



MSME Financing Stakeholder Consultant Workshop

A stakeholder discussion workshop on “Identification of barriers to rooftop solar uptake in MSMEs and designing of the financial framework for financing MSMEs” was organised at India Habitat Centre, Lodhi Road, New Delhi on 12th Sept 2018. The event was a showcase of the findings of the stakeholder consultations conducted with lenders, developers and MSMEs as part of this study. With close to 40 participants, this event also saw MSMEs expressing their views on rooftop solar and lenders & developers deliberating on their experience with MSMEs.

[CLICK TO KNOW MORE](#)

Utility Officers Training Program in Meghalaya

SUPRABHA Technical Assistance Program through Skill Council for Green Jobs, the capacity building and skill development partner, organized two training programs of two days duration each for Utility engineers in Shillong, Meghalaya during 24-25th September, 2018 and 26- 27th September, 2018 at Regional Institute of Integrated on Rural Energy Planning and Development centre (RIIREPD) Shillong. The program was inaugurated by chairman of MNREDA and was concluded by Minister of Power, Govt. of Meghalaya.

[CLICK TO KNOW MORE](#)

RE Invest- 2018

The World Bank Energy team participated in RE-INVEST 2018, exhibition and conference, which was organized by the Confederation of Indian Industries (CII) in association with International Solar Alliance (ISA) in Greater Noida between 03-05 Oct 2018. The booth was designed to showcase the multitude of activities being carried out by the World Bank group in India in the renewable energy space including SUPRABHA Technical Assistance Program.

[CLICK TO KNOW MORE](#)

Nagaland Senior Management Consultative Workshop

Workshop on 'Development of Grid Connected Rooftop Photo Voltaic programme' was organised in Nagaland on 11 Oct 2018 under: World Bank, State Bank of India and Ministry of New & Renewable Energy (MNRE) SUPRABHA program which provides "Rooftop Solar Assistance. Presentations were made on the Rooftop Solar Policy, Unified Web Portal and other technical aspects of Rooftop Solar for the senior management officials from the State Nodal Agency and Utility.

[CLICK TO KNOW MORE](#)

One Day Training Program on Grid Connected for Utility Officers in Nagaland

SUPRABHA Technical Assistance Program, organised a one-day training program for Utility engineers at the Power Department, Kohima, Nagaland on 01 November 2018. This one-day program was structured based on the curricula of Skill Council for Green Jobs. The training was delivered by two master trainers to 52 participants.

[CLICK TO KNOW MORE](#)

Senior Management Consultative Workshop on Grid Connected Rooftop Photovoltaic Program in Mizoram

SUPRABHA in collaboration with Zoram Energy Development Agency (ZEDA) of the Government of Mizoram organized a Senior Management Consultative Workshop on Development of Grid Connected Rooftop Photovoltaic (GRPv) Program in Mizoram at Aijal Club, Aizwal on 16th November 2018. Presentations were made on the Rooftop Solar Regulations, Unified Web Portal and other technical aspects of Rooftop Solar for the senior management officials from the State Nodal Agency, Utility, Municipal Corporation and other Government Agencies.

[CLICK TO KNOW MORE](#)

Pre-Bid Workshop: 35 MW of Solar Rooftop Projects Under CAPEX and RESCO

The DoP (EE&RM) and IPGCL with assistance from SUPRABHA TA Program organised pre-bid meeting on 10th Dec 2018, to discuss the tender and engage with the developer community. EE&REM has identified more than 400 potential sites, and assessment of these sites were carried out with the support of 'SUPRABHA Technical Assistance' program.

[CLICK TO KNOW MORE](#)

Training Program on Evolution of Solar Proposals for SBI Officers

SUPRABHA Program has structured a Two-Day Training Module for Solar Proposal Evaluation from 2 Jan to 12 Jan 2019 at Yashwantrao Chavan Academy of Development Administration, Pune. This was the 2nd training program organised for SBI officials. It aimed to provide a thorough understanding to SBI officers looking after this sector on the structure of the sector, the business models, financing opportunities, risks and risk mitigation strategies and costing. This training module essentially facilitates the bankers in advancing loans for grid connected rooftop solar systems across the consumer spectrum.

[CLICK TO KNOW MORE](#)

Two Days Grid Connected Rooftop Solar System for Grid Engineers in Patna

In collaboration with Bihar State DISCOMs, SUPRABHA Two-Day Training program on grid connected rooftop solar systems was organised for grid engineers in Patna on 6th and 7th

December, 2018. This training program provided specific information to the Utility Engineers on: Interconnection Procedures, Pre-Commissioning Inspection of the Grid Connected Rooftop Solar PV Power Plant, Post Commissioning Testing of the Grid Connected Rooftop Solar PV Power Plant and Maintain Personal Health & safety at project site.

[CLICK TO KNOW MORE](#)

Pre-Bid Workshop- II BREDA 15 MW RESCO Tender

Bihar Renewable Energy Development Agency under the directive of Department of Power, Govt. of Bihar, is promoting wide spread adoption of rooftop solar systems in Bihar. One of the many initiatives taken by BREDA, include the recently issued tender for developing 15 MW of solar rooftop projects under the RESCO model. The second pre-bid meeting, as a part of the tender process, was recently organized in The Ashok Hotel, New Delhi on 21st January, 2019, seeking participation from various RESCO developers, Financial Institutions and Sectoral Experts.

[CLICK TO KNOW MORE](#)

Senior Management Consultation Meeting on Development of Grid Connected Rooftop Photovoltaic Program in Tripura:

The Senior Management Consultation workshop on development of GCRPV was held in 7th March, 2018 Agartala. Over 30 participants from TREDATA, TSECL, TPGL and various other government departments and organizations that include amongst others education, health, rural development, PWD, State Bank of India participated in the program.

Pre-bid Meet for MP RESCO – III tender for ~25 MWp Solar rooftop implementation for Industries

The MPUVN and MP Industrial Development Corporation (MPIDC) with assistance from SUPRABHA TA Program organised a pre-bid meeting in Madhya Pradesh (MP) Bhawan, New Delhi on 9th April 2019, to discuss the MP RESCO-III tender. The estimated capacity of the project is over 25 MW and would cover approximately 700 industries in Mandideep, an industrial area close to Bhopal. RESCO developer, Financial Institutions and Sectoral Experts participated in the bidding.

About SUPRABHA - The World Bank-SBI Rooftop Solar Technical Assistance Program

The Sustainable Partnership for Rooftop Solar Acceleration in Bharat (SUPRABHA) is a USD 13 million five-year bilateral program which is led by The World Bank and SBI and implemented in partnership with the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE). SBI has appointed Ernst & Young (EY) Consortium as the Project Management Consultant (PMC) for managing the administration of this five-year TA program. SUPRABHA will be offering Technical Assistance to 17 Partner States (Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Sikkim, Tripura, Bihar, Jharkhand, Odisha, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Rajasthan, Chandigarh and Delhi) towards establishing an enabling ecosystem for accelerated deployment of grid connected rooftