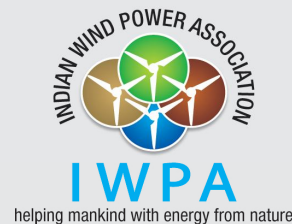


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Dear Members

Awards for Best Performing Wind Farms for the year 2013-14 and 2014 -15

IWPA invites nominations for the **Best Performing Wind Farm Awards** for the year 2013-14 & 2014-15 from the wind farm owners. The application form is enclosed. The **last date** for submission of completed applications is **Friday, May 15, 2015**. Separate applications to be submitted for the year 2013-14 and 2014-15.

The awards will be presented to the winners during the **4th International Wind Conference & Exhibition WE20 by 2020** scheduled for 22nd and 23rd of June 2015, which is a prestigious event of the Association.

The Wind Farms will be divided into Seven Zones as given below:

Zone I	Wind Farms covered under Aralvoimozhy and Cumbum Pass
Zone II	Wind Farms covered under Shengottah and Palghat Pass
Zone III	Wind Farms covered under Maharashtra
Zone IV	Wind Farms covered under Gujarat
Zone V	Wind Farms covered under Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh
Zone VI	Wind Farms covered under Karnataka and
Zone VII	Wind Farms covered under Andhra Pradesh

Two awards in each zone i.e., one award for the category of wind farms having installed capacity **up to 2 MW** and one for wind farms having installed capacity of **more than 2 MW** will be awarded. Thus there will be 14 awards for each year.

A set of parameters has been identified for evaluation of performance. Different weightage for the various parameters have been proposed. Points will be verified during a site inspection. The performance of the wind farms applied for the awards would be judged based on the following parameters.

- *Average Machine Availability*
- *Capacity Factor*
- *Age of the Wind Farm*
- *Cost of Maintenance per unit generated*
- *Reactive Power Drawal*
- *Waste Land Development Activities*
- *Accidents*
- *Community Service Activities*
- *Innovative Measures*

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Eligibility & Conditions:

1. The award is applicable only to IWPA registered members and an applying member should not have any financial arrears to the Association as on the date of application.
2. Only wind farm capacity and windmills disclosed by the member to our Association will be considered for the award.
3. Each application should be accompanied by a Cheque / Demand Draft for Rs. 500/-, towards Registration Fees drawn in favour of **Indian Wind Power Association**, payable at **Chennai**.
4. All applications should be complete in all respects and incomplete applications are liable for rejection.
5. A member can apply for one or more zones, if the member has windmills in several zones.
6. Each member shall however submit only one application per zone and it shall include all the windmills registered with IWPA in that zone.
7. The participating windmills should have completed a minimum of twelve months of operation.
8. The application form and data as per the format should be signed by the authorized signatory.
9. The decision of the selection committee will be final and binding.

For Non Members:

Non Members are also eligible to apply. However, such of those investors who are not members of IWPA should become members of IWPA by filling in the application for membership which can be downloaded from the IWPA website www.windpro.org and payment of the first year membership fees along with admission fee.

Members are requested to extend their cooperation and participate in large numbers to ensure the success of this scheme.

Thanking you

Yours faithfully
For Indian Wind Power Association

Encl.: As above

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