapur
Ghaziabad
Goa

Ahmodahad

Gwalior Hardwar Hosur Hyderabad Indore Jabalpur Jaipur Jamshedpur Kanpur Karaikudi Koneru Kolkata Lucknow Mankapur Mhow Mumbai Mysore Nagpur Nashik Navi Mumbai New Guntur

Patna Pondicherry Pune Raipur Ranchi Rourkela Salem Siliguri Solapur Surat Thane Thanjavur Tiruchirapalli Trivandrum Udaipur V V Nagar Vadodara Vellore Vijayawada Visakhapatnam

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Treasurer's Report

It gives me great pleasure to present the Audited Annual Accounts of the Society for the year ending March 31, 2007 alongwith Auditor's Report. Members will kindly observe from the Auditors Report that the quality and procedure adopted for maintenance of Accounts are in uniformity with the requirements of the Public Societies Registration Act No. 1 of 1350.

The consolidated Balance sheet of CSI HQ and Chapters is given in the Annual Report. Many Chapters {refer Auditors Report point (4)} have not sent their accounts for audit, inspite of repeated reminders from Head Quarters about deadlines in submitting the accounts for audit. Hope that from next year onwards all chapters would submit their accounts for audit in time.

Total assets of the Society have increased to Rs 1030.84 lakhs as on 31.3.2007 as against Rs 962.20 lakhs as on 31.3.2006 registering an increase of Rs 68.64 lakhs during the year. The revenue surplus during the year was Rs 27.70 lakhs as compared to Rs 34.75 lakhs in the previous year.

This year, the attachments to the annual accounts includes a separate Region-wise P & L statement, which will be useful in improving the management of the society. Region I, III, V, VI and VII have registered an overall surplus during the financial year, whereas Region II and IV have an overall deficit. I would request and appreciate if the chapters in Region II (Assam, Bihar, West Bengal, North Eastern States and other areas in East and North East India) and Region IV (Jharkhand, Chattisgarh, Orissa and other areas in Central and South Eastern India) would put in more efforts and try to register a surplus in the next financial year.

Lastly, I take this opportunity to express my grateful thanks to the Executive Committee, Management Committees of the various Chapters of the Society and Finance Committees of major events for the co-operation extended during the year. I also thank the National & Regional Auditors and all the employees of the Society for their valuable service and support during the year.

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Satish Doshi

Hon. Treasurer CSI (2006-2007)

ATTENTION MEMBERS!

Any query related to accounts, to be forwarded to CSI HQ 7 days in advance of AGM, which shall be replied at the AGM, when concerned agenda item is taken up.

Executive Secretary, CSI

M/s. Pruthviraj Shah & Co.

Chartered Accountants

P. C. Shah B.Com. (Hon.) F.C.A.

Report of Auditors for CSI

(Consolidated)

- 1. We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of the Computer Society of India as at 31st March, 2007 and also the annexed Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended on that date, in which are incorporated the audited accounts of all its Chapters and we report as under:
- 2. We have obtained all the information and explanations, which, to the best of our knowledge and belief, were necessary for the purposes of our audit.
- In our opinion, the Accounts are maintained in conformity with the requirements of the Public Societies Registration Act No.1 of 1350.
- Further to note no. 2(a) to notes to accounts we have not received the accounts of the following Chapters for consolidation:

Region - 1 : Kanpur

Region - 2: Patna, Gauhati & Siliguri

Region - 3: Jabalpur & Jaipur

Region – 4: Raipur, Balasore & Jamshedpur.

Region – 5: Ongole, New Guntur & Koneru

Region - 7: Salem, Vellore, Karaikudi & Annamalai.

- 5. The Accounts of Region 2 & 4 are consolidated relying on audit report of regional auditor, M/s Dutta Gosh & Associates, Chartered Accountants and regions 5 & 7 are consolidated relying on report of regional auditor, M/s N. Sivaprasad Associates, Chartered Accountants.
- 6. We have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit.

