

Stamp on L V Prasad released

Hyderabad, Sep 5 A commemorative postage stamp in memory of the doyen of Indian cinema and Dada Saheb Phalke award winner, L V Prasad, was released here today by Union Minister of State for Communications and IT Shakeel Ahmad.

A book on the life and times of Prasad -- who had an enduring passion for films and donned the roles of producer, director, actor and industrialist with perfection -- was also released at a function organised at the Hyderabad International Convention Centre.

Noted producer-director and Union Minister of State for Coal Dasari Narayana Rao released the book.

Speaking on the occasion, Rao requested the Centre to clear a longpending proposal for commemorative stamps in memory of veteran Telugu actors Savithri and Chittor Nagaiah.

Telugu thespian Akkineni Nageswara Rao, Eenadu Group Chairman Ch Ramji Rao and the L V Prasad Eye Institute Director G N Rao were among those who attended the event.