- **1. Independence Day** was celebrated in the Institute. The staff along with family members, trainees, staff from other offices situated within the campus and students from neighbouring Bethesda School participated in the celebrations. The Director hoisted the national flag. Patriotic songs were sung by the faculty, staff and trainees. The Director addressed the gathering.
- 2. Hindi week was observed from 7th 14th September 2007 and Hindi Divas was celebrated on 14th September 2007. Shri B.A. Eshwara, Ex-servicemen was the chief guest. As part of the observance of the Hindi week, Anthakashri, Hindi translation, Letter writing, Essay, Quiz competition, Ek Shyam Bachonke Naam (cultural programme for the children of NTI staff) and Hindi Jokes / Songs were organized. Prizes were distributed to the winners of the events.

GENERAL

1. Retirement

Dr (Mrs) R. Vatsala, Additional director and Sri. G.S. Iyengar, Transport Supervisor retired on attaining the age of superannuation on 31-10-07 (A/N)

2. New Appointments / Transferred / Deputation / Resigned

1) Sri. Kiran Kumar Ravuri, Deputy Director, NSSO (FOD), RO Bhopal was transferred as Chief Statistical Officer, NTI Bangalore and reported for duty on 02-07-07