



## **Awards & Accolades in 2006-07**

The excellent performance of the company has been widely recognised. It has won number of awards and accolades in various fields during the financial year 2006-07. These include:

- The prestigious SCOPE Gold Trophy to SAIL for Excellence and Outstanding Contribution to the Public Sector Management – institutional category for 2004-05.
- SCOPE Meritorious Award to SAIL for Environmental Excellence & Sustainable Development for 2004-05.
- Prime Minister's Trophy for the best performing integrated steel plant to SAIL's Bhilai Steel Plant (BSP) for 2003-04 and 2004-05 making it record seven times recipient of this prestigious award.
- Prime Minister's Shram Awards to 10 SAIL employees for 2004.
- Businessworld-FICCI-SEDF Corporate Social Responsibility Award – 2006 to SAIL for its innovative Corporate Social Responsibility initiatives in the fields of education, access to drinking water, medical and healthcare, sanitation, communication/ roads, sustainable livelihood/ income generation, women's empowerment, tribal welfare, environment preservation, sports, reproductive and child healthcare, heritage preservation, cultural and recreational activities.
- Vishwakarma Rashtriya Puraskar to 41 SAIL employees for 2005, which constitutes one third of total awards conferred amongst employees of all PSUs as well as private sector in the country.
- First ever Sustainability Award - 2006 to BSP by Confederation of Indian Industries (CII) to recognise its excellence in Social, Economic and Environmental Performance. The plant also awarded the Golden Peacock Eco-Innovation Award – 2006 by the World Environment Foundation.
- The coveted CII (Eastern Region) Productivity Award to Bokaro Steel Plant (BSL) .
- National Sustainability Award for 2006 – 1st prize to SAIL's Salem Steel Plant amongst Secondary Steel/ Alloy Steel Plants category, by Indian Institute of Metals.
- Rajiv Gandhi National Quality Award to BSP for 2006-07 by the Bureau of Indian Standards. The plant also bagged the Golden Peacock National Quality Award by the Institute of Directors for 2006 and the Golden Peacock National Award for promoting innovative HR programmes.

- Rourkela Steel Plant (RSP) bagged two awards under the National Safety Awards – 2005 instituted by the Union Ministry of Labour & Employment.
- National Safety Awards for the year 2002 & 2003 to Raw Materials Division.
- B.M.L. Munjal Award to SAIL for Excellence in Learning and Development for 2006 by Hero Honda Mindmine Institute.
- Dun & Bradstreet's American Express Award – 2006 SAIL as the top Indian Company in the Iron & Steel Sector.
- Bronze medal to quality circle team of Durgapur Steel Plant at the International Convention of Quality Control Circles 2006 held in Bali, Indonesia.
- Niryat Shree Bronze Trophy to SAIL for 2003-04 & 2004-05 being the highest foreign exchange earner and Niryat Shree Certificate of Excellence for 2003-04 in the Engineering and Metallurgical Products (Non-SSI category), by the Federation of Indian Export Organisations.
- Regional Trophy for Top Exporter to SAIL in the category of Manufacturing Unit (Non-SSI category) for 2003-04 by the Engineering Export Promotion Council, Northern Region.
- Two awards to SAIL for Best designed pavilion and for Technologies showcased at 6th International Trade Fair & Conference: Minerals, Metals, and Metallurgy & Materials 2006 at Pragati Maidan in New Delhi.
- First prize to SAIL pavilion at Udyog Mela in Ranchi by Jharkhand Government.
- Best House Journal Award to SAIL's in-house Rajbhasha Magazine Ispat Bhasha Bharti amongst all PSUs in Delhi for 4th consecutive year in a row by Town Official Language Implementation Committee, Delhi for 2006-07.
- SAIL bagged the Construction World–NICMAR Award - 2006 and was adjudged number one company in turnover and profitability amongst steel manufacturing industries.
- Five quality circle teams of RSP created a new record by bagging the Excellent Award at the 20th National Convention of Quality Circles 2006, organised by the Quality Circle Forum of India at IIT, Kanpur.
- The prestigious Greentech Environment Excellence Gold Award to RSP for 2005-06 by Greentech Foundation.
- Greentech Safety Gold Award - 2007 to BSP in the Metals & Mining Sector by the National Safety Council, US.

- Greentech Safety Silver Award – 2006 to BSP and Bokaro Steel Plant (BSL) by Greentech Foundation.
- First Pinnacle Award to SAIL for best steel company for supply of steel for construction industry by Zee Business.