



## **Skipper Limited awarded 'Star Performer' by EEPC India**

*Wins in the category of "Other fabricated metal products, excl. Machinery & Equipment – Large Enterprise" from the Eastern region*

**Kolkata, February 23, 2016:** Skipper Limited, one of the renowned Power Transmission & Distribution and PVC Pipes manufacturing players in India, has been awarded the "Star Performer" by EEPC India for the year 2013 -14. This award is a testimony to the outstanding number of export orders by a large corporate in the Eastern India region in the 'Other fabricated metal products', excluding machinery and equipment category.

Skipper Limited, known for its business proficiency in the power transmission & distribution and PVC pipe manufacturing in India was felicitated with the award by honorable Mr. Keshari Nath Tripathi, Governor, West Bengal. Mr. Sajan Kumar Bansal, Managing Director, Skipper Limited was present to receive the award at the ceremony which took place in Kolkata.

Commenting on the occasion, **Mr. Sajan Kumar Bansal, Managing Director, Skipper Limited**, said, "We are truly humbled to receive this prestigious award from EEPC India. This milestone is an accolade that certifies, Skipper Limited as one of the market leaders in the Power & PVC Pipe sector. Our focus has always been in line with the current policy of 'Make In India' to promote products manufactured within India in the global market place. The 'Star Performer' honour by EEPC India is considered to be a benchmark for reviewing performances."

He further added, 'Our motivated workforce contributes to the success, strength and quality of our network and services. Our vision is to produce world - class quality products ensuring robust National Infrastructure development and making India the preferred sourcing hub for Global Infrastructure needs. We will continue to deliver high-quality products in the years to come.'

Skipper's PVC business has been registering 100% growth and has already captured a significant share of the Eastern India market. It has recently set up a PVC plant in Guwahati, which has a manufacturing capacity to produce 4000 MTPA plumbing and agri pipes. The company also has an initiative of excellence "Skipper Saathi" that, trains semi-skilled and unskilled plumbers. Through this initiative, the company aims to contribute to the growing requirement of trained manpower in plumbing and farming sectors.

### **ABOUT SKIPPER LIMITED**

Skipper Limited established in 1981 is one of the leading companies in the Power Transmission & Distribution and the PVC pipes segment. With over 30 years of domain knowledge it is ranked third in India and tenth globally basis the manufacturing capacity. Skipper differentiates its offerings with high quality but cost effective solution for infrastructure providers and telecom operators.

Its international footprint spans across continents such as Latin America, Europe, Africa and is spread across 20 countries with presence across sub-segments such as towers, EPC, monopoles and poles. The



company has been recently recognized as one of the fastest growing Transmission Tower companies in India on various forums.

Till last year, Skipper Limited was a regional powerhouse in the PVC pipe business for Eastern India. In the current year the company has expanded to cater to Western region of the country through the Plant in Ahmedabad and North Eastern region through the newly commissioned plant in Guwahati. A new plant in Sikandrabad is in the pipeline to cater to the northern region of the country, thus having a pan India presence. Under the brand name of 'Skipper', the company manufactures premium quality PVC pipes which serve both, the agricultural as well as plumbing sectors.

Skipper Limited is listed at BSE (538562) and NSE (Symbol: SKIPPER) in 2014 &2015 respectively.

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