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Press Release

Bhiwandi's Local Textile Associations Extend Support To ITMACH 2014

ITMACH 2014 (International Textile Machinery and Accessories Exhibition), which is scheduled from 22-24th January in Bhiwandi got further boost from local textile manufacturers' associations. Bhiwandi's textile industry associations comprising of Halari Weavers Association, Bhiwandi Processors Association, Sizing Owners Association, Sonale Weavers Association, Padmanagar Weavers Association, Bhiwandi Textile Manufacturers Association, Bhiwandi Weavers Federation, SASMA have appreciated the first-of-its kind initiative to have an international textile machinery exhibition in the textile city in a meeting at SASMIRA Powerloom Service Centre's conference hall on 25th October. The associations have agreed to extend their wholehearted support to ITMACH 2014 exhibition and put forwarded their suggestions to make the event successful.

"Bhiwandi has a growing textile industry and as it is taking up rapid modernization to remain competitive, the need of such event in the city has been felt for some time now. Also, in spite of being a leading textile manufacturing hub, Bhiwandi has not got its due share of importance. Such event will bring focus to Bhiwandi's textile industry and help exchange of ideas and adoption of technology" said Manchhalal K Jain, a noted industrialist and promoter of Shree Daksh Jyot Silk Mills. The associations expressed that the ITMACH 2014 exhibition will have large visitation as Bhiwandi being connected well with other textile hubs for business as well as its proximity to India's commercial capital Mumbai.

Members of Bhiwandi's local Associations present in the meeting:

- D K Karve, Vice President, Bhiwandi Textile Manufacturers Association
- M Y Momin, President, Bhiwandi Weavers Federation
- Shafiq Momin, Secretary, SASMA
- Purshottam Vanga, President, Padmanagar Weavers Association
- Ratilal Sumaria, President, Halari Weavers Association
- Dhirubhai Galiyya, Secretary, Halari Weavers Association
- Manoj Shah, Vice President, Sonale Weavers Association
- Purshottam Patel, Member, Sizing Owners Association of Bhiwandi
- Ashok Dodhia, Member, Bhiwandi Processors Association
- M K Jain, Founder Director, Shree Daksh Jyot Silk Mills Pvt. Ltd.
- T Rajan, Co-ordinator, SASMIRA Powerloom Service Centre, Bhiwandi
- S. Mohile, Officer-In-Charge, SASMIRA Powerloom Service Centre, Bhiwandi

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Photo caption: **Meeting in progress at SASMIRA's office in Bhiwandi with the local Textile Associations on ITMACH 2014**

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