

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MINES

NATIONAL MINERAL AWARDS – 2003

LIST OF AWARDEES

S.No	Name	Field of specialization	Sponsoring Organisation
1.	Shri Ashim Kumar Saha, Geological Survey of India, Nagpur	Mineral Discovery	Geological Survey of India
2.	Shri Kanhu Charan Mahapatra, Geological Survey of India, Nagpur	Mineral Discovery	Geological Survey of India
3.	Shri Ashish Kumar Ghosh Roy, Geological Survey of India, Kolkata	Mineral Exploration	Geological Survey of India
4.	Shri Pradip Sarkar, Geological Survey of India, Kolkata	Mineral Exploration	Geological Survey of India
5.	Shri Krishna Chandra Bandyopadhyay, Geological Survey of India, Kolkata	Mineral Exploration	Geological Survey of India
6.	Shri Ravindra Kishore Prasad, Geological Survey of India, Kolkata	Mineral Exploration	Geological Survey of India
7.	Shri Subrata Sarkar, Geological Survey of India, Shillong	Mineral Exploration	Geological Survey of India
8.	Dr. Sandip Kumar Som, Geological Survey of India, Kolkata	Mineral Exploration	Geological Survey of India
9.	Shri Bhupendra Singh, Geological Survey of India, Dehradun	Mineral Exploration	Geological Survey of India
10.	Shri Shyamal Bhattacharya, Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd., Ahmedabad	Project development & planning leading to Exploration of Hydrocarbons	Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd., Dehradun
11.	Dr. Shri Nath Wahy, R.K. Marble Pvt. Ltd., Udaipur	Mining Technology	CDOS, Jaipur
12.	Shri Satish Chand Agarwal, Associated Stone Industries Ltd., Ramganjmandi	Mining Technology	CDOS, Jaipur

13.	Dr. Ashesh Siawal, Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd., Dehradun	Development of Geoinformation Systems	Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd, Dehradun
14.	Shri Anil Kumar Kaul, Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd., Dehradun	Development of Geoinformation Systems	Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd., Dehradun
15.	Shri Sanjay Baveja, Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd., Dehradun	Development of Geoinformation Systems	Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd
16.	Dr. Ashok Kumar Singhvi, Physical Research Laboratory, Ahmedabad	Geology	Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology, Dehradun
17.	Dr. G. Parthasarathy, National Geophysical Research Institute, Hyderabad	Geology	Geological Society of India, Bangalore
18.	Dr. Partha Pratim Chakraborty, Indian School of Mines, Dhanbad	Geology	Indian School of Mines, Dhanbad
19.	Dr. Chanam Debojit Singh, Geological Survey of India	Geology	Genera, Geological Survey of India
20.	Dr. Tapan Pal, Geological Survey of India	Geology	Genera, Geological Survey of India
21.	Shri Tanay Dutta Gupta, Geological Survey of India	Geology	Genera, Geological Survey of India
22.	Dr. M. Shyam Prasad, National Institute of Oceanography, Goa	Applied Geology	National Institute of Oceanography, Goa
23.	Dr. Rajender Kumar Chadha, National Geophysical Research Institute, Hyderabad	Geophysics	Department of Ocean Development, New Delhi
24.	Shri Prem Ballabh Pandey, Oil & Natural Gas Corporation, Vadodra	Geophysics	Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd., Dehradun

25.	Prof. J.P. Shrivastava, University of Delhi, Delhi	Geochemistry	University of Delhi, Delhi
26.	Dr. Ravi Bastia, Reliance Industries Ltd., Navi Mumbai	Oil & Natural Gas Exploration & Development	Geological Society of India, Bangalore
27.	Shri Jonnalagadda Lakshmi Narasimham, Oil & Natural Gas Corporation, Mumbai	Oil & Natural Gas Exploration & Development	Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd., Dehradun

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1.	Shri Ashim Kumar Saha, Geologist (Sr.), Geological Survey of India, Seminary Hills, Nagpur – 440 006	0712- 2510115	0712- 2510665	gsi.opm@nagpur.dot.net.in
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3.	Shri Ashish Kumar Ghosh Roy, Director (Geology), Geological Survey of India, 27, JL Nehru Road, Kolkata - 700016	033- 23370773	033- 23219241	
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8.	Dr. Sandip Kumar Som, Geologist (Jr.), Geological Survey of India, 27, JL Nehru Road, Kolkata - 700016	033- 23211069	033- 23211069	

