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Circular to Presidents, Secretaries, Office bearers & Coordinators of IWPA offices in the Energy Rich States like Tamil Nadu , Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Maharashtra, Gujarat & Rajasthan.

**Sub: USAID India calling for proposals for the
Renewable Integration & Sustainable Energy (RISE)
initiatives.**

Dear Members,

Please find enclosed herewith communication dated 25th Aug 2015 from Shri. Shuvendu Bose of Ernst & Young calling for USAID proposals requesting IWPA Association for **“Greening the grid project ”** commissioned by MOP and funded by USAID. Under the project 6 Grid integrated pilot would be implemented where a accumulative US\$ 6 Million would be available as grant. USAID needs to leverage the Grant in the 1:4 ratios and implement 6 pilots in 4 years.

We request each of our IWPA State entity to submit proposal to USAID directly with a copy to IWPA National Office for participating in their initiative.

The USAID wants Task order proposal by Friday 29th August 2015 - Just 3 days. The time given is too inadequate. I am requesting Shri. Shuvendu Bose of Ernst & Young & Mr. Mark Newton of USAID to extend the date for submission of the proposals from each of our State units up to 7th September 2015 giving us a time of 10 days.

We hope they would agree. We request State offices to make good of the offer from USAID.

Thanking you with Best Wishes & Regards,

For Indian Wind Power Association
(Prof. Dr. K Kasthurirangaian)
Chairman

Enclosure: Email dated 25th Aug 2015 from Shri. Shuvendu Bose of Ernst & Young

Copy To - Shri. Shuvendu Bose of Ernst & Young & Mr. Mark Newton of USAID
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