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**EMPOWERING WOMEN — STRENGTHENING DEMOCRACY**

**BY**

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A session on the theme: ‘Empowering Women — Strengthening Democracy’ was organized by Department of Management Studies on 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2017 for the women staff and students to deliberate on enlightenment, empowerment and involvement of women in decision making processes.

Dr.G.Hampamma, Vice-Principal Engineering, presided over the function and delivered opening remarks. Addressing the participants, she emphasized on the importance of women empowerment.

Dr D Pradeep Kumar, Head, Department of Management Studies insisted that empowerment of women should be always stream-lined. More such activities may be planned in the future and true empowerment be achieved.

Dr.Geetha Devi.K.V gave her presentation on the theme of the session by highlighting role of women in decision- making. This is followed by girl student’s presentations on the given topics where they have come with their innovative ideas.

After presentations discussions were conducted where the girl students shared their ideas like they will motivate the girl next to them in their own decision making, they should set themselves as examples for other girls.

Our neighbors can be our role models and a few resolutions were passed like to have a training program for women on development of leadership skills and to organize few programs on women entrepreneurship so as develop an attitude for problem solving and business skills.

Dr.Thamarai ,HoD ECE and Dr.Sreedevi HoD CSE motivated girls through their presence and by their inspiring words.

It was a thought provoking session as Dr D Pradeep Kumar asked for conducting few more sessions on the similar issues. In his Concluding he invited members for studies on women street vendors and on domestic workers.

Vote of thanks was proposed by Dr.Geetha Devi.

The Department of Management Studies extends heartfelt regards to the Management, Principal and supporting staff for their support.