

## **Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS)**

The MoU was signed between **Bureau of Indian Standards**, the National Standards Body of India and Indian Institute of Technology (BHU) Varanasi. The MoU will remain in force for a period of 10 years. Thereafter it shall be automatically renewed for successive ten-year period.

The creation of a BIS Standardization Chair is for research & development, teaching and training in the field of Standardization and Conformity Assessment in the country with focus towards the areas of civil, electrical, mechanical, chemical, earthquake engineering, development and management of water resources and renewable energy projects, infrastructure development, medical biotechnology & nanotechnology, biomaterials, etc. (as mutually agreed). The tenure of Chair Professor is for three years.

Prof. R.S. Singh, Department of Chemical Engineering has been appointed as Chair Professor for BIS in July 2023.