

CSIR signs S&T partnership with Czech Republic



As a follow up of CSIR – ASCR (Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic) Protocol on S&T Cooperation, a high level delegation from Czech Academy of Sciences led by its President Prof. Vaclav Paces paid a visit to India to finalize the ***CSIR – ASCR Working Programme of S&T partnership*** for the years 2009 – 2011.

The Working Programme was signed on Monday, 9th Feb.'2009 at CSIR between Prof. Samir K Brahmachari, Director General, CSIR and Prof. Vaclav Paces, President, Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic.

Both sides identified 10 joint research projects towards networking in the areas of Advanced materials including nanotechnology, Mining Research including Rock Mechanics, Plastic Waste utilization, Biosensors and Neuropathogenesis.

Prof. Paces also delivered a public lecture on “**From the Peas of Gregor Mendel to the Human Genome and Beyond**” after the signing Ceremony to the scientific gathering present on the occasion.