

Obituary

Mr J Jayaraman



(November 19, 1940 - May 29, 2021)

Mr J Jayaraman, FNAE Formerly Scientist G, Associate Director, Aeronautical Development Establishment (ADE), Bangalore born on November 19, 1940 passed away on May 29, 2021. He had made significant Research & Development contributions in the areas of Mechanical Engineering Systems and Airframe Design including development of metallic and composite airframes of UAVs. He made contributions in evolving and promoting integrated system design concepts for UAVs and contributed towards the development of the Pilotless Target Aircraft- Lakshya by Aeronautical Development Establishment as Project Director, leading to its successful completion and induction by Air Force. He received Dr VM Ghatge's Design Award of Aeronautical Society of India in 1991 and DRDO Scientist of the year award for 1994 for Flight Sciences. In addition, he was a joint recipient of DRDO cash awards for Design & Development of Reusable rocket pod in 1985 and in 1986. He was also a Fellow of Aeronautical Society of India and Institution of Engineers India

May God Bless his Soul to Rest in Peace