



### **Mr Jit Paul posthumously awarded the “Varuna Award”**

**April 5, 2010, Kolkata:** Mr Jit Paul, the late patriarch of Apeejay Surrendra Group, who passed away on June 3, 2009, has been conferred the "Varuna Award" for his outstanding contribution to the Indian Shipping Industry, today, April 5, 2010.

The Award conferred by National Maritime Day Celebrations (Central) Committee, honours persons for their outstanding contribution and achievements to the Indian Shipping and allied Maritime Industries.

### **About Apeejay Surrendra Group**

Established in 1910 with its foundation in Steel, the over Rs 6000 crore Apeejay Surrendra Group employs close to 43000 people in rapidly expanding operations in Tea, Hospitality, Shipping, Retail & Real Estate, Financial Services and has diversified into new business initiatives like Shipyards, Logistics and Knowledge Parks. The Group completes a 100 years in business in 2010. For more Information, please visit [www.apeejaygroup.com](http://www.apeejaygroup.com)

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