







## Eastern Regional Power Committee

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Sub: Notice for Workshop cum interactive session on Web Portal for weather information for Power-Sector - reg

Sir,

NLDC vide letter dated 07.06.2017 informed that an MOU has been signed between POSOCO & IMD on 18.05.2015 to have an effective weather information interface, exclusively for Power System Operation. In pursuance to this MOU, dedicated web portals for all 5 regions have been developed jointly by IMD & POSOCO. The weather locations presently available with IMD in all regions have been mapped with the electrical locations/ stations. With a better understanding of this data, various utilities in the concerned region can equip themselves with better preparedness and improved operational planning, thereby enhancing the reliability of Power System Operation. The details of the information available at web portal is given at **Annexure-I**.

The representative from IMD will explain the interpretation of weather data available on web portal to derive the information and knowledge for decision making in the day to day operation of power system through interactive sessions.

Accordingly, ERPC in coordination with NLDC and ERLDC is arranging a Workshop cum interactive session on Web Portal for weather information on 7<sup>th</sup> July, 2017 (Friday) at 10.30 hrs at ERPC, Kolkata.

Therefore, you are requested to nominate your officers for the participating in the above **Workshop cum interactive session** positively by 03.07.2017 to mail: **mserpc-power@nic.in** or by fax (033-2423-9652/53).

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,

(A. K. Bandyopadhyaya) Member Secretary

### Information available on the Weather Web Portal

- Regional Weather Summary: This provides Weather Outlook for the Region for the current day and upto next 7 days.
- Weather stations of Meteorological department have been mapped to the nearest important Electrical Station/ Power Stations in each State. The Web portal Contains Station wise Now cast, weather Forecast & weather warning.
  - (a) Now cast: It is technique to forecast the Weather for a short period ahead. This is updated by Meteorological department every 3 hours.
  - (b) Weather Forecast: It is provided for the current day and next few days. It contains parameters such as Maximum/Minimum Temperature, Departure from Normal Temperature, Sunrise and Sunset time, Total Rainfall in mm in the last 24 hours etc.
  - (c) Weather Warning: Warning is issued for the next 3 hours. If there is no warning the parameter shows 'Nil'.
- Radar: The Doppler Weather Radar generates different displays and derived products of practical utility based on standard algorithms. These displays are updated @ every 10 minutes. Various Products available are:
  - (a) Plan Position Indicator (PPI): A constant elevation surface data is presented as a cloud image around the Radar Station. The data depicted is on the slant range depending on the elevation angle (generally 0.5 degree)
  - (b) Plan Position Indicator (Max-Z): This product is same as conventional Radars. A Display of cloud is generated for the Range on the X-Axis and height of the Cloud Surface on Y-Axis
  - (c) Plan Position Indicator (Mean Velocity m/s): Indicate the mean velocity of cloud & its direction. Cloud moving towards Radar (-ve Mean Velocity), Moving away from Radar (+ve Mean Velocity)
  - (d) Surface Rainfall Intensity (mm/Hr): The SRI gives an image of the Rainfall Intensity at surface layer with constant height above ground.
  - (e) Precipitation Accumulation (mm): The PAC product is a second level product. It takes SRI products and Accumulates the Rainfall at a Time Period of 24 Hours.
  - (f) Volume Velocity Processing: This displays the wind velocity and wind direction in a vertical column above the Radar Site
- Satellite Images: Satellite makes measurements indirectly by sensing electromagnetic radiations coming from the surface below. INSAT 3D is being used to monitor the Weather of Indian Origin. The image is updated every 30 minutes.
- Meteogram- The Meteogram at Web-Portal provides plots for Meteorological variables such as Rainfall, Cloud Cover, Temperature, Humidity, Wind Speed, Sea Level Pressure, Indices for Thunderstorm etc. for 10 days with a resolution time of three hours. Each Meteogram Provides information for the 10 kM Radius.
- Region Specific Forecast such as Fog Forecast, Cyclone Forecast, Bay area Bulletin etc.

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