

## New Fellow of the Royal Society of Chemistry (FRSC)

Our readers will be pleased to know that Dr. G. Parthasarathy has been elected as a Fellow of the Royal Society of Chemistry (FRSC), Cambridge, UK. Dr. Parthasarathy, Senior Scientist at National Geophysical Research Institute, Hyderabad is known for his contributions in the field of Chemistry and Physics of minerals and materials, including nanno-materials, like natural fullerenes and for his research on rocks of suspected extra-terrestrial origin. — *BPR*

## Science in General

In the 21<sup>st</sup> Century the clever application of science, technology and engineering will be essential to avoid a global humanitarian crisis. Scientists are clearly saying this, but the policy makers do not know how to listen to us. Government must find a way of bridging this gap. Otherwise, the future of our country will be bleak. — *BPR*