

## Sasken's Whole-time Director & Chief Technology Officer Dr. G Venkatesh wins IESA Technomentor Award 2013

Bangalore, 13<sup>th</sup> February, 2014 – Sasken Communication Technologies Limited (BSE: 532663 & NSE: SASKEN), a leading global embedded communications solutions company, today announced that its Whole-time Director & Chief Technology Officer, Dr. G Venkatesh is the proud recipient of the Technomentor Award 2013 institutionalized by the India Electronics & Semiconductor Association (IESA) as part of their annual Technovation Awards.

The Technovation Awards acknowledge and honor India's most innovative companies and talent in academia. The distinguished panel for the exhaustive process of selection consisted of senior members of the technology fraternity including Prof. S Sadagopan, IIIT- Bangalore, Prof. Raj Singh, CSIR-CEERI-Pilani and Dr. V. Kamakoti, IIT-Madras.

The IESA Technovation Awards felicitation event took place earlier this month at the Sheraton Hotel, Bangalore. Speaking of the award felicitations, IESA President, PVG Menon said, "The primary objective of the Technovation Awards is to celebrate excellence in Electronics System Design and Manufacturing by bringing visibility for the trailblazing work and noteworthy contributions being made towards the Electronics Semiconductor industry. The winners have stood out amidst tremendous competition that the industry presents today. I wish the winners the best and look forward to seeing more of their industry defining work and research".

Dr. G Venkatesh, Whole-time Director & Chief Technology Officer, Sasken, on being felicitated the prestigious Technomentor Award 2013, said "It is very humbling to have received the IESA Technomentor Award 2013. At Sasken, we endeavour to sustain our position as the leader in the area of embedded technologies and I hope to see more young leaders being nominated for these distinct recognitions".

The IESA's Technovation Awards have set quality standards for recognizing excellence in the Electronics System Design and Manufacturing and Semiconductor industry. This year's award was constituted with the aim to recognize role models and excellence in Electronics system design and manufacturing ecosystem.

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## About Sasken

Sasken Communication Technologies Limited is an embedded communications solutions company that helps businesses across the communication value chain accelerate product development life cycles.

Sasken offers a unique combination of research and development consultancy, wireless software products, software services and network engineering services, and works with Network OEMs, Semiconductor Vendors, Terminal Device OEMs and Operators across the world. Global Fortune 500 and Tier 1 companies in these segments are part of Sasken's customer profile. Established in 1989, Sasken employs over 2,500 people at its offices in India, China, Finland, Japan, Korea, UK and USA. For further information please visit www.sasken.com

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