

Document of the month

This month we bring to you the photograph of Sohrab Godrej with Mr. and Mrs. Porselle at the French National Day Celebration held at The Oberoi Hotel (Mumbai) on 14th July 1983. The photograph is reminiscent of his affinity and long association with France.

Sohrab Godrej recognised the potential of Indo-French collaboration in the industrial sector. After becoming the President of Indo-French Technical Association (IFTA) in 1970, he persevered to bring about a closer co-operation between France and India in various matters especially the machine tool industry. He was confident that the language barriers could be surmounted and that if the French agencies assured their continued support, the machine tools industry in India could be developed much further. He enjoyed his engagement with France through various associations- with Alliance Francaise in Mumbai and the Indo-French Chamber of Commerce and Industry.