

**NATIONAL PRODUCTIVITY COUNCIL**  
**68<sup>TH</sup> FOUNDATION DAY: 12<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2026**  
**NATIONAL PRODUCTIVITY WEEK: 12-18 FEBRUARY 2026**  
**At Tamarind Hall, India Habitat Centre, New Delhi**

**THEME: CLUSTERS AS GROWTH ENGINE: MAXIMIZING PRODUCTIVITY IN MSMEs**

**Minute-to-Minute Program**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>
<b>09:30 – 10:00 AM</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>10:00 – 10:02 AM</b>	<b>Welcome by Mr. Shirish Paliwal, DDG, NPC</b>
<b>10:02 – 10:05 AM</b>	<b>Lightening of Lamp Ceremony</b>
<b>10:05 – 10:15 AM</b>	<b>Thematic Address Smt. Neerja Sekhar, IAS Director General, NPC</b>
<b>10:15 – 10:25 AM</b>	<b>Special Address by Guest of Honor Dr. Subhransu Sekhar Acharya Chairman-Cum-Managing Director, NSIC</b>
<b>10:25 – 10:35 AM</b>	<b>Special Address by Guest of Honor Shri Krushna Chandra Panigrahy, Director General, Bureau of Energy Efficiency</b>
<b>10:35 – 10.55 AM</b>	<b>Keynote Address by Chief Guest Shri Amardeep Singh Bhatia, IAS Chairman, NPC &amp; Secretary, DPIIT</b>
<b>10:55 – 11:00 PM</b>	<b>Vote of Thanks Mr. Uma Shankar Prasad, DDG, NPC</b>
<b>11.00 – 11:20 AM</b>	<b>Tea Break</b>
<b>11:20 – 12.00 PM</b>	<b>Dr. Ashok Kumar DDG, BEE "Energy Efficiency in Large &amp; Medium Industries: Future Perspective" Interactive Session / Q&amp;A (Moderator Shri Prashant Shrivastav, DD (EM))</b>
<b>12.00 – 12:40 PM</b>	<b>Mr Amit Jain, International Sustainability Expert "Eco-industrial Clusters for Sustainable Development" Interactive Session / Q&amp;A (Moderator Shri K.D. Bhardwaj, GH (ECA))</b>
<b>12:40 – 13:20 PM</b>	<b>Dr. Shailendra Singh, Director, Maruti Suzuki  Interactive Session / Q&amp;A (Moderator Shri Ashutosh Makup, GH (I.E))</b>
<b>13:25 PM onwards</b>	<b>Lunch</b>