

# AIRIA Promotes Rubber Industry at International Forums



**President AIRIA Mohinder Gupta with Apiradi Tantraporn - Minister of Commerce Thailand and Chaiyos Sincharoenkul - President of Thai Rubber Association**

All India Rubber Industries Association (AIRIA) has taken a series of steps towards promotion of Indian rubber industry at international forums. On the invitation of The Royal Thai Embassy at New Delhi, a delegation headed by Mohinder Gupta, President AIRIA visited Thailand

recently for business matching of rubber and rubber products. The objective of the visit included exploring the possibility of increasing the volume of trade cooperation in non-tyre rubber goods between India & Thailand.

At the recently held India Rubber Meet at Goa which saw all the stakeholders of rubber value chain participating, AIRIA argued strongly in favour of promotion of rubber goods industry. Domestic rubber industry needs to be made competitive by removal of inverted duty structure, waiving off import duty on synthetic rubbers which are not manufactured in India, withdrawal of safeguard duty on carbon black and antidumping duty on Rubber Chemicals, said Mohinder Gupta.