

## PRESS RELEASE

### VAB bags IMC Ramkrishna Bajaj National Quality – Certificate of Merit

**Panaji, March 18, 2017:** Vedanta – Sesa Goa Iron Ore, Value Addition Business (VAB) has entered into the league of esteemed organizations striving for excellence and was awarded the coveted **IMC RBNQ** (Ramkrishna Bajaj National Quality) **Certificate of Merit** in the **Manufacturing Category** for the year 2016 at the Award Ceremony held in Mumbai on 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2017.

VAB Team - M/s. Saptesh Sardesai - (Head – Met Coke Division & Coke ), Nitesh Nirala (Head – Pig Iron Division), Babaji Pagire (Associate Manager - Business Excellence) and Rajeshwari Shirhatti (Associate Manager-Finance) received the Award from Dr. Raghunath A Mashelkar (National Research Professor & President Global Research Alliance) Mr. Neeraj Bajaj (Chairman, IMC Ramakrishna Bajaj National Quality Award Trust ) and Mr. Suresh Lulla (Chairman, IMC RBNQ Award Committee).

“This additional feather in our cap is due to the relentless efforts by all team members including in-house assessors. This prestigious recognition is reaffirming our *Quest for Quality* and continuing our journey to the next level of excellence,” said Mr. N L Vhatte – Head Value Addition Business.

The Ramkrishna Bajaj National Quality Award is presented annually by the Indian Merchants' Chambers (IMC) to promote quality awareness and practices among Indian businesses, to recognize quality achievements of Indian companies and publicize successful quality strategies and programs. The Award categories include Manufacturing, Service, Small Business, Health care, Education and Overseas Organization. The Award is a national recognition by IMC Quality Cell, awarded to companies excelling in their Leadership, Strategic Planning, Customer Focus, Measurement Analysis, Knowledge Management, Workforce Focus, Operations Focus and Business Results.

**Photo caption :** Vedanta’s Value Addition team receiving the award from Dr. Raghunath A Mashelkar, Mr. Neeraj Bajaj and Mr. Suresh Lulla



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