9.	Shri Shyamal Bhattacharya Dy. General Manager, Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd. Chandkheda Campus, Sabarmati, Ahmedabad - 380005	079- 23295776	079- 23291662	bhattacharya_s1@ongcl.com shyamal@ongc.net
10.	Dr. Shri Nath Wahy, Chief Executive Officer, R.K. Marble Pvt. Ltd., 11-C, Old Fatehpura, Seva Mandir Road, Udaipur - 313004	0294- 2451327, 2451248 02952- 222231 – 33 (mines)	0294- 2451328	rkmarble@datainfosys.net
11.	Shri Satish Chand Agarwal President, Associated Stone Industries Ltd., Distt. Kota, Ramganjmandi - 326519	07459- 220126 220194 (R)	07459- 220143	asistone@sancharnet.in
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14.	Shri Sanjay Baveja, Dy. Suptdg. Geologist, KDMIPE, Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd., Kaulagarh Road, Dehradun – 248 195	0135- 2795292	0135- 2755265	bavejasanjay@ongc.net
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23.	Shri Prem Ballabh Pandey, Dy. General Manager (Geophysics), Oil & Natural Gas Corporation, 4 th Floor, RCC Building, Makarpura Road, Vadodra-390009	0265- 2641387	0265- 2641160	pbpandey@ongc.net

24.	Prof. J.P. Shrivastava, Department of Geology, University of Delhi, Delhi-110 007	27667073 27666834 (R),	27666295	Jps1815@yahoo.com jps@himalaya.du.ac.in
25.	Dr. Ravi Bastia, Vice President (Exploration), Oil & Gas Division, Reliance Industries Ltd., 2 nd Floor, 'H' Block, DAKC, Thane Belapur Road, Navi Mumbai - 400 709	022 - 30371463 (M) 9322406281	022- 30386399	ravi_bastia@ril.com
26.	Shri Jonnalagadda Lakshmi Narasimham, Group General Manager, Oil & Natural Gas Corporation, Vasudhara Bhavan, Aliyavar Jung Marg, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051	022- 26599727, 9869222100	022- 26599500	

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AWARD MONEY

SECTION - I

(Minerals and Geo-information)

Fields

i) Mineral discovery of economic or strategic importance

1.	Shri Ashim Kumar Saha, Geologist (Sr.), Geological Survey of India, Seminary Hills, Nagpur – 440 006	50,000.00
2.	Shri Kanhu Charan Mahapatra, Geologist (Sr.), Geological Survey of India, Seminary Hills, Nagpur – 440 006	50,000.00

ii) Mineral exploration, including application of innovative geophysical/geochemical techniques

3.	Shri Ashish Kumar Ghosh Roy, Director (Geology), Geological Survey of India, 27, JL Nehru Road, Kolkata	40,000/-
4.	Shri Pradip Sarkar, Geologist (Sr.), Geological Survey of India, 27, JL Nehru Road, Kolkata	40,000/-
5.	Shri Krishna Chandra Bandyopadhyay, Geologist (Sr.), Geological Survey of India, 27, JL Nehru Road, Kolkata	40,000/-
6.	Shri Ravindra Kishore Prasad, Geologist (Sr.), Geological Survey of India, 27, JL Nehru Road, Kolkata	40,000/-
7.	Shri Subrata Sarkar, Assistant Geologist, Geological Survey of India, Kumudvilla Complex, Nongrim Hills, Shillong - 793003	40,000/-
8.	Dr. Sandip Kumar Som, Geologist (Jr.), Geological Survey of India, 27, JL Nehru Road, Kolkata	40,000/-

iii) Mineral beneficiation / project development / planning leading to exploitation of mineral resources

9.	Shri Shyamal Bhattacharya, Dy. General Manager, Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd. Chandkheda Campus, Sabarmati, Ahmedabad - 380005	100,000/-
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iv) Mining technology, including development and application of new methods and innovative techniques through research, leading to increased production / conservation of mineral resources