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, and subject to para 4 herein above and read with notes to accounts and read with report of Regional Auditor, M/s N. Sivaprasad Associates, Chartered Accountants for Hyderabad Chapter, give a true and fair view-

- (a) In the case of the Balance Sheet of the affairs as at 31st March, 2007; and
- (b) In the case of Income and Expenditure Account of the Excess of Income over Expenditure for the year ended on that date.

Sd/-P. C. SHAH F.C.A. - (M. No.11682)

Prop. M/S. Pruthviraj Shah & Co.

Chartered Accountants

Place: Mumbai

Date: 29th October, 2007

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CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2007

Previous Year Ended 31.3.2006	ASSETS	SCHEDULE		Current Year
Rs.			Rs.	Rs.
	FIXED ASSETS	А		
5724874	Buildings			10120965
715215	Office Furniture & Fittings			1052722
2203190	Office Equipments			2599125
147880	Books			142523
72231427	INVESTMENTS	В		72356132
15198156	CURRENT ASSETS, LOANS & ADVANCES	С		16812555
96220742	Total		:	103084022
Previous Year Ended 31.3.2006	LIABILITIES	SCHEDULE		Current Year
Rs.			Rs.	Rs.
92768605	RESERVES & EARMARKED FUNDS	D		99106092
1932174	CURRENT LIABILITIES & PROVISIONS	E		2807935
1519963	CHAPTER BALANCES			1169995
96220742	Total		:	103084022

For COMPUTER SOCIETY OF INDIA

Sd/- Sd/-President Hon. Secretary

Sd/- Sd/-Hon. Secretary Hon. Treasurer

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As per our report of even date annexed Sd/-

P. C. SHAH, F.C.A. – (M. No. 11682) FOR PRUTHVIRAJ SHAH & CO.,

Chartered Accountants

Chartered Accountants
Proprietor

Mumbai

Dated: 29th October, 2007

CONSOLIDATED INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2007

Previous Year Ended	INCOME Schedule		Annual Convention	HQ	Chapters (As per
31.3.2006					statement)
Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
7230026	Membership Fees	8284022	0	8284022	0
10796536	Conferences concerned with Development of Technology & Education	11366689	4794540	1388618	5183531
1836314	Courses & Examinations in Advance Technical Areas	3697852	490000	1138501	2069351
162708	Advertisements	260900	95000	0	165900
856805	Publications	651133	0	651133	0
4379070	Interest	4581732	7525	3049923	1524284
581340	Sponsorships, Donations & Contributions	677864	0	0	677864
131758	Prior period adjustments	262644	0	198660	63984
402465	Miscellaneous	548996	4900	113739	430357
26377022	Total	30331831	5391965	14824596	10115270
Previous Year Ended 31.3.2006	EXPENDITURE Schedule		Annual Convention	HQ	Chapters (As per statement)
Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
7329268	Conferences concerned with Development of Technology & Education	8054666	4378138	314746	3361782
917664	Courses & Examinations in Advance Technical Areas	1619608	0	1184420	435188
3522923	Publications	4170656		4096074	74582
7675048	Administrative Expenses F	9631264		6281608	3349655
2021133	Establishment Expenses G	2379078		1533680	845398
1348052	Depreciation	1410187	0	841939	568248
71730	Prior period adjustments	181816	0	99217	82599
300	Loss on sale of Fixed Assets	0	_	0	0
15293	Bad debts written off	114200	0	0	114200
3475611	Excess of Income over Expenditure transferred to various reserves	2770356	1013827	472912	1283618
26377022	Total	30331831	5391965	14824596	10115270

For COMPUTER SOCIETY OF INDIA

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 President
 Hon. Secretary
 Hon. Treasurer

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As per our report of even date annexed Sd/-

P. C. SHAH, F.C.A. – (M. No. 11682)

FOR PRUTHVIRAJ SHAH & CO.,

Chartered Accountants Proprietor

Mumbai

Dated: 29th October, 2007





ANNEXURE TO CONSOLIDATED INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 2007

