

Vedanta provides jobs to 7 specially-abled persons at Jharsuguda

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Vedanta Aluminium, provided jobs to seven specially-abled professionals at its mega aluminium plant in Jharsuguda, marking a significant milestone in the company's diversity, equity and inclusion (DEI) journey.

The professionals, who experience different forms of motor, visual and speech-related impairments, were personally presented with their offer letters by Dr. Kiran Bedi, renowned civil servant and former Lieutenant Governor of Puducherry during her recent visit to the company's operations in Jharsuguda.

The new joinees come from diverse educational backgrounds, ranging from

diploma holders to graduates, and have been assigned plant-based roles such as Shift Coordinator, Junior Assistant, Storekeeper and Supervisor commensurate with their academic and professional experience.

C Chandru, CEO, Vedanta Jharsuguda, said, "We believe that inclusion is not just about fulfilling a social responsibility, but is also a key source of strength for an organization as it promotes better organizational perspectives and decision-making."

Pankaj Sureka, CHRO, Vedanta Jharsuguda said, "Inclusive hiring is a core aspect of our people's practice.

Upon joining, each of the professionals will undergo a comprehensive safety training programme.