



## **Tata BlueScope Steel Launches 'Kawach Pro-Certification Workshop'**

A first of its kind - structural riggers and roofer's professional certification program in association with CIDC

**21<sup>st</sup> July 2022 Sanand, Gujarat**

In an attempt to support and encourage the Indian steel building and construction industry, in the first phase Tata BlueScope Steel kick-started its unique structural riggers and roofer's professional certification program on 21<sup>st</sup> July 2022 at one of its prestigious customer sites IDEX India Pvt. Ltd, Sanand, Gujarat. This initiative will address the shortage of professionally trained structural riggers and roofers the industry is currently facing and increase the employability of these skilled labour.

Sharing his thought while conceptualizing this program, Mr. Anoop Kumar Trivedi – Managing Director, Tata BlueScope Steel said, "Construction workers needed a platform to ensure they get the right training and know-how to become better professionals. ***Kawach Pro-Certification*** is one step towards empowering them to earn professional credentials, thus elevating the entire construction industry with world-class safety practices while demonstrating our commitment for quality."

### **Kawach Pro-Certification**

Training modules are curated by top industry professionals and trainers from CIDC (Construction Industry Development Council). It includes both on-site and theoretical framework, in a 2-day workshop.

Module includes:

- Training on Safe Construction Practices
- Training on Working at Heights and Critical handling
- Mobile equipment operating techniques and risk management
- Certification post assessment

The demand for people who can install steel structures and roof systems with safe construction practices and quality finish, is high. A professionally built structure lasts longer, is safe and sturdier enabling superior aesthetics. Speaking about the current batch, Mr. Pulin Trivedi General Manager Building Solutions said, 'About 40 construction workers were qualified for receiving national level certification from CIDC. Their main takeaway from this workshop is increased knowledge, confidence,



and pride in their work. This will help them work with improved safety practices and new-age approaches.

“Safety is our number one priority. Consistency in installation further strengthens customer and supplier confidence. Tata BlueScope Steel follows best-in-class construction practices, giving us significant competitive advantage. Kawach Pro-Certification will open up a whole new world of opportunities.” Said Mr. Ajay Rattan Associate VP - Corporate Services, Tata BlueScope Steel who was also present at the occasion.

With many more workshops planned in the future at multiple sites, Tata BlueScope Steel will be instrumental in creating a pool of certified workforce who are skilled, professionally trained roofer and structural rigger, across India and within the construction industry.

**Few glimpses:**



**Inaugurating Kawach Pro-Certification Workshop**



**CIDC Trainers in session with site workers**



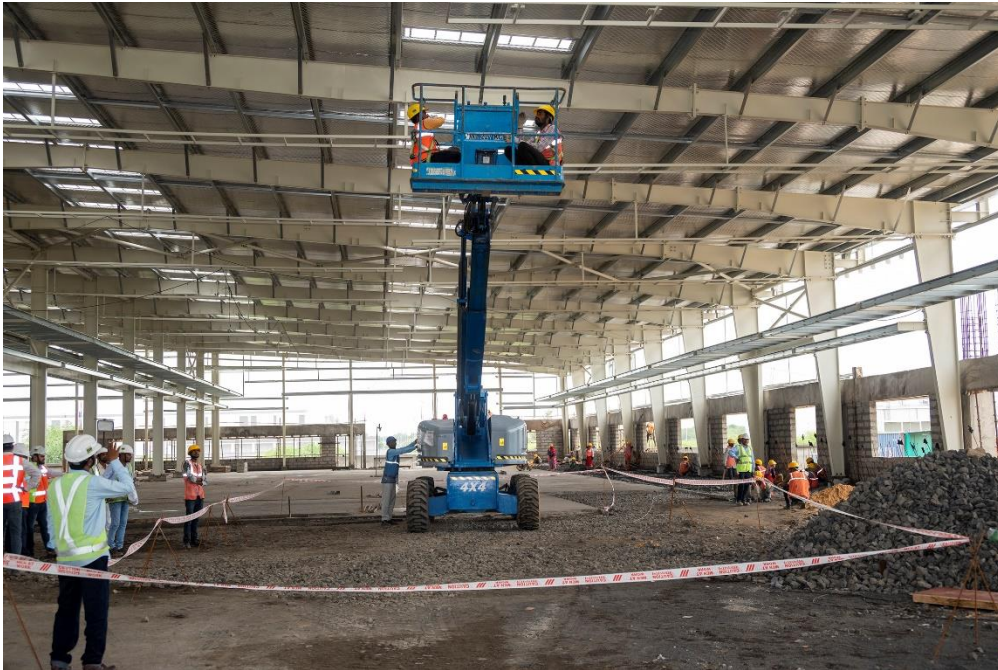
**Q&A Session in progress**



**Panel of Industry Experts & Trainers**



**Construction site worker sharing his experience after the Kawach Pro-Certification Workshop**



**Working on height and critical machine handling with live demo on Boom Lift during the 2-day workshop**

### **About Tata BlueScope Steel**

Tata BlueScope Steel is an equal joint venture between Tata Steel & BlueScope Steel and is a market leader in the field of coated steel, steel building solutions and related building products. The Company operates in the Asia Pacific region. Tata BlueScope Steel maintains high standards in Safety, Health and Environment and has been certified by Underwriters Laboratory Inc. for ISO 9001: 2008 as well as by M/s. UL MSS India for the ISO 14001 & OHSAS 18001 certifications. Tata BlueScope Steel's core values are Safety, Trust, Human Dignity and Excellence. The company consistently works towards *"Creating Your New World in Steel!"*

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