Membership Fees Conferences concerned with	loral Contraction of the contraction of the contrac	Region I	Region II Rs.	Region III Rs.	Region IV Rs.	Region V Rs.	Region VI Rs.	Region VII Rs.
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Development of Technology & Education Courses & Examinations in	5183531	554404	223879	213112	200	1137770	1921886	1132280
Advance Technical Areas	2069351	29300	640050	190555	240560	122300	556611	289975
Advertisements	165900	2075	84000	3000	10000	0	66825	0
Publications	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Interest	1524284	548320	114390	287719	112894	30660	197136	233165
Sponsorships, Donations & Contributions	677864	162500	0	82000	0	0	275000	158364
Prior period adjustments	63984	35323	0	0	0	18661	10000	0
Miscellaneous	430357	⊣	110910	0069	2500	96373	120623	93050
Total 1	10115270	1331922	1173229	783286	366154	1405763	3148082	1906835
EXPENDITURE	Total	Region I Rs.	Region II Rs.	Region III Rs.	Region IV Rs.	Region V Rs.	Region VI Rs.	Region VII Rs.
Conferences concerned with								
Development of Technology & Education	3361782	216563	0	172192	46676	308863	1527639	1089848
Courses & Examinations in								
Advance Technical Areas	435188	37062	15697	175144	104512	6165	92130	4478
Publications	74582	0	17193	11149	0	0	28188	18052
Administrative Expenses	3349655	291776	814524	358739	176505	353407	951062	403642
Establishment Expenses	845398	0	301502	1000	98500	170492	236204	37700
Depreciation	568248	10865	157924	28620	14671	234872	97347	23950
Prior period adjustments	82599	10298	3500	15697	0	0	35088	18016
Loss on sale of Fixed Assets	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Interest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bad debts written off	114200	0	0	0299	0	0	0	107530
Excess of Income over Expenditure	1283618	765358	(137110)	14075	(74711)	331963	180424	203619
transferred to various reserves								
Total 1	10115270	1331922	1173229	783286	366154	1405763	3148082	1906835

SCHEDULE - A SCHEDULE OF FIXED ASSETS AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2007

A) Buildings

Previous Year Ended 31.03.2006	Chapter	Opening WDV Rs.	Additions / Sales / Discarded	Depreciation for the year	Closing WDV Rs.
89392	Ahmedabad	89392	0	8939	80453
346745	Bangalore	346745	330368	67711	609402
162155	Cochin	162155	0	16216	145939
1560032	Hyderabad	1560032	0	156003	1404029
1629719	Mumbai	1629719	0	162972	1466747
608112	Mumbai H.Q.	608112	0	60811	547301
431430	Kolkata	431430	0	43143	388287
176263	Coimbatore	176263	0	17626	158637
200719	Goa	200719	12750	21347	192122
174417	Chennai Edu Dir.	174417	0	17442	156975
0	Chennai New WIP	0	2069974	0	2069974
0	Delhi Bldg WIP	0	1100000	0	1100000
0	Visakhapatnam Bldg WIP	0	1489798	0	1489798
248722	Pune	248722	0	24872	223850
97168	Trivandrum	97168	0	9717	87451
5724874	TOTAL	5724874	5002890	606799	10120965

B) Office Furniture & Fittings

Previous Year Ended 31.03.2006	Chapter	Opening WDV Rs.	Additions / Sales / Discarded	Depreciation for the year	Closing WDV Rs.
170309	HQ	170309	0	17030	153279
59031	Ahmedabad	59031	0	6113	52919
42663	Goa	42663	0	4266	38397
94485	Mumbai	94485	0	9449	85036
5454	Nagpur	5454	0	545	4909
20897	Pune	20897	0	3265	17631
43470	Bangalore	43470	0	4347	39123
4754	Chennai	4754	0	475	4278
6836	Cochin	6836	0	684	6152
49110	Coimbatore	49110	3820	5102	47828
52806	Hyderabad	52806	36525	7107	82224
12009	Pondicherry	12009	0	0	12009
4038	Tiruchirapalli	4038	0	0	4038
26128	Trivandrum	26128	0	2613	23515
0	Vijayawada	18813	0	1881	16932
0	Visakhapatnam	350695	0	0	350695
1850	Bhilai	1850	0	278	1572
0	Indore	0	0	0	0
4977	Lucknow	4977	0	498	4479



