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EMS-designed banknote processor launched at IBEX 2013

At the International Banking Expo 2013 held in Mumbai from 17 to 19 January, Giesecke & Devrient GmbH (G&D) created intense tremors in the banknote processor market space through the launch of Numeron CL, its 4 Pocket Currency Processing System. Numeron CL is entirely designed and developed at the TCS manufacturing facility (EMS) in Goa. The launch of Numeron CL completes the product portfolio for G&D in the compact segment. Its introduction into the market, significantly augments G&D’s capability to address the ‘Fitness Sorting’ requirements in banks. Besides creating serious interests within the visiting senior officials from all leading banks, the product also attracted many competitors, who were shocked and awed by the display of this product. With Numeron CL, EMS adds yet another success to its product design to manufacturing service that it delivers to G&D.

University of Maryland, USA, students visit TCS IRC, Bangalore

A team of 13 students and a Professor from University of Maryland, USA, visited the Information Resource Centre (IRC), Think Campus, Bangalore, on 8 January, 2013, as a part of their educational tour to India. The IRC team took them for a campus tour, which started with a visit to the IRC floor walk. Bangalore Branch IRC Head, Dr. Nagappa, received the team and briefed them on TCS IRC’s Services and Offerings. The students were quite curious to know how IRC caters to the information requirements of an organisation of a huge magnitude like TCS. They were awed by the fact that so many people still continue to use physical libraries in this digital era, especially in an IT company. The presentation on global reference desk convinced the visitors that the TCS IRC services are truly without any borders. After understanding TCS’ services and best practices, the students requested for a session for their classmates through Skype. The interactive session that followed resulted in learning and sharing of knowledge and experience between the hosts and the guests. Prof. Tavarekere Srikantaiah, a well-known personality in the field of Knowledge Management and Library Science, shared his experiences with the TCS team. He further said, “We learned a lot and now we know how the giant TCS manages and provides services from their extensive information resources. We will remember this visit forever.” The other visitors were of the unanimous opinion too that TCS IRCs are a notch above its peers in the industry.