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**Highlights of 64th AGM held on
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The 64th Annual General Meeting of All India Rubber Industries Association was held on Friday 23rd September, 2016 at Hotel le Meridein, Janpath, New Delhi.

Mr. Mohinder Gupta, President – AIRIA welcomed the distinguished guests on the Dias as well as other attendees. The President in his speech covered various topics related to Indian Rubber Industry.



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Serbia is a country on southeast Europe's Balkan peninsula with northern plateaus and mountains with ski resorts to the south. Capital city Belgrade is home to Communist-era architecture and Kalemegdan Park, site of Belgrade Fortress, held successively by the Roman, Byzantine and Ottoman empires. Stari Grad, the old city, is home to 19th-century mansions, plus opera and ballet at Narodno Pozorište (National Theatre)

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Raman Spectra of Carbon-Based Materials (from Graphite to Carbon Black) and of Some Silicone Composites



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JK Tyre hits a new high, rolls out 10 millionth truck/bus radial tyre



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