B) Office Furniture & Fittings

Previous Year Ended 31.03.2006	Chapter	Opening WDV Rs.	Additions / Sales / Discarded	Depreciation for the year	Closing WDV Rs.
18097	Mankapur	18097	0	1807	16290
54479	Mhow	54479	0	5448	49031
3573	Bokaro	3573	248	225	3596
3007	Bhopal	3007	0	301	2706
34986	Kolkata	34986	2850	3784	34052
2256	Durgapur	2256	0	226	2031
715215	TOTAL	1084723	43443	75445	1052722

C) Office Equipments

Previous Year Ended 31.03.2006	Chapter	Opening WDV Rs.	Additions / Sales / Discarded	Depreciation for the year	Closing WDV Rs.
422741	HQ	422741	157160	218110	361791
6662	Ahmedabad	6662	0	2960	3702
2653	Goa	2653	0	588	2065
225770	Mumbai	225770	3484	47694	181560
20416	Nagpur	20416	0	7673	12743
60156	Nasik	60156	0	15122	45034
8365	Pune	8365	7500	6724	9141
40118	Bangalore	40118	289261	23396	305983
5777	Chennai	5777	8161	1780	12158
498	Cochin	498	0	75	423
15344	Coimbatore	15344	73075	6678	81741
128276	Hyderabad	128276	570500	198141	500635
25308	Pondicherry	25308	0	0	25308
2038	Tiruchirapalli	2038	0	0	2038
10800	Trivandrum	10800	0	6543	4257
54235	Bhilai	54235	0	8135	46100
0	Indore	3920	0	0	3920
94	Lucknow	94	0	14	80
62771	Mankapur	62771	0	8546	54225
85765	Mhow	85765	0	13700	72065
32	Udaipur	32	0	32	0
23968	Bokaro	23968	4834	3835	24967
941267	Kolkata	941267	2400	141550	802117
54002	Durgapur	54002	0	10800	43202
439	Bhopal	439	0	66	373
5695	Ranchi	5695	0	2198	3497
2203190	TOTAL	2207110	1116375	724360	2599125

D) Books

Previous Year Ended 31.03.2006	Chapter	Opening WDV Rs.	Additions / Sales / Discarded	Depreciation for the year	Closing WDV Rs.
18621	HQ	18621	0	0	18621
5373	Goa	5373	0	1075	4298
34238	Mumbai	34238	0	0	34238
4727	Nagpur	4727	0	946	3782
59420	Calicut	59420	0	0	59420
11891	Trivandrum	11891	0	2973	8918
12583	Kolkata	12583	1199	1358	12424
1027	Durgapur	1027	0	205	822
147880	TOTAL:	147880	1199	6557	142523
8791159	Total Fixed Assets	9164587	6163907	1413161	13915335



SCHEDULE - B INVESTMENTS AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2007

As at	PARTICULARS	FD with	Accrued	As at
31.03.2006		Banks	Interest	31.03.2007
Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	EARMARKED INVESTMENTS:			
3294904	IT Award Fund	3286325	25743	3312068
11985851	Life Membership Fund	12400955	268404	12669358
2479336	Chapters Fund	1724956	45857	1770812
15954	Vandana Goyal Award Fund	15000	0	15000
422726	TDC Project	421384	27079	448463
1670641	CSI Professional Dev. Corpus	1664732	7503	1672235
2125303	CSI VLDB Endowment	2117265	13344	2130609
1087217	CSI PDC ICDE 2003 (IEEE)	1000000	10366	1010366
	OTHER INVESTMENTS:			
48778205	In Fixed Deposits with banks	47883523	1203794	49087317
371292	In Fixed Deposits with Public Sector Cos.	239904	0	239904
72231427	Total	70754043	1602090	72356132

