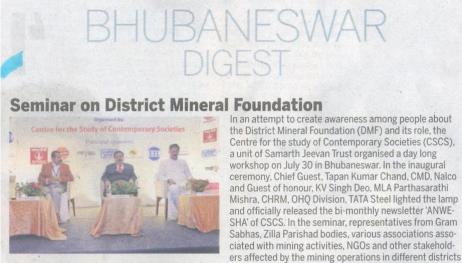
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Workshop on DMF: To create awareness about the District Mineral Foundation (DMF) in the development of mineral-rich areas, the Centre held a daylong workshop in Bhubaneswar recently.

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of Odisha participated and were enlightened about DMF and how it will safeguard the interest and benefits of the people affected by mining related operations. DMF is established with the objectives "to work for the interest and benefits of the persons and area affected by mining related operation." District Mineral Foundation (DMF) was instituted under the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulations) Amendment Act, 2015. As per the law, DMF has to be set up in all mining districts of the country and mining companies have to contribute resources: equivalent to 10-30 per cent of the royalty to this fund. Addressing the media, CMD, Nalco, Tapan Kumar Chand-said, "The fund should have a low cost operation and the per capita delivery should be as minimum as possible in order to make the fund a successful one. He further said this method has brought success in many countries including Canada so we expect this fund to bring improvement in the conditions of people."