

Strict taskmaster, soft-hearted counselor



DIRECTOR (FINANCE): Mr Vijay Gutte

The young prince of the company recently completed his first year in office as the Director (Finance). Behind the innocent and easygoing face of Mr Vijay Gutte, there lies a highly competent mind. He is a problem-solver for staffers, but also a strict taskmaster. In an endeavour to know him better, we talked to him about his childhood, his visions and his life in general. Here's what we found out:

"I used to bunk classes and run away from the college to play cricket"

Mr Vijay did his initial schooling from Vidya Niketan in Chandrapur, where the Gutte family resided in MSEB quarters. After shifting to Nagpur, Somalwar High School became his alma mater. Though not exceptional, Vijay has always been a good student, but a very naughty one. He was at his naughtiest self while studying in Dharampeth Science College later. "One of my close buddies and I used to bunk classes and run away from the college in the first short-break. We went to play cricket or watch a movie and would get back by the second short-break," Vijay confessed.

Once he crossed the threshold of junior college, he took his responsibilities seriously. He grew up watching his dad working hard 24x7 and listening to business discussions at home. He knew his duties at Sunil Hitech and was eager to get involved as soon as possible. He has been in touch with the company since his elder brother,

Mr Sunil Gutte joined the company five years ago. Whenever he came down for holidays, Vijay used to come to the office everyday. There was nothing going on in the company that he didn't know of. He kept himself abreast of the company's proposals, ideas, growth scenario and the promoters.

He was formally inducted in the office as the Director of Finance in June 2007. In all these years, he has been pretty easy about his role in Sunil Hitech. There were occasions when he felt the brunt of shouldering such huge tasks, he felt that he was too young to be entrusted big responsibilities, but he looked at the glass as half full.

His outlook :

Vijay Gutte is the 'agony aunt' for his staffers. He is always there to help when someone gets in touch with him with their personal problems. Mr Vijay does everything possible to help the person. He believes in having a cordial relationship with his staffers. His stress is, however, in maintaining a healthy professional environment in the office.

Mr Vijay Gutte feels that the need for the in-house magazine lies on the fact that achievements of Sunil Hitech is known to the outside world. There is a lot of research going on in the market about the company.

"With our growth, our standing is growing as well. I want my people inside the company to learn about our achievements and our progress. Sunil Hitech has accomplished much name and fame in the corporate world. Now its time for our employees to learn about Sunil Hitech's status. I need my people to know what Sunil Hitech is all about. They should feel proud of being associated with Sunil Hitech", he said.