Information Bulletin

# National Conference on Sustainable Energy Transition and Achieving Carbon Neutrality in the Power Sector

Under the aegis of CIGRE NSC B3 on Substations and Electrical Installation

Date:  $30^{th} - 31^{st}$  January 2025 Venue: CBIP Conference Hall, New Delhi







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#### ANNOUNCEMENT

The Central Board of Irrigation & Power jointly with CIGRE-India is organising National Conference on "Sustainable Energy Transition and Achieving Carbon Neutrality in the Power Sector" on 30 – 31 January 2025 at Conference Hall, CBIP, New Delhi. This conference is supported by Central Electricity Authority.

#### **OVERVIEW**

India has set an ambitious target of achieving 500 GW of non-fossil Fuel based capacity by 2030, majority of which will be from renewable sources such as Solar and Wind. These sources provide a challenge for grid operation due to variability & intermittent nature of supply. There is a growing need for balancing the variation in the Renewable power supply with storage to provide a steady power supply 24\*7 in to grid to meet the demand of DISCOMS. Therefore, this conference aims to bring together industry leaders, policymakers, researchers, and stakeholders to discuss strategies for achieving carbon neutrality in the power sector. With the increasing urgency of climate change, transitioning to sustainable energy sources is essential for reducing greenhouse gas emissions and promoting environmental stewardship.

#### **OBJECTIVES**

- To share best practices and innovative solutions in sustainable energy technologies.
- · To foster collaboration among stakeholders in the power sector.
- To discuss policy frameworks and regulatory mechanisms that support the transition.
- · To explore financing options for renewable energy projects.

#### **KEY TOPICS**

- 1. Current Trends in Renewable Energy: Examination of solar, wind, and other renewable sources.
- 2. Technological Innovations: Advancements in energy storage, grid management, and smart technologies.
- 3. Regulatory Frameworks: Policies and incentives promoting renewable energy adoption.
- 4. Investment and Financing: Funding models and investment opportunities for sustainable projects.
- 5. Carbon Neutrality Pathways: Strategies and case studies from leading countries and companies.

#### **CALL FOR PAPERS**

The Eminent experts from Utilities and Industries on the subject have been invited to deliver expert lectures during the Conference. The professionals who desire to make presentations/case studies on the above subject are also welcomed.

#### TIME LINES

- Last date of receipt of full-length paper/PPT : 16th January 2025
- Intimation of acceptance of paper : 20th January 2025

#### WHO SHOULD ATTEND

The conference will be of special interest to:

- · Planners, Independent power producers, Operators, Consultants, Electrical Contractors, OEM
- Researchers / Academicians, Manufacturers, Power Utilities / Corporations, State Govt. / SEBs, etc.

#### **REGISTRATION FEE**

All those who wish to participate in the conference are expected to register in advance by sending the details through email to the organizers along with payment of registration fee as indicated under:

- 1. Non Member fee is Rs. 13,000/- per participant
- 2. Discounted fee for Members of CBIP/CIGRE-India is Rs. 11,000/- per participant
- 3. Special Discounted fee for Students is Rs. 2,500/- per student

#### GST @ 18% shall be charged extra GST No. 07AAAJC0237F1ZU

The Registration fee covers the registration kit, tea/coffee/lunch during the conference. The conference is non-residential. Participants will have to make their own arrangements for travel, boarding and lodging etc.

All payments be made through cheque at par in favour of "Central Board of Irrigation & Power", payable at Delhi or amount deposited/ transferred to HDFC Bank, CBIP A/c no. 00031110004411, MICR No. 110240001, Swift Code : HDFCINBBDEL, IFSC: HDFC 0000003, Address: 209-214, Kailash Building, 26 Kasturba Gandhi Marg, New Delhi.

After making of the payment online in respect of the event, the details like UTR/Organization name to be furnished immediately.

#### DATE AND VENUE

The conference will be held on 30 – 31 January, 2025 (Thursday and Friday) at Conference Hall, CBIP, New Delhi. The conference timings will be 10.00 AM to 5.30 PM on both the days. The registration will start at 9.00 AM on 30 January 2025.

