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Promoting creativity, articulation and communication abilities is the creed at Vinod Kothari & Company. We have pleasure in sharing what is happening in our offices.

EDITORIAL

touchy lines..

We are happy to present “touches..”, our in house newsletter.

Our house is brimming with activity. “touches..” has allowed us to get connected with our former associates . It is so nice to build this line of communication with former associates, many of whom have attained great heights in their professional career.

Your response and praise has encouraged us to improve ourselves. “touches..” is also gradually moving towards improvement.

As always stay in touch with “touches..”

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Public Appearances:

Vinod Kothari speaks at a seminar organized by ICSI



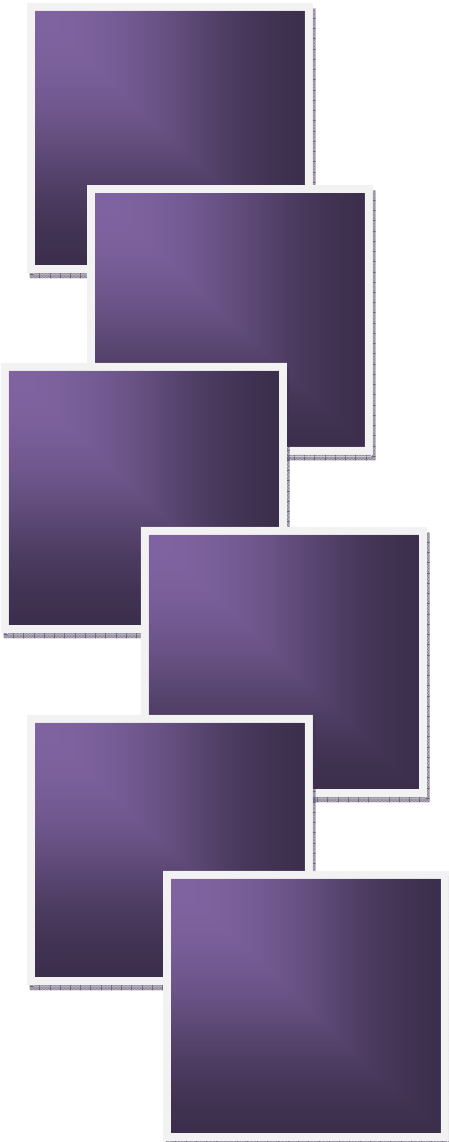
A full day seminar on “Recent Changes in Schedule-VI of the Companies Act, 1956” was organized by Eastern India Regional Council of The Institute of Company Secretaries of India, on 26th March 2011. Mr. Vinod Kothari was invited, to give his lucid deliberations on the topic, which benefited the participants immensely.

Articles publication:

Nidhi Bothra's article on micro finance get published on Microfinance Focus

Nidhi Bothra's article "Refinancing worries for micro finance continues.." was published on Microfinance Focus on 16th April, 2011. The article discusses about the refinancing issues faced by the micro-finance institutions, the state of microfinance in the country and the impact of the recent RBI notifications on the same. The article is also reported on Google news. The article can be accessed here:

<http://www.microfinancefocus.com/refinancing-worries-microfinance-continue>



Vinod Kothari's article on "New Regulatory Framework for core investment companies" gets published on Chartered Secretary



Vinod Kothari's article "New Regulatory Framework for Core Investment Companies" was published on Chartered Secretary in February 2011. The article briefly but critically examines the crux of the revised regulatory framework put in by RBI for core investment companies. The article can be read in the February 2011 edition of Chartered Secretary.



New Entrants:

Asma Aditi welcomed to the family

Asma, an BBA, LLB was working in one of the reputed software companies in Pune in the past. She has a flair for writing and has received first prize in All India essay competition on the topic-“Corporate Governance at grass root level”. She has knack of reading and have special interest in reading autobiographies of great leaders

We heartily welcome Asma to the family...

What's new:

***Vinod Kothari Consultants Pvt Ltd gets SMF
Indonesia's Covered Bonds mandate***

VKC has yet again been successful in getting a mandate for consulting on covered bonds from SMF Indonesia. We have successfully completed the consulting on securitisation transaction for the same company. In the present assignment we are consulting from the inception and would handhold SMF till the issue of bonds. We would be advising on the structuring, legal, accounting, taxation, regulatory, credit rating issues.



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Celebration at office...A surprise Birthday party for Nidhi and Aditi

The office celebrated Nidhi and Aditi's birthdays in March. It was a memorable day for all the members of Vinod Kothari & Company.

Forgetting the work pressure, we all had a hilarious time.



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