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Web Meetings

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Upcoming Webinars

*Training Programme on
STORAGE POWER*

7th April, 2021

[Register here](#)

*Webinar on
Partial Discharge Detection*

9th April, 2021

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***TECH-IT Tutorials**
Series of 4 Tutorials over Web*

5th May, 2021

12th May, 2021

19th May, 2021

26th May, 2021

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“Some precautions that you should take before getting **VACCINATED**”



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Health & Fitness Update

Minister, Government of India, on review of industry performance and suggestions for further strengthening economic recovery and growth. IEEMA brought some issues faced by the electrical industry to the notice of the Hon'ble Minister, related to, RoDTEP, Steep rise in the prices of essential raw materials, impact of concessional imports under chapter 98 and lack of testing infrastructure and R&D. IEEMA also provided suggestions for rectification of these issues.

Power Transformer Division meeting - 25th March 2021

IEEMA Power Transformer Division meeting was held over web. The meeting was chaired by Mr. Shouvik Bhattacharya, Chairman, Power Transformer Division. The meeting was attended by 41 members from 30 organisations. Mr. Neeraj Goyal, Vice Chairman, Power Transformer Division also participated in the meeting.

The important points discussed during the meeting were State of Industry, Update on the Policy initiatives taken up by IEEMA Public Policy Cell, Update on the Power Transformer Standardization Manual, way forward of the interactive session on challenges of Indian Power Transformer Industry, Update on the Standard Technical Specifications of Transformer(s) for Solar Park pooling station, forthcoming webinar sessions from the Division, Realignment of Responsibilities, to organise a meeting with Mill manufacturers/representatives on the CRGO shortage and price rise. The next meeting was decided to be convened in May 2021.

Distribution Transformer Division meeting - 25th March 2021

IEEMA Distribution Transformer Division meeting was held over web. The meeting was chaired by Mr. Ajay Sanghi, Chairman, Distribution Transformer Division. The meeting was attended by 32 members from 21 organisations. Mr. Chanchal Jindal, Vice Chairman DT Division also participated in the Meeting.

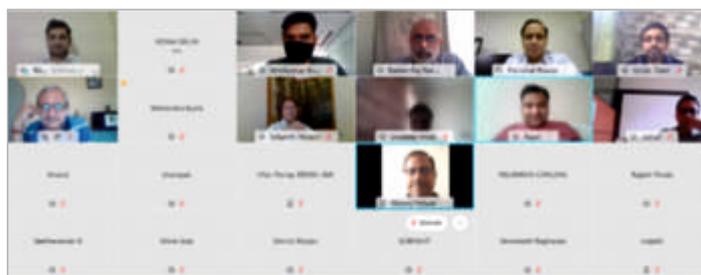
The important points discussed during the meeting was Update on the Policy initiatives taken up by IEEMA Public Policy Cell, Abnormal price rise in CRGO, STEEL, TRANSFORMER OIL, COPPER, Suggestions received during DT interactive meeting and way forward, Discussion on uniform techno commercial terms across the country for DT, Issue of Reverse Bidding, to organise a meeting with Mill manufacturers /representatives on the CRGO shortage and price rise, Discussion on imposition of import duty on CRGO from Japan and Korea, Realignment of activities of the Division etc. The next meeting was decided to be convened on 28th May 2021.

Smart Grid & Meter Division Technical Committee meeting - 26th March 2021

A special meeting of Technical Committee members of Smart Grid and Meter Divisions was convened for updating members on Cyber Security related discussions. President IEEMA, DG IEEMA and Chief Engineer (IT), CEA also joined the meeting. Mr. M.A.K.P Singh, Chief Engineer (IT), CEA apprised members that he had been interacting with IEEMA key players and there had been very fruitful discussions in past few months. He briefed members on the developments & Ministry of Power key requirements regarding Cyber Security i.e. To provide and issue a list of trusted vendor list by 10th April 2021, CEA is developing Model Cyber Security clauses, CEA to issue a guidelines on Standard Reference Architecture, Testing protocols has been decided by CEA regarding how testing will be done, Certificates provided by the International labs shall also be accepted, CEA to bring regulation on Cyber Security on Power Sector by 15th May 2021.

