



High Commission of India
Windhoek

Press Release

The High Commission of India in Namibia is pleased to inform that the construction work relating to the new Faculty of Mining Engineering and Information Technology (India Wing) at the North Campus of University of Namibia at Ongwediva has recently been completed. The campus has been built with the grant received from the Government of India. The Certificate of Completion for the facility has been issued on 15 September 2015 by the Namibian Institute of Architects.

2. The Government of India had granted an aid of US\$12.16 million for establishing the twin Faculty of Mining Engineering and Information Technology. The grant was paid in three instalments between March 2011 and August 2014.

3. On this occasion, H.E. Mr. Kumar Tuhin, High Commissioner of India accompanied by his wife Mrs. Deepa and the Head of Chancery in High Commission Mr. Vinay Kumar, visited the Faculty of Mining Engineering and Information Technology at the UNAM campus at Ongwediva last week. H.E. High Commissioner was guided by Professor Frank P.L. Kavishe, Dean of Engineering & IT Department, UNAM, Ongwediva during the tour of the India Wing at UNAM campus.

4. High Commissioner also used the opportunity of his visit to Ongwediva to have a meeting with His Worship Jason Asino, Mayor of Ongwediva. Both the officials discussed the potential of cooperation in various fields. High Commissioner also asked the Mayor to encourage the citizens of Ongwediva region to utilize the various scholarships and fully funded ITEC programmes offered by the Government of India.

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