

9th KLSM India Seminar in Mumbai

on 4th & 5th Nov. 2009

The 9th KLSM India Seminar was held on 4th and 5th November at Ramada Hotel in Mumbai, welcoming the Indian seafarers along with delegates from Japan and Singapore.



In his opening speech, Mr Kuboshima, the president of KLSM Tokyo, has requested Indian seafarers for “their extended support towards the “K” LINE Group in this turbulent time.”

In the 2-day seminar, various speakers including external parties like Capt MC Yadav, Director of FOSMA who spoke on the Maritime labour Convention, seafarer’s identification document (SID) and STCW 2010, had lectures to renew the information and to provide refresh training to participants.

As time elapsed, the cloud of fear about the recession cleared away by the latest information shared and signs of recovery pointed out.

Capt Goyal in KLSM-Mumbai told seafarers “it wasn’t the first time the industry has encountered the recession, and was certain that it will bounce back to its previous glory”. And he elaborated how this would happen: "You on the high seas and us in the “K” LINE offices, are committed and determined to ride over this crisis,” he said.

As many as 68 seafarers took part in the event this year.