

## **Mr K. Kanag-Isvaran PC to Chair the Members of the Faculty of ICLP Diploma in Commercial Arbitration**

ICLP Diploma in Commercial Arbitration has been ongoing since 2004 and recently conferred the seventh batch of Diplomates at the Award Ceremony.

ICLP took the opportunity of honouring the outgoing Chairman at the 15<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebrations and the ICLP Award Ceremony held on the 26<sup>th</sup> of July. Hon. S. S. Wijeratne, Secretary and Course Director honoured the outgoing Chairman of the Board of Examiners of the Diploma in Commercial Arbitration Hon Justice Saleem Marsoof PC with a token of appreciation reminiscing the dedicated seven years of yeoman services committing in enhancing and sharing the knowledge with the participants.

While bidding farewell to the outgoing Chairman ICLP welcomes the new Chairman of the Members of the Faculty eminent Commercial Law Practitioner, President's Counsel Mr. K. Kanag-Isvaran who is a Graduate in Law, Barrister at Law and an Advocate of the Supreme Court of Sri Lanka. He was also the Head of Sri Lankan Experts who drafted the Arbitration Act No. 11 of 1995 and took initiatives to commence ICLP arbitration centre to promote and strengthen the arbitration system.

Mr. Kanag-Isvaran PC had also served as the Commissioner of the Law Commission of Sri Lanka since 1994 and had also been the Chairman of the Advisory Commission on Company Law which drafted the Companies Act No. 7 of 2007 and the Intellectual Property Act No. 36 of 2003.

Mr. K. Kanag-Isvaran PC currently is a Member of the Council of the University of Colombo since 2004 and a Member of the Council of Management of ICLP since inception who shares his wisdom and expertise as a Lecturer on Advanced Company Law and Arbitration for the LL.M. Course of the Faculty of Law, University of Colombo and the ICLP Diploma in Commercial Arbitration. He is also the Co-Editor of ICLP Publication "Arbitration Law in Sri Lanka".

**The Centre is now open for registration of the eighth batch of the ICLP Diploma in Commercial Arbitration scheduled to commence this October.**

*Photo (Left to Right): Mr. K. Kanag-Isvaran PC addressing the gathering at ICLP Award Ceremony 2011, Hon. S. S. Wijeratne- Secretary General, ICLP & Course Director with Hon. Justice Saleem Marsoof PC at the ICLP Award Ceremony*