10.	Dr. Shri Nath Wahy, Chief Executive Officer, R.K. Marble Pvt. Ltd., 11-C, Old Fatehpura, Seva Mandir Road, Udaipur	100,000/-
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11.	Shri Satish Chand Agarwal President, Associated Stone Industries Ltd., Distt. Kota, Ramganjmandi - 326519	100,000/-
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v) Development, structuring and implementation of Information Systems: Databases, maps, manuals / publications in various field of geosciences and mining, scientific expeditions and global programmes

12.	Dr. Ashesh Siawal, Chief Geologist, KDMIPE, Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd., Kaulagarh Road, Dehradun – 248 195	40,000/-
13.	Shri Anil Kumar Kaul, Dy. Suptdg. Geologist, KDMIPE, Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd., Kaulagarh Road, Dehradun	40,000/-
14.	Shri Sanjay Baveja, Dy. Suptdg. Geologist, KDMIPE, Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd., Kaulagarh Road, Dehradun	40,000/-

SECTION - II

(Basic and Applied Geo-sciences)

vi) Geology: stratigraphy, structural geology, tectonics, petrology, paleontology, mineralogy, seismotectonics, remote sensing etc., including development of innovative techniques

15.	Dr. Ashok Kumar Singhvi, Senior Professor, Planetary and Geosciences Division, Physical Research Laboratory, Navarangpura, Ahmedabad – 380 009	100,000/-
16.	Dr. G. Parthasarathy, Scientist E-II, Geological Studies Division, National Geophysical Research Institute, Uppal Road, Hyderabad – 500 007	100,000/-
17.	Dr. Partha Pratim Chakraborty, Assistant Professor, Department of Applied Geology, Indian School of Mines, Dhanbad - 826004	40,000/-
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19.	Dr. Tapan Pal, Geologist (jr.), Petrology Division, ER, Geological Survey of India, Bhubijnan Bhavan, DK Block, Sector-2, Saltlake, Kolkata – 700 091	40,000/-
20.	Shri Tanay Dutta Gupta, Geologist (jr.), Petrology Division, ER, Geological Survey of India, Bhubijnan Bhavan, DK Block, Sector-2, Saltlake, Kolkata – 700 091	40,000/-

vii) Applied geology such as Engineering Geology, Hydrology, Marine Geology, Glaciology, Geothermal Exploration etc.

21.	Dr. M. Shyam Prasad, Scientist E-II, Geological Oceanography Division, National Institute of Oceanography,	100,000/-
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viii) Geophysics – application of geophysical methods to the study of earth sciences, geomagnetism, seismology, ground, airborne and marine survey techniques and instrumentation

22.	Dr. Rajender Kumar Chadha, Scientist E-II, National Geophysical Research Institute, Uppal Road, Hyderabad – 500 007	100,000/-
23.	Shri Prem Ballabh Pandey, Dy. General Manager (Geophysics), Oil & Natural Gas Corporation, 4 th Floor, RCC Building, Makarpura Road, Vadodra-390009	100,000/-

ix) Geochemistry as applied to earth sciences

24.	Prof. J.P. Shrivastava, Department of Geology, University of Delhi, Delhi-110 007	100,000/-
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x) Environmental geosciences and management studies; management of natural hazards like earthquakes, landslides and volcanic events

	None recommended	
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SECTION - III
(Fuel minerals)

xi) Studies on coal and lignite, including their exploration and development

	None recommended	
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xii) Studies on oil and natural gas, including their exploration and development

25.	Dr. Ravi Bastia, Vice President (Exploration), Oil & Gas Division, Reliance Industries Ltd., 2 nd Floor, 'H' Block, DAKC, Thane Belapur Road, Navi Mumbai - 400 709	100,000/-
26.	Shri Jonnalagadda Lakshmi Narasimham, Group General Manager, Oil & Natural Gas Corporation, Vasudhara Bhavan, Aliyavar Jung Marg, Bandra (E), Mumbai	100,000/-

	TOTAL	17,20,000/-
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