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## **KERALA STATE**

## **RENEWABLE ENERGY AWARDS - 2018**

## **INVITES APPLICATIONS**

In its efforts to promote excellence in various areas of New and Renewable Energy technologies in the State, Government of Kerala has constituted the "**Kerala State Renewable Energy Awards**" and is operated by the Agency for Non-Conventional Energy & Rural Technology (**ANERT**). Applications are invited to apply for the award pertaining to the financial year 2017 – 2018 (Award 2018) in 10 different categories. The Award winners except Individual category will get a Cash Prize of **Rs. 1,00,000(Rupees One Lakh only), Plaque and citation** and Winners of Individual Category will get a Cash Prize of **Rs. 50,000(Rupees Fifty Thousand only), Plaque and citation**. The Award is given in recognition to the selected enterprises, organizations and individuals who have made systematic and serious attempts for efficient utilization of Renewable Energy, Research & Promotion of renewable energy technologies. The different categories are as below;

Category	Eligibility
<ol> <li>Outstanding         Contribution in RE             (Individual) -             on nomination basis         </li> </ol>	An eminent Personality by nomination for outstanding contribution in Renewable Energy projects in the State of Kerala.
2. Industrial Units	Industrial units who have implemented Renewable Energy projects in the State of Kerala
3. Commercial Consumers	Commercial Buildings - new & retrofits - including hotels, hospitals etc. which have implemented Renewable Energy projects in the State of Kerala
4. Education Institutions	Educational Institutions, which have implemented Renewable Energy projects/involved in Research and Development activities of Renewable Energy Technologies in the State of Kerala.
5. Public Institutions	Public Institutions, which have implemented Renewable Energy

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	projects/involved in promotional efforts, Research and
	Development activities of Renewable Energy Technologies in
	the State of Kerala,
6. Non-Profit Organisations	Non-Profit Organisations involved in promotional efforts/
_	Research & Innovation in renewable energy technologies in the
	State of Kerala
7. Local Self Governments	Including Local Bodies (Corporations, Municipalities, District
	Panchayats, Block Panchayats and Grama Panchayats) which
	have implemented Renewable Energy projects/involved in
	promotional efforts in the State of Kerala.
8. Research & Innovation	Individuals/Public Institutions which have carried out Research
(Individuals & Institutions)	& Innovation in Renewable Energy Technologies and have
	successfully implemented in the State of Kerala
9. RE - Power industry	Independent Power Producers/RE System integrators/ RE
(IPPs, RE system	System manufacturers which have carried out Renewable
integrators, RE system	Energy installations in the State of Kerala
manufacturers etc.)	
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10. Individuals	Individuals involved in promotional efforts / those who have
	implemented new technology Renewable Energy projects in a
	large scale in the State of Kerala.

The qualifying period for the award is the previous financial year from 1st April 2017 to 31st March 2018. However, as longer period for implementation is required in some cases, the work in this direction for the immediate past 3 financial years will also be reviewed. Weightage will be given for technology used, measures such as housekeeping, changeover to sustainable practices, replicability, structured approach, innovation, etc. The Evaluation of applications will be conducted by scrutiny of information gathered, later supplemented by visit to the institutions, if required.

Awards will be given away at a public function on 28<sup>th</sup> February 2019, the National Science Day. Application forms can be downloaded from the ANERT website – <u>www.anert.in</u>. The duly filled applications should reach "**The Programme Officer**, **ANERT Alappuzha District Office**, **Kuttungal Complex**, **Avalookunnu P.O.**, **Alappuzha - 688006**" on or **before 12<sup>th</sup> January 2019 (Phone No 1800-425-1803, Email:** <u>re-award@anert.in</u>).

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