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CS SANTOSH PANDEY Chairperson, ICSI-NIRC

Dear Esteemed Members,

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With a deep sense of honour and responsibility, I am honoured to inform you that with effect from 19th January 2026, I have formally assumed charge as Chairperson, ICSI Northern India Regional Council (NIRC). I take on this opportunity to place on record my sincere gratitude to the Council, members, and colleagues for the confidence reposed in me and I assure to serve the profession and the fraternity to the best of my abilities.

The NIRC has consistently played a pivotal role in furthering the objectives of the Institute through **Professional Development, Student-Centric Initiatives, Academic Outreach, and Capacity Building Programmes**. Building upon this strong foundation, my endeavour during the present term would be to further strengthen **Regional and Chapter functioning, enhance Student Engagement, Promote Professional Excellence, fostering greater collaboration with Academic Institutions and Industry, strengthening the Career Awareness Programme (CAP) to inspire and attract young minds to the Company Secretary profession, enhancing the reach and quality of Classes** to support students more effectively, and curating impactful member-centric programmes that add real professional value.

I firmly believe that the collective strength of the Regional Council, Chapter leadership, and the dedicated team of officials will be instrumental in achieving these objectives. I look forward to working closely with all of you in a spirit of cooperation, transparency, and shared purpose.

In addition, we shall introduce new and innovative initiatives – some familiar and some refreshingly different – aimed at deepening engagement and relevance. Many of these initiatives will evolve through your inputs and experiences, as the most meaningful ideas emerge through collective collaboration.

I also extend my heartfelt congratulations to the newly elected **President of The ICSI, CS Pawan G. Chandak Ji, and Vice President of The ICSI, CS Dwarakanath Chennur Ji**. Under their able leadership, I am confident that the Institute will continue to scale new heights. ICSI NIRC looks forward to working in close alignment with the Central Council to translate the Institute's vision into effective regional action.

As we move forward together, I seek your continued support, valuable suggestions, and proactive involvement in the initiatives of NIRC. Together, let us work towards expanding the visibility of the profession, enriching member services, and creating meaningful opportunities for our students.

I once again convey my best wishes to all office bearers and assure you of my full commitment to the responsibilities entrusted to me.

With Best Regards

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