

L&T chief Subrahmanyam to head National Safety Council



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The Ministry of Labour and Employment has appointed SN Subrahmanyam, Managing Director, L&T as the Chairman of the National Safety Council (NSC) for three years.

Subrahmanyam spearheaded the infrastructure business of L&T for several years, making it the country's largest construc-

tion organisation and 14th in the world. The National Safety Council which has a major role to play to ensure safety in work places under new Occupational Safety, Health and Working Conditions Code, 2020 (OSH).

The National Safety Council will assist the Directorate General Factory Advice Service and Labour Institutes in re-writing the regulations governing OSH

which has not been updated for over 50 years. The NSC will also be involved in framing the scheme for third party audit and certification under the OSH Code.

The NSC is already working on the safety rating of establishments based on their OSH readiness and performance which can be extended across the country and linked to the inspection system.