KERALA STATE RENEWABLE ENERGY AWARDS - 2017 Guidelines

OBJECTIVE

Government of Kerala is pleased to constitute the "Kerala State Renewable Energy Awards" from 2017, in order to promote excellence in various areas of new and renewable energy technologies in the State. The Award would be to give recognition to the selected enterprises, organizations and individuals who have made systematic and serious attempts for efficient utilization of renewable energy and research & promotion of renewable energy technologies. The qualifying period for the Renewable Energy Award of a particular year would be the previous financial year.

Accordingly the Renewable Energy Award - 2017 would consider activities undertaken in the State of Kerala, from 1st April 2016 to 31st March 2017.

THE AWARDS

The awards are proposed to be given in the form of a Plaque with appropriate citation on such award, as may be decided by the State Level Monitoring Committee for Renewable Energy Awards in Kerala.

SI No	Category	Prize
1	Industrial Units	I st Prize Rs. 1,00,000/- Plaque & Citation, II nd Prize - Plaque & Citation
2	Commercial Consumers	I st Prize Rs. 1,00,000/- Plaque & Citation, II nd Prize - Plaque & Citation
3	Education Institutions	I st Prize Rs. 1,00,000/- Plaque & Citation, II nd Prize - Plaque & Citation
4	Public Institutions	I st Prize Rs. 1,00,000/- Plaque & Citation, II nd Prize - Plaque & Citation
5	Non-Profit Organisations	I st Prize Rs. 1,00,000/- Plaque & Citation, II nd Prize - Plaque & Citation
6	Local Self Governments	I st Prize Rs. 1,00,000/- Plaque & Citation, II nd Prize - Plaque & Citation
7	Individuals	I st Prize Rs. 1,00,000/- Plaque & Citation, II nd Prize - Plaque & Citation
8	Outstanding Contribution in Renewable Energy (Individual) - on nomination basis	Rs 1,00,000/- Cash prize, Plaque, Citation

The performance would be judged from the details submitted through a proforma (format enclosed) which would be evaluated by the Committee and if needed through a visit/interview by the Award Judging Committee.

The judges reserve the right to move an entry of a participant from the category applied by to another category, at their discretion, if the criterion of participants profile and/or Renewable energy initiatives

is found so by the Judges. The applicants in the category of Individual while highlighting their "research and innovation" may submit the details of tests, testimonials, certifications authenticating their work/from an approved/accredited institution/lab as applicable. In the absence of the same the Judges, if not otherwise able to infer and confirm the Renewable energy implementation potential, reserve the right to reject such applications. The Committee would take a final decision depending upon the number of entries received and other considerations. If suitable applicants are not identified to qualify, the award in that category will not be given. Those enterprises/organizations/individuals, who have received Awards within the last three years, if adjudged to be eligible for recognition in the qualifying year too, based on their performance, will be eligible for a Commendation Certificate.

ELIGIBILITY/CATEGORISATION

The scheme is open to all enterprises in the State of Kerala, as per the categorization listed below.

Category 1: Industrial Units

Industrial units who have implemented renewable energy projects in the State of Kerala

Category 2: Commercial Consumers

Commercial Buildings - new & retrofits- including hotels, hospitals etc. who have implemented renewable energy projects in the State of Kerala

Category 3: Education Institutions

Educational Institutions, who have implemented renewable energy projects /involved in research and development activities of renewable energy technologies in the State of Kerala.

Category 4: Public Institutions

Public Institutions, who have implemented renewable energy projects / involved in promotional efforts, research and development activities of renewable energy technologies in the State of Kerala.

Category 5: Non-Profit Organisations

Non-Profit Organisations involved in promotional efforts / Research & Innovation in renewable energy technologies in the State of Kerala.

Category 6: Local Self Governments

Including Local Bodies (Corporations, Municipalities, District Panchayats, Block Panchayats and Grama Panchayats) who have implemented renewable energy projects /involved in promotional efforts in the State of Kerala.

Category 7: Individuals

Including Individuals involved in promotional efforts /Research & Innovation in renewable energy / those who have implemented renewable energy projects in the State of Kerala.

Category 8: Outstanding Contribution in Renewable Energy (Individual) - on nomination basis

Eminent Personality by nomination for outstanding contribution in renewable energy projects in the State of Kerala.

CRITERIA FOR JUDGING THE MERIT

The Committee will decide the recipient of the awards on the basis of outstanding achievements and contribution in the field of Renewable Energy. The Award may not necessarily be decided on the basis of only quantitative achievements but also taking into account the various other factors such as innovative techniques and technologies adopted, commitment of the management, environment friendliness, sustainability potential of the organizational set-up, contribution made in promotion of the message of Renewable Energy in the Society, etc.

The members of the Award Committee or their nominees may visit participating enterprises/organizations/individuals for verification of data supplied, if felt necessary, and it will be obligatory on the part of the participating units to provide necessary assistance and co-operation for such visits. The Committee may invite some of the short listed enterprises/organizations/individuals for presentation before finalizing the list of Award winning units. The short listed applicants will have to bear all the expenditure in this connection. Aspects that could be considered while judging the application includes but not limited to the following factors:

- Total installed capacity of renewable project implemented
- Research and development component involved
- Innovative technologies
- Technical and environmental risk
- Cost of energy saved through energy generation using renewable energy resources
- Life time
- Sustainability

The Committee's decision would be final and no appeal for re-consideration shall be entertained.

SUBMISSION OF NOMINATION

One neatly bound copy of the proforma (including relevant certificates and documents) along with company's annual audited report for the years 2014-2015, 2015-2016 and 2016-2017 should reach the office of the:

The Programme Officer, ANERT District Office, Kattungal Complex, Avalookunnu P.O, Alappuzha 688006

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Last date for receipt of application: on or before 24th November 2017.