#### **SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

The conference provides an effective opportunity for sponsoring companies to promote their products/services to a focused audience, besides networking with engineers of utility, manufacturers and academic institutions during tea/ coffee and lunch intervals. Main banner and other publicity material related to conference and will have the privilege of distribution of their product's pamphlets/catalogues during the event. Sponsors will also have the privilege of sending delegates exempted from payment of registration fee as indicated hereunder:

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<ul> <li>10 delegate passes for participation in the Conference</li> <li>Speaking Opportunity</li> <li>Invitation to the key person of the organization as special invitee during Inaugural session</li> <li>Circulation of Company Literature during the event</li> <li>Company logo on main backdrop and other banners</li> <li>Complimentary Advertisement in the Key Journal Published immediately after the event covering report of the event.</li> <li>Announcement -Thanking sponsor</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>05 delegate passes for participation in the Conference</li> <li>Company logo on main backdrop and other banners</li> <li>Circulation of Company Literature during the event</li> <li>Announcement - Thanking sponsor</li> <li>Complimentary Advertisement in the Key Journal Published immediately after the event covering report of the event.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>03 delegate passes for participation in the Conference</li> <li>Company logo on main Backdrop</li> <li>Announcement – Thanking sponsor</li> </ul>

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- Publication of technical documents e.g., manuals, technical reports, guidelines and journals etc.
- To provide info. about technological developments to the engineers/professionals and other stake holders.

#### **ABOUT CIGRE NSC B3**

The scope of the SC B3 covers entire life-cycle of substation assets; from conception, through research, development, design, production, deployment, maintenance, operation, and end-of-life and emission management. All issues of performance, specification, testing, monitoring and the application of diagnostic testing techniques are within scope, with a specific focus on the impact of changing demands for substations due to increased impact of clean energy transition. Safety and life cycle condition assessment techniques, health indexing, risk management techniques, knowledge transfer and education within the substation not specifically covered under another equipment study committee"s scopes.

#### CIGRE AND THE COMMITTEE FOR CIGRE-INDIA

The International Council on Large Electric Systems (CIGRE), with its Headquarters at Paris deals in the field of generally Transmission, Distribution and Renewable Energy. It functions through 16 Study Committees formed for various disciplines of Power Systems. Each Study Committee comprises about 24 experts drawn from various countries. In addition, some more experts are members of the Working Groups/Task Forces formed by these Study Committees. It is a matter of pride that India is represented in all the 16 CIGRE Study Committees as regular observer member.

CIGRE (Paris) has about 14000 members from 100 countries. Where ever there are more than 40 equivalent members in any country a National Committee is formed with the following aims:

- To disseminate the technical information to the members of the national committee.
- To propose papers for presentation at CIGRE sessions
- To organize representation in CIGRE session / symposia.
- To encourage membership of CIGRE from India.

CIGRE (India) is an affiliate of Central Board of Irrigation and Power. It is the Indian National Committee of CIGRE and is a registered society. It co-ordinates the activities of CIGRE in India, through a number of National Study Committees and disseminates the information about the activities of the CIGRE Study Committees and Working Groups to various organization in India.

### **REGISTRATION FORM**

(To be filled in block letters preferably)

1. Name :	
2. Position :	
3. Organization :	
4. Address :	
5. Phone :	Fax No
6. Email :	
Dated	Signature

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Registration Form, duly filled in, is to be mailed to the following address:

#### **CONFERENCE SECRETARIAT**

Shri A.K. Dinkar, Secretary, CBIP

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Contact Person : Shri S.K. Batra, Consultant, CBIP – M : 9811943812, E-mail : batra@cbip.org Central Board of Irrigation & Power (CBIP), Malcha Marg, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi -110 021 Phone: 011-26115984/ 26116567 Fax: 011 2611 6347; E-mail: cbip@cbip.org Note:

- Photocopies of the registration form can be used for additional requirements, if any.
- Spot registration facilities will also be available, provided the prior information is received.