The Institute of Cost Accountants of India (Statutory body under an Act of Parliament) had organized National Seminar on the theme "Cost Competitiveness & Economic Growth" on 18 September 2016 at J.N. Bose Auditorium of the Institute Headquarters at Kolkata. This Seminar seeks to address the challenges in building cost competitiveness and explore the contributions that CMAs can make to foster the Indian economy by playing catalytic role in accomplishment of the mission "Make in India". Smt Arjun Ram Meghwat, Hon'ble Minister of State for Finance and Corporate Affairs, G.O.I. was the Chief Guest of the Inaugural Session of the National Seminar. The Institute felicitated and honored him in this auspicious occasion.