SCHEDULE - C CURRENT ASSETS, LOANS AND ADVANCES AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2007

Previous Voor anded	PARTICULARS	Current Year
Year ended 31.3.2006		tear
Rs.		Rs.
	ADVANCES & RECEIVABLES	
3570631	Debtors/Receivables	5205245
2312891	Advances & Deposits	2524116
310900	Prepaid expenses	309774
6194422	Sub-Total (A)	8039135
	CURRENT ASSETS	
1070	Stock of Kits, Tie & Tie Pins, etc.	1070
	CASH & BANK BALANCES	
92184	Cash, Cheques & Postage in hand	115186
8910480	Bank Balances in Savings & Current Accounts	8657163
9003734	Sub-Total (B)	8773420
15198156	Grand Total (A + B)	16812555

SCHEDULE - D RESERVES & EARMARKED FUNDS AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2007

Previous Year ended 31.3.2006	PARTICULARS		Current Year
Rs.		Rs.	Rs.
43985208	01. GENERAL RESERVE Add: Excess of Income over Expenditure	45929897 2770356	48700253
	BUILDING FUNDS		
5032529	02. BUILDING FUNDS - CHAPTERS Less: Transfer From Building Fund	5163888 (125000)	5038888
7477898	O3. BUILDING & FACILITIES Balance as per last B/S Add:Transfer from Income & Expenditure Account	7477898 0	7477898
1188594	O4. BUILDING MAINTENANCE Balance as per last B/S Add:Transfer from Income & Expenditure Account	1188594 0	1188594
	CSI OBJECTS & RESEARCH FUNDS		
4760974	O5. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & RESEARCH Balance as per last B/S Add:Transfer from Income & Expenditure Account	4760974 0	4760974
2386279	O6. ADMINISTRATIVE Balance as per last B/S Add:Transfer from Income & Expenditure Account	2386279 0	2386279
	07. CONTINUING EDUCATION & VISITING LECTURES		
1188593	Balance as per last B/S Add:Transfer from Income & Expenditure Account	1188593 0	1188593
1183895	08. LIBRARY FACILITIES Balance as per last B/S Add:Transfer from Income & Expenditure Account	1183895 0	1183895
1188593	09. PUBLICATIONS Balance as per last B/S Add:Transfer from Income & Expenditure Account	1188593 0	1188593
68392564	Balance Carried Forward		73113967



SCHEDULE - D (Contd.) RESERVES & EARMARKED FUNDS AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2007

Previous Year ended 31.3.2006	PARTICULARS		Current Year
Rs.		Rs.	Rs.
68392564	Balance Brought Down 10. STUDENT ACTIVITIES		73113967
1188595	Balance as per last B/S	1188595	4400-0-
	Add: Transfer from Income & Expenditure Account 11. INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITIES	0	1188595
1188594	Balance as per last B/S	1188594	
	Add: Transfer from Income & Expenditure Account	0	1188594
	12. CHAPTERS		
3442727	Balance as per last B/S	2756244	
	Add: Transfer from Income & Expenditure Account	63620	2819864
	13. MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS - CHAPTERS		
1724560	Balance as per last B/S Add: Addition to other funds	1663036 12154	1675190
		12154	1012130
10000	14. AWARD FUNDS (a) Anita Khanna	10000	
10000	(b) Kewal Dubey	10000	
5000	(c) Raizada	5000	
5000	(d) Students	5000	30000
	EARMARKED FUNDS		
3960869	15. IT Award Fund		3960869
1524753	16. VLDB '96		1524753
10163530	17. Life Membership Fund		
	Opening balance	10163530	
	Add: Life Membership Fee Received during the year	2237425	12400955
15000 1137414	18. Vandana Goyal Award Fund 19. ICDE - CSI - 2003 (IEEE) Fund		15000 1188306
92768605	Total		99106092

SCHEDULE - E CURRENT LIABILITIES & PROVISIONS AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2007

Previous Year Ended	PARTICULARS	Current Year
31.3.2006 Rs.		Rs.
	CURRENT LIABILITIES	
879842	Liability for expenses & Creditors	875042
1052332	PROVISION FOR EXPENSES & OTHER LIABILITIES	1932893
1932174	Total	2807935

