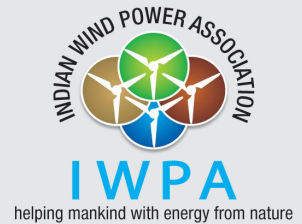


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Dear Friends

**Sub: Meet at Coimbatore on June 15 & Forecasting update  
– Request for Registration for Conference**

A good number of our Members attended the meeting that was held on June 15, 2015 at the Indian Chamber of Commerce Hall. The gist of the proceedings is given below:

1. Update of Forecasting Project in Tamil Nadu: The meters have been fitted in the 18 Nos. 10(1) Substations owned by the Manufacturers. Work is in full swing to collect the information from the TANGEDCO Substations. The meters have to be calibrated to show readings up to one-millionth of a unit and this has caused some delay. However, efforts are afoot to complete it by this June end.
2. LVRT to be fixed on WEGs: An affidavit has been filed with CERC that it is not technically feasible to set up LVRTs in WEGs. Association however supports the installation of LVRTs in new machines.
3. Forecast to be given by all WEGs irrespective of size and number: All WEGs are expected to provide forecast and scheduling individually. The current Forecasting project undertaken in TN would serve as a model for the rest of the country and would meet this requirement from individual wind farm owners.
4. Compulsory removal of WEGs older than 20 years: It was explained that the Association wants a comprehensive Scheme for Repowering. A separate Session for Repowering has been added in this Conference to be held at Coimbatore on June 21 to 23, 2015.
5. CERC's draft Framework on "Forecasting, Scheduling & Imbalance Handling for Renewable Energy (RE) Generating Stations based on wind and solar at Inter-State Level" Association's suggestions have been put up to CERC for consideration.
6. National Energy Mission draft prepared by MNRE: We are in the process of drafting the Association's comments and suggestions on the proposed Policy which will be published in our Magazine.

In order to make an impact on the decision makers who are based in Delhi and Chennai we need to display our solidarity and strength in large numbers. **I therefore, appeal to you to attend and also send delegates from your organization for the Conference and turn up in large numbers** and benefit from the proceedings. The updated Programme Schedule is attached for your kind perusal.

Thanking you with Best Wishes and regards,

For Indian Wind Power Association

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