





One Day Seminar

Solar Energy-opportunities in Rail Sector

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The Delhi Metro Corporation Ltd. (DMRC) is a joint venture of the Government of the National Capital Territory of Delhi (GNCTD) and Government of India. The Organization is implementing the construction and operation of a world-class Mass Rapid Transport System (MRTS) since its inception.

The Delhi Metro has been instrumental in ushering in a new era in the sphere of mass urban transportation in India. The swanky and modern Metro System introduced comfortable, air conditioned and eco-friendly service for the first time in India and completely revolutionized the mass transportation scenario not only in the National Capital Region but the entire country.

The Delhi Metro has also contributed tremendously on the environment front by becoming the first ever railway project in the world to claim carbon credits for regenerative braking. DMRC has set an ambitious target of setting up roof top Solar Plants of 20 MWp capacity in 3 Years, on Depots, Stations, residential buildings, etc. Out of which 2.5 MWp has been installed and Power Purchase Agreements for 10 MWp have already been signed.

The Institution of Engineering and Technology

The IET (UK) founded in 1870's as Institution of Electrical Engineers (UK), is a professional body of Engineers, Technologists and Scientists, with a Global network of over 153,000 members, spanning the fields of power, electronics & Communication, controls & Software, manufacturing, Management & Inter Related Disciplines.

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Preamble

The National Action Plan on Climate Change (NAPCC), released by the Prime Minister on 30th June, 2008, recognizes the need to maintain a high growth rate for increasing the living standards of the vast majority of people and reducing their vulnerability to adverse impacts of climate change. The National solar Mission is one of the most important of 8 National missions.

Indian Railway consumes about 17.5 billion unit of electricity, which is about 1.8% of the total country's generation with an annual expenditure of over Rs. 11,000 crore. Enabling provisions in Electricity Act 2003 and subsequent Regulatory frameworks now provide ample opportunity to obtain power at competitive rates. 'Vision 2020' document of Indian Railways envisages sourcing at least 10% of energy used from renewable sources such as solar power and wind power.

The efforts of the Railways in setting up renewable energy projects would contribute to Government of India's 100 GW of solar target under the National Solar Mission. Given the large scale of operations and coverage of the Indian Railways, even sourcing a small percentage of its power requirements from renewable energy sources would have a substantial impact. The Union Rail Budget 2015-16 stressed the need for harnessing solar energy and identified railway stations as one of the largest potentials for the same.

This proposed seminar is being organized keeping in view the above objective.

Objective

The seminar will provide opportunities to electricity generators, developers, power exchanges, policy makers, various Govt. Agencies, technical experts, stake holders in formulating a road map in managing the energy portfolio of Rail sector as well as the opportunity that exists in the landscape of power sectors, Concepts discussed & exhibited at this seminar will help to achieve synergy in thought and action across user, suppliers and utilities. It will also help evolve appropriate policies to make different technologies competitive Solar Energy.

Coverage

The seminar will provide a complete spectrum of Rail Sector Electric Energy system challenges being faced by them to avail the electricity from solar system at the minimum tariff.

Participation

Agencies having experience in development of solar systems, renewable energy systems, research and development institution, power sector, solution providers, industries, project developers and individual experts are expected to participate and sharing their knowledge and experience through papers and presentations, Delegates from IR, DMRC, PSUs, industries & different institutions like IET, IEI, IREE etc and abroad will get immense benefits out of the deliberations of conference.

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Papers may be submitted to:

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Participation fee for Delegates

Registration:

Intending participants in the Seminar are requested to fill and return the enclosed registration form along with requisite fee by 21st July, 2015.

Fee:

Delegate	₹3,000
Members of IREE, IRSTE, IE(I), IEEE, IET (UK), Ministry of Railways, Zonal Railways,	
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Important Dates

Date of Seminar	August 4, 2015
Last date of receiving Nominations Form along with Fee	July 31, 2015
Sponsorship matter with Fee	July 31, 2015
Last date of receiving papers	July 20, 2015

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