



CHETAK FOUNDATION RATED AMONG THE `TOP 30 MOST TRUSTED NGOS` AT SOCIAL IMPACT AWARDS 2023

Gurugram, 21 Jan, 2023: Chetak Foundation, the CSR Arm of Chetak Logistics, the leader in automobile logistics, has been recognised and rated among the `Top 30 Most Trusted NGOs` for their exemplary work in the areas of healthcare, road safety and hunger alleviation, at the Social Impact Awards, an initiative of Indian CSR Awards, organised by Brand Honchos to acknowledge and reward the organisations and individuals who are determined to bring more pride and glory to the country through humanitarian works, nation building and CSR activities.

Mr Mukesh Haritash, Mr Rajesh Haritash, Mr Sachin Haritash, and Mr Arun Arora, Directors of Chetak Foundation, received the award from Mr Rajesh Ayapilla, Director CSR and Sustainability (India and South West Asia, Coca Cola) in the presence of Shri P S Gahlaut, MD India Potash, Mr Gaurav Bhalla, Founder Brand Honchos, Shivani Kapoor, Editorial Director, Brand Honchos and many renowned people from Corporate and Social domains.

Social Impact Awards 2023 lauded Chetak Foundation for its performance in Health & Nutrition, Road Safety, Environment Protection and Education and Skill Development.

Mr Sachin Haritash, Director of Chetak Foundation, said, "We are delighted to have been acknowledged and rated among `Top 30 Most Trusted NGOs` at Social Impact Awards for Chetak Foundation. We set up the Foundation as a tribute to our father, Mr Jai Karan Sharma, Founder of Chetak Logistics, to carry his legacy forward. The credit for the recognition goes to the entire Foundation team, which has been working tirelessly towards a common goal of making a difference in the lives of the underprivileged."



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Mr. Gaurav Bhalla, Founder of Brand Honchos, shared, "We are happy to conduct the Social Impact Awards 2023, a revolutionary initiative of Indian CSR Awards. After a rigorous assessment by a highly credible jury, we are happy to induct Chetak Foundation among the "Top 30 most trusted NGOs" for its exemplary work and vision to make a noticeable positive impact on the lives of the underprivileged through Health, Nutrition, Road Safety and Education interventions. We are also proud to present the Life Time Achievement Award to Shri Jai Karan Sharma, Founder Chetak Group, as he was an inspiring leader who supported the society and encouraged others to be part of the journey."

A battery of Social Leaders, Thought Leaders, Organizations, Institutes, NGOs, individuals, and many others who strive to bring social change without self-interest, attended the event.

The Chetak Foundation has decided to focus on broad areas, including Education, Livelihood, Health, safety, and Environment. The Foundation has rolled out unique schemes to carry its mission forward, like Poshan Plus (Hunger alleviation and Nutrition), Swasthya Plus (Health & Fitness), 'Siksha se Rozgaar' (Education to Livelihood), Zindagi Plus (Road safety), Oxygen Plus (Environment protection), and Sahayata Plus (Disaster/Emergency support).

The Foundation works with credible organizations like India CSR, VisionSpring, DSEU, CRPF, Indian Oil, Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, Fortis, and Max Hospitals, Visual Eyez, GMR, Honda, JCB, SML Isuzu and many others for its numerous social interventions.

About Chetak Group:

Established in 1979, Chetak Group takes pride in its long-range strategy of providing comprehensive logistics solutions to its customers. Equipped with its own 2 million sq. ft modern warehousing facilities across India, the Group provide Total Supply Chain Solutions, including Transportation Services through all modes, Warehousing & Distribution, International Freight Forwarding, Customs Clearance & Logistics Services.



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The Group, located in Delhi, the national capital, has 60 offices and branches spread across India at major industrial hubs to provide effective solutions to its customers.

Chetak Group is known for its 'On-time performance and Quality Service, leading to an impressive clientele of industry leaders in automobiles since its inception. These include all major national and global automobile brands such as Maruti Suzuki, Tata, Hyundai, JCB, Kia, and Honda, among many others.

About Shri Jai Karan Sharma, Founder Chetak Group:

Mr Jai Karan Sharma was born in a farmer's family in Jhinjhar, a small village in Haryana. Starting from scratch, he set up Chetak Logistics in 1979 and built Chetak Group into the leader in Logistics in India. Mr Sharma brought in the latest technologies and management techniques in Logistics. He excelled as a self-made entrepreneur who relentlessly pursued inclusive growth. He was numerously recognised as Transport Rattan and Transport Samraat (AIMTC), Outstanding National Citizen (NSG), and Rashtriya Udyog Rattan (LOBRD).

He left for his heavenly abode in October 2020. Posthumously, he was bestowed with the title "The Logistics man of India" (Alden Global) in 2021. Shri G. Kishan Reddy, Hon'ble Minister for Tourism, Culture and Development of North-Eastern Region release a postal Stamp issued by Indian Postal Department to honour and recognise Mr Sharma's contribution to the nation's socio-economic development in 2022. He was also honoured with the "Life Time Achievement Award" at Social Impact Award in Jan 2023. A biographical book capturing his life journey was released by Shri Nitin Gadkari, Hon'ble Minister for Road Transport and Highways in Feb' 2023.

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