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2 messages

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Mon, Dec 20, 2010 at 10:53 PM

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From: Srinivas Alavilli <alavilli@gmail.com>

To: LSPK ACTIVE MAIL GROUP <lspk-active@googlegroups.com>; Prithvi Reddy <prithvi@plasmaprecision.com>; Ravindranath Guru <rnguru@gmail.com>; SV Sumir Hinduja <sumir_h@yahoo.com>

Sent: Mon, December 20, 2010 7:36:06 PM

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2 attachments



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Mahesh-FarRight.jpg

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To: nethrakere2@gmail.com

Wed, Dec 22, 2010 at 7:13 AM

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From: shankarap@yahoo.com

To: lspk-active@googlegroups.com

Sent: Tue Dec 21st, 2010 9:16 PM IST

Subject: Re: RTI Activist Mr. HY Mahesh dies on his way to Lokayukta

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Sent: Tue, December 21, 2010 10:11:26 AM

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