

# **Bharatha Ratna Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's 125<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary Celebration**

Institute of Wood Science and Technology (IWST) Scheduled Castes (SC) and Scheduled Tribes (ST) Employees Welfare association had celebrated the Father of Indian Constitution Bharatha Ratna Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's 125<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary on 29<sup>th</sup> April 2016 at Lecture hall, IWST, Bengaluru. **Sri. Surendra Kumar, IFS, Director, IWST** presided over the function to pay homage to Dr. B.R. Ambedkar. **Sri. T. Suneel Kumar, IPS, Additional Director General of Police, Internal Security Division, Govt of Karnataka**, was invited as the chief guest. Honorable Chief Guest Sri. T. Suneel Kumar, IPS, inaugurated the 125 Seedling plantation programme at IWST Campus. Honorable Chief Guest Sri. T. Suneel Kumar, IPS, Sri. Surendra Kumar, IFS, Director, IWST, Sri. N. Mohan Karnat, IFS, Group Coordinator Research, Dr. T. S. Rathore, Scientist G, Sri. M. Srinivasa Rao, IFS, Chief Conservator of Forest, Dr. K. Murugesan IFS, Conservator of Forest and Coordinator facilities and Dr. Pankaj Aggarwal, Scientist F, addressed the gathering on the ideals of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar. Sri. Nagaraju, General Secretary of IWST SC/ST Employees Welfare association gave welcome address; Mrs. D. Venmalar, President of the association, reported the Annual achievements of the association. The chief guest awarded the student for her outstanding performance in SSLC examination and the function ended with vote of thanks by Dr. Anil Kumar Sethy. The function was compered by Mrs. Vanathi varatharaj. The function was attended by all the employees and students of the IWST, Bengaluru. Some of the photographs of the programme are attached below:

