Chairman suggested to prepare a road map of short term steps and long term steps going forward with the help of CEA/MoP. He also emphasized to prepare a couple of parallel threats where Industry will be ready to work upon. Trusted Vendor list and Reference Architecture Framework are the immediate ones along with the testing protocols to be taken up by Industry on priority basis.

Capacitor and Power Quality Division meeting – 27th March 2021



The meeting of IEEMA Capacitor & Power Quality Division was held on Saturday 27th March 2021 over webinar. Mr. Rajat Kapoor, Chairman, IEEMA Capacitor & Power Quality Division has chaired the meeting. The meeting was attended by 23 members from 17 organizations. IEEMA public policy cell has given a presentation on updates on Government Orders and IEEMA Representations in last 1 year. Discussions was held on State of Industry, Data Statistics, Growth Index for overall Electrical Equipment sector and Capacitor Industry for the period April 20 – December 20 , data Reporting/ Non-reporting members. Chairman updated members on Draft Regulation notified by Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission. Members are also updated

on upcoming divisional conference on Power Quality and status on meeting with BIS for marking fee.

ERC meeting – 27th March 2021



The Last ERC Meeting of FY 2020-21 started with confirmation of MoM of the last ERC meeting held on 04.09.21. The meeting was attended by Chairman ERC Mr. Siddharth Bhutoria, Vice Chairs of ERC – Mr. Devesh Goel and Mr. Sachin Arora, DG – Mr. Sunil Misra and Eastern Region IoTs. The presentation by Ms. Ruchika Sarada of Ascent

Foundation was on how entrepreneurs from different sectors can benefit from this foundation giving them a chance to enhance their networking and adopt a better problem solving attitude by peer to peer interaction. Dr. Siddhartha Das – MD, Science and Technology Entrepreneurs' Park (STEP) explained the various offers and initiatives of STEP and their PRISM program which is under the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research (DSIR), Ministry of Science & Technology (MoST), GoI. The IoTs from Eastern Region gave an update on the initiatives that were undertaken in the FY 20-21 by the different verticals assigned to them. The verticals are Training, Skill development & Industry - Academia Connect, SME & Member Connect and Public Policy. They also engaged into further discussion with the members where they requested their active participation in all the verticals. A brief activity plan chalked out for the next financial year was also shared with the members. This was followed by the State Chapter updates by SHs of Odisha & North East.

“Some precautions that you should take before getting **VACCINATED**”

Before vaccination

- In case a person has allergies to medication, or drugs, it is important to get an all-clear from a medical practitioner. A complete blood count (CBC), C-reactive protein (CRP), or Immunoglobulin-E (IgE) levels can be checked under medical advice.
- One should eat well and take medicines, if prescribed, ahead of vaccination. One should try to be as relaxed as possible; counselling can help people who are feeling anxious.
- People with diabetes or blood pressure need to keep these in check. Cancer patients, especially those on chemotherapy, must act on medical advice.
- People who have received blood plasma or monoclonal antibodies as part of Covid-19 treatment, or those who have been infected in the last one and a half months are advised to not take the vaccine right now.

After vaccination

- A recipient of the vaccine is monitored at the vaccine centre itself to guard against any immediate severe allergic reaction. People are allowed to leave only after it has been ascertained that this is not the case.

- Side effects like pain at the injection site and fever are common. This is no reason to panic. Some other side effects like chills and fatigue might also be expected, but these go away in a few days.

Important to note

- Vaccines teach our immune system how to recognise and fight an external threat — in this case, the virus that causes Covid-19. It typically takes a few weeks after vaccination for the body to build protection (immunity) against the virus.
- This means that a person could still get infected by Covid-19 in the few days immediately following the vaccination, because the person would not have had enough time to develop immunity.
- Therefore, basic precautionary measures must be followed even after vaccination. Face masks, hand hygiene, and physical distancing in public places must not be abandoned just because a vaccine has been taken. Cough/sneeze etiquette also needs to be followed.