SCHEDULE - F ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

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Previous	Particulars	Current
Year Ended		Year
31.03.2006		.
Rs.		Rs.
355172	Printing & Stationery	301524
498387	Postage & Telegram	545925
307140	Telephone, Telex/Fax	359840
486960	Rent, Rates and Taxes	541161
277050	Electricity	337523
300	Photo / Video Exp.	0
50500	Membership & Subscription & Donation	55100
120575	Student Chapter Share	117499
75580	Travelling	96308
0	Manager CMS Expenses	360061
0	Director - Membership & Publication expenses	70122
535140	Chief Executive Expenses	938040
196000	Director, Education Directorate Honorarium	612729
0	Financial Controller Expenses	349950
63945	OB's Expenses	26774
249711	Conveyance	241726
11511	Advertisement	87396
1350	Secretarial Assistance Expenses	0
17000	Accountancy Charges	34218
36608	Staff Welfare	70525
1495360	Meeting Expenses	1449263
426887	Election Expenses	456907
73442	Library (Honorarium to Librarian)	223207
	Repairs & Maintenance	
184590	- Building	105826
495943	 Office Equipment, furniture and fixtures 	657611
9183	Newspaper & Periodicals	7976
37619	Momento / Gifts	0
265	Reference Books	0
161976	Honorarium For Accountants	0
568665	Celebrations/Functions (e.g.Computer Day, AGM etc.)	478666
268585	Office Maintenance Expenses (e.g. conservancy, etc.)	276619
47765	Professional & Consultancy Fees	50500
0	Course / Study Materials	12430
32988	Bank Charges	57372
21332	Internet E-mail & Web Site Development Exps.	154012
8648	Insurance	13291
418014	Other Misc. expenses	402732
500	Profession Tax	0
	Auditors Remuneration	•
113775	- Audit Fees	138431
26582	- For expenses	0
7675048	Total	9631264



SCHEDULE - G ESTABLISHMENT EXPENSES

Previous Year Ended 31.03.2006	Particulars	Current Year
Rs.		Rs.
1731397	Salaries & Wages & Honorarium	2009775
40425	Conveyance Reimbursement	38400
45474	Leave Travel Allowance	81262
66653	Medical Reimbursement	107892
44308	Gratuity	23163
92876	Provident Fund (Chapter's Contribution)	118586
2021133	Total	2379078

SCHEDULE - H

Notes annexed to and forming part of Consolidated Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2007.

1. Disclosure of Accounting Policies:

- a) Previous year accounts have been re-grouped wherever necessary.
- b) The compilation consists of 49 Chapters as against 39 Chapters that were consolidated last year. The previous year figures are not comparable as consolidated chapters are not same for both years.
- c) Assets are carried on the basis of closing written down value and no historical cost details exist other than for building block. Depreciation is charged on written down value as per rates prescribed under Income-tax Act, 1961.
- d) Accounts are maintained on accrual basis, except that Membership fee is accounted on receipt basis

2. Contingencies and events occurring after the Balance Sheet date:

a) The following Chapters are put under probation.

Region-1: Kanpur Region-2: Patna Region-3: Jaipur Region-4: Raipur

b) The Income-tax Exemption u/s 35 is pending from 01-4-2003. We expect the exemption certificate to be received. However, if income is computed on the basis of exemption u/s 11 also there is no tax liability.

3. Prior Period items and changes in accounting policies:

There are no changes in accounting policies followed by the Head Quarters or the Chapters.

4. Depreciation Accounting:

- a) This accounting standard is discussed in note 1 above.
- b) The quantum of depreciation provided is adequate considering the lifetime of the assets.

5. Revenue Recognition:

Membership subscriptions are accounted on receipt basis.

6. Accounting for Fixed Assets:

Fixed assets are valued at cost less depreciation.

7. Accounting for effects of changes in Foreign Exchange Rates:

Receipts in foreign exchange are accounted on the basis of credit given by bank.

8. Accounting for Investments:

Investments are made in Fixed Deposits with Banks and public sector companies. These investments are stated at cost price.

9. Disbursement of Expenses:

Hon. Treasurer is authorised to conduct the fiscal affairs of the society and maintain records thereof, who will also be executing withdrawals of society funds under authority of ExecCom (vide Rule 4.3.2. read with 4.4.2.d.) subject to overall legislative directive and guidance and authority of general body (vide Rule 4.1.2.) and during course of audit disbursement are verified in the background of these provisions.

