

Vice President Activity Report 3rd M C Meeting (2024 – 25)

3rd Managing Committee Meeting (2024-25) to be held on 21st & 22nd June 2025 to be hosted by Calcutta Paper Traders Association, Kolkata.

Dear Members,

With gratitude to MPTA for bestowing me with the position of Vice president for this year 2024-25, I have briefed herein the activities undertaken by the association that I serve.

In the capacity of Vice President, I have been entrusted with serving the associations of – **Madurai Paper Traders Association, Paper Traders Association – Kerala** at Kochi, **Erode District Paper and Stationery Merchant Association** at Erode, **Tiruchirappalli District Kagitha Vanigarkal Nala Sangam** at Trichy, **Dindigul District Paper Merchants Welfare Association** at Dindigul and **Sivakasi Paper Merchant Association** at Sivakasi.

Have listed the activities since Feb 2025 in order to follow-up on my previous report covering up to Feb 2025.

Sivakasi Visit (23.04.25)

Had taken part in the general meeting and had briefed the members about the latest information and happening of FPTA. I was briefed on the recent activities of the association:

- Meeting was conducted on Latest Amendment & policies in Income tax & GST by Auditor CA Rajapandian.
- Board Members and Past Presidents of SPMA Participated in the Centenary Year Celebration of All India Match Box Manufacturers association on invitation by the Chairman. This celebration was headed by Sivakasi MLA, TN Finance Minister Shri Thangam Thenarasu & Minister of Revenue dept. Shri Satur Ramachandran.

The Sivakasi Paper Merchant Association has also conducted activities of

- 12.05.25 – Rally for Operation Sindhoor to express our solidarity to our defense forces fighting terrorism
- 04.06.25 – Conducted Joint meet with Madras Paper Merchant Association.

As a special mention, need to put in record that Sivakasi Paper Merchants Association membership has crossed 100 with a count of 103.

FPTA President Visit (11.06.25)

Our president Shri Mehul Mehta visited Madurai on 11.06.25 and chaired as Chief Guest of the meeting organized by Madurai Paper Traders Association – meeting was attended by members and office bearers of Trichy, Dindigul, Erode & Salem Associations. He addressed the meeting and made us aware of the happenings and mission of the Association. The meeting was graced by Shri. C. Balasubramanian (Former President Paper and allied Merchants Association – Coimbatore) as the Guest of honor.

President also travelled to Sivakasi for felicitation by Sivakasi Paper Merchant association.

His visit was encouraging and aligned all member associations towards our common goals and purpose. I Thank him for taking out time from his busy schedule to meet and guide me and our team in person. It was a blessing that I had the opportunity to travel along with him and attend the above meetings at Madurai & Sivakasi

With Regards

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Vice President/FPTA.



