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To all IWPA Members who have Wind Mills in Tamil Nadu

Dear Members,

Appeal to TANGEDCO for full evacuation of all Wind Energy available in lean Season

CERC has increased under the **Deviation Settlement Mechanism** the variability limit of **150 MW** in the scheduled injection to **250 MW**, consequent to our consistent efforts for the last one year with Central Government & CERC. This increase in variability limit should help SLDC to evacuate more Wind Energy.

Unfortunately SLDC, TN is increasing grid dropping of Wind Mills even when generation is much less. So we have made an appeal to CMD, TANGEDCO to fully evacuate Wind Energy. Our appeal as well as the Minutes of IWPA meeting with CEA, New Delhi on 2.11.2015 are enclosed for your information.

Update on Forecasting of Wind Energy in Tamil Nadu: Even during the lean Wind Season, we are happy to know that the Forecasting by NIWE is more than 85% near to actuals. Even with such good Forecasting, it is unfortunate that TANGEDCO evacuation is not good. Hence our above appeal to TANGEDCO.

So far as the final phase of Meter fixing in the balance of Wind substations, the Co-operation of TANGEDCO is lacking but we are following it up to get things done as soon as possible. We have sent 3 Engineers of TANGEDCO for training in Denmark and Switzerland. They are supposed to return on 2nd December 2015.

APTEL MUST RUN APPEAL: Our appeal to APTEL to provide MUST RUN Status has been admitted for hearing on 11th January 2016. This is for your kind information.

Thanking you all once again for all the support.

With Best Wishes & Regards,

For Indian Wind Power Association

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Chairman

Enclosure: IWPA's Appeal to CMD TANGEDCO & Minutes of CEA dated 2.11.2015

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