

**RAMESH S. RAMAKRISHNAN, CHAIRMAN, TRANSWORLD GROUP RECEIVES
HIGHEST AWARD FROM THE PRESIDENT OF INDIA**



BHUBANESWAR, January 10, 2025 - Mr. Ramesh S. Ramakrishnan, Chairman of Transworld Group, is the latest recipient of the prestigious Pravasi Bharatiya Samman Award (PBSA). The award, conferred by the President of India, is the highest honour for overseas Indians. It recognizes exemplary contributions by members of the Indian diaspora in their respective fields and their efforts in strengthening ties between India and the global community.

Mr. Ramakrishnan, who lives with his family in the United Arab Emirates, received the award at a celebratory event during the 18th Pravasi Bharatiya Divas Convention held in Bhubaneswar, Odisha between January 8-10. Awardees were vetted and chosen by a distinguished panel of luminaries, including India's Vice President and the External Affairs Minister, among others.

Mr. Ramakrishnan was recognized for his exceptional leadership over four decades and his contribution to the global shipping and logistics solutions industry.

“I am deeply humbled to receive this award,” he said. “It is a tribute to the shared efforts of my family, the Transworld team, and all those who have supported our journey. As a proud member of the Indian diaspora, I remain committed to contributing to India's growth and fostering opportunities that strengthen the bond between our homeland and the global community.”

Mr. Ramakrishnan took over the helm of Transworld Group from his late father (and founder), Mr. R. Sivaswamy, in 1989. In the decades since, Mr. Ramakrishnan has exponentially grown and globally expanded the reach of the integrated shipping and logistics conglomerate. His unwavering commitment to innovation, sustainability, and excellence has positioned the Group as a transformative force in the logistics and shipping sector. With a workforce of over 1,000, the company's interests encompass a holistic spectrum, from ship owning and management to digital supply chain management, warehousing, food processing, and, most recently, private aviation.

Beyond his business achievements, the award also recognizes Mr. Ramakrishnan's commitment to philanthropy and community development. His dedication to giving back to society through initiatives in education, healthcare, and social impact projects exemplifies his belief in the transformative power of service to humanity.

About Transworld Group

Transworld Group, established in 1977 and headquartered in the Jebel Ali Free Zone (Dubai, UAE), is a global shipping and logistics conglomerate with a strong network of worldwide offices. With over four decades of expertise, the group provides comprehensive, one-stop solutions for shipping and logistics needs. Its diverse portfolio includes ship owning and management (container, bulk carriers, and tankers), private luxury charter planes, supply chain management, warehousing, cold chain solutions, inland transportation, multimodal freight forwarding, food processing and Agri-logistics, shipping agencies, project logistics, and e-commerce solutions.