



## Indian Society for Quality (ISQ ), India

### MAIN ACTIVITIES OF INDIAN SOCIETY FOR QUALITY SINCE JANUARY 2009

- ISQ was elected Chair organization for the years 2009 & 2010 during the 13th ANQ Board Meeting. ISQ nominated Mr. Janak Mehta to take over this responsibility.
- The quality promotion structure in India has been re structured under the umbrella of Quality Council of India (QCI) to provide networking opportunities for various bodies promoting quality management in India. QCI's basic task is conformity assessment through Accreditation process and quality promotion through National Board for Quality Promotion (NBQP). It is an autonomous body promoted jointly by the Government of India and the business organizations. This will bring greater synergy in the quality movement in India and correspondingly contribution to the ANQ
- ISQ has become a member of the Quality Council of India. Mr. Janak Mehta is a member of the Governing Body and the Chairman of International Cooperation Committee, while Mr. N. Ramanathan is a member of the National Board for Quality Promotion.
- At the National Quality Conclave organized by QCI along with its constituents there was a large participation by over 600 people. It was addressed by Prof. N. Kano, Honorary Chairperson ANQ and Professor Emeritus Tokyo University of Science.
- Quality movement in India is continuing to grow encompassing other sectors like education and healthcare.