For COMPUTER SOCIETY OF INDIA

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 Mumbai
 President
 Hon-Secretary
 Hon-treasurer

 Dated: 29th October 2007
 (2006-2007)
 (2006-2007)
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CSI Annual General Meeting

AGM AGENDA

The 43rd Annual General Meeting of the Computer Society of India will be held at 16:15 hours to 17:15 hours on 30th, November, 2007 (Friday) at the Grand Ashok, Bangalore.

Agenda

- Item 1 : Confirmation of the minutes of the last Annual General Meeting held on 24th November, 2006 at Kolkata (minutes published in February, 2007 issue of CSI Communications).
- Item 2: To receive and adopt the Annual Report for the financial year 2006-2007.
- Item 3: To receive and adopt the Audited Accounts for the financial year 2006-2007.
- Item 4: Appointment of Auditors for FY 2007-2008 and fixing their remuneration.
- Item 5: Ratify the establishment of Student Branches approved during year 2006-'07:
- Allahabad Agricultural Institute, Allahabad
- Institute of Engineering & Technology, Lucknow
- Vidya Vikas Institute of Engg. & Tech., Mysore
- Vivekanandha College of Engg. For Women, Namakkal
- Mar Athanasios College for Advanced Studies, Tiruvalla
- Aurora Degree College, Hyderabad
- Dhanalakshmi Srinivasan Engg. College, Perambalur
- The Oxford College of Engg., Bangalore
- Jaypee Institute of Engg. & Tech., Guna
- Vellore Institute of Technology, Vellore
- Annasaheb Chudaman Patil College of Engg. Navi, Mumbai
- St.Josephs College of Engineering, Chennai
- Meenakshi Sundararajan Engg. College, Chennai
- D. M. I. College of Engineering, Chennai
- P. E. S. College of Engineering, Mandya
- New Horizon College of Engineering, Bangalore
- Amrita School of Engineering, Coimbatore
- Dhanlaxmi College of Engineering, Chennai
- M. P. Nachimuthu M. Jaganathan Engg. College, Erode
- DKTES Textile & Engg. Institute, Ichalkaranji
- AISSMS College of Engineering, Pune
- Anil Neerukonda Inst. of Tech. & Sc., Visakhapatnam
- G. H. Raisoni College of Engineering, Nagpur
- K. S. R. College of Engineering, Tiruchengode
- Valliammai Engineering College, Kattankulathur
- Charotar Institute of Technology Changa, Anand
- Raj Kumar Goel Institute of Technology, Ghaziabad

- Shah & Anchor Kutchhi Engg. College, Mumbai (Activity Centre)
- JIMS, New Delhi
- Shri Vishnu Engg. College For Women, Bhimavaram
- Acropolis Inst. of Tech. & Research, Indore
- Xavier Institute of Engineering, Mumbai (Activity Centre)
- Institute of Technology & Management, Gwalior
- East West Institute of Technology, Bangalore
- Lourdes Matha College of Sci & Tech., Trivandrum
- Sree Chitra Thirunal College of Engineering, Thiruvananthapuram
- Reva Institute of Technology & Mgmt., Bangalore
- Technocrats Institute of Technology, Bhopal
- Sant Baba Bhag Singh Inst. of Engg. & Tech., Jalandhar
- D. R. Inst. of Engg. & Mngt. Studies, Cuttack
- Kings College of Engg., Pudukkottai Dist
- P. A. Aziz College of Engineering & Technology, Thiruvananthapuram
- Jerusalem College of Engg., Chennai
- University Institute of Engg & Tech., Chandigarh
- Gudlavalleru Engg. College, Gudlavalleru
- S R R Engineering College, Kanchipuram Dist
- Adhiparasakthi Engg. College, Melmaruvathur
- A.V.C. College of Engineering, Nagai
- M. G. R. College, Hosur
- Gates Institute of Technology, Anantapur

Item 6: Any other business with the permission of the Chair.

Sd/-

Satish Babu Hon. Secretary, CSI