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Dear Friends

Update on the "Forecasting in Tamil Nadu" project

The Forecasting Project was formally launched by Ms. Varsha Joshi, IAS, Joint Secretary, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy at the NIWE Campus at Chennai on May 13, 2015.

We are glad to inform that the Director (Operation), the Director (Generation) of TANGEDCO and their team participated.

There was a large gathering of Generators, Manufacturers and senior officers of TANGEDCO, SRLDC, Consultants and members from the Press.

Paper clippings of the News items that appeared in The Hindu, The Deccan Chronicle, Indian Express and Business Line are attached for your kind perusal.

Currently 4 out of 134 Sub Stations have been fitted with the communicating ABT Meters which are relaying real-time wind generation data to NIWE. Work is under way for fixing Meters in the remaining Wind Energy pooling Sub-Stations.

We thank all those who have contributed Rs.3.59 crores for 2,400 MW so far against Rs.4.5 crores needed. We request every other Wind Energy Generator also to extend their hand in support by sending their contribution early.

Since the project is targeted to be completed before the start of this wind season, 1st June, 2015, we humbly request you to send your contribution expeditiously.

Thanking you with Best Wishes and regards,

For Indian Wind Power Association

(Prof. Dr. K Kasthurirangaian)

Encl: as above Chairman