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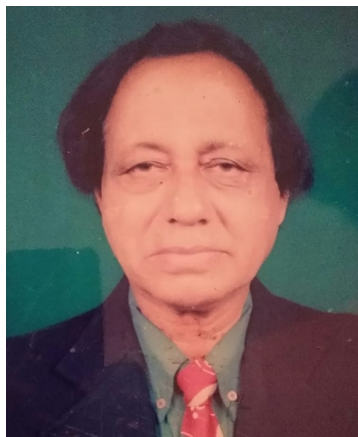
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12<sup>th</sup> January 2021

## *Condolence Message*



### **Late Prof.(Dr.) Padma Lochan Nayak** 13.08.1938 - 12.01.2021

Prof.(Dr.) Padma Lochan Nayak, our loving teacher, one of the architects of polymer science education and research in the state, is no more. He passed away on 12<sup>th</sup> January 2021 at Cuttack after a brief illness.

Prof. Nayak spent most of his professional career at Ravenshaw College, Cuttack. Through hard work and persistent effort, he established himself globally as one of the pioneers of polymer science research. He served as the first Director of the Central Institute of Petrochemicals Engineering & Technology (CIPET), Bhubaneswar. In 1996 he retired from the Government service as Professor and Head, Department of Chemistry, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.

We, the Members of the Orissa Chemical Society, offer our deepest condolences to the bereaved family and pray God for the noble soul to rest in peace.



(Shashadhar Samal)  
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For the Members of the Orissa Chemical Society