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*Inauguration of Apollo Proton Cancer Center on 25-01-2019*

Chairman, AERB also visited Central Leather Research Institute (CLRI), Chennai on 25th January, Southern Regional Regulatory center (SRRC) of AERB, Chennai on 25th January and Safety Research Institute (SRI) of AERB, Kalpakkam on 24th January . SRRC is the newly built office of AERB which was visited along with Dr. R.M. Nehru, OIC, SRRC.



*Visit of Chairman AERB to Central Leather Research Institute (CLRI), Chennai on 25.1.19*



*Chairman AERB reviewing the progress in CSRP project at CLRI on 25.1.19*



*Chairman AERB's visit to SRRC on 25.1.19*

During the visit at SRI, Shri V. Balasubramaniyan, Director, Nuclear Safety Analysis and Research Group (NSARG) and Director, SRI made a brief presentation on the overall activities being taken up at SRI. This was followed by detailed presentations by different groups and field visit to the study facilities in engineering hall and labs. Chairman, AERB appreciated the efforts being taken to strengthen the reliance on in-house competencies for review and assessment of the utilities submission to arrive at appropriate regulatory decisions.



*Chairman AERB reviewing Safety Research activities at SRI, Kalpakkam on 24.1.19*



*Chairman AERB visiting SRI Engineering Hall on 24.1.19*



*Chairman AERB visiting the chemistry laboratory at SRI, Kalpakkam on 24.1.19*