

The Committee for Members in Entrepreneurship and Public Service organised its Annual Residential Meet of CA Members in Public Service from 29<sup>th</sup> -31<sup>st</sup> January 2021 at Taj Hotels, Goa. The Residential Meet was attended by 56 Members in Public Service from varied fields of Politics, Judiciary, IAS, IPS, IFS, IRS, ITAT and other Government department besides President and Vice President ICAI.

The Meet was inaugurated at the august hands of Chief Guest Shri. Piyush Goyal, Hon'ble Minister of Railways and Minister of Commerce and Industry, Consumer Affairs and Food & Public Distribution, Government of India (Through Video mode). Hon'ble Minister in his Special Address focussed that the Chartered Accountant plays a significant role in the Nation building. He emphasised that ICAI should encourage more and more Chartered Accountants to enter Public Service to serve the Nation. He urged that the CA with their power and dynamism will help India truly become a world leader and a catalyst in socio economic reforms and in making India a 5 trillion economy .

The Residential Meet was also graced by Special Address by Guest of Honours namely CA. Suresh P. Prabhu, MP and Prime Minister's Sherpa to G7 and G20, CA. Thomas Chazhikadan, MP, CA. Subhash Chandra Baheria, MP and CA. Raghav Chadha, MLA, Delhi and Dr. Kirit Somaiya, Former MP.

The Residential meet was also attended by Justice Anil R. Dave, Former Judge, Supreme Court, Justice Dr. Vineet Kothari, Senior Most Puisne Judge of Gujarat High Court, Justice Bhargav D Karia, Judge, Gujarat High Court, Justice Dinesh Mehta, Judge, Rajasthan High Court and CA. Jayawanth L, Additional District & Sessions Judge, Thiruvanthapuram who dwelled upon the mechanisms for improvement in the disciplinary system at ICAI.

There were 13 IAS officers, 1 IFS officer, 7 IPS officers, 15 IRS officers, 9 ITAT members including two Vice Presidents and other officers from regulatory bodies such as CAG, SFIO etc

The Residential Meet dwelled upon the current issues of New Age Profession- ICAI Vision 2030- Strategy and Way Forward, ICAI- Catalyst of Socio- Economic Reforms; Mission- 5 Trillion Economy-Role of CA's and Emerging Issues of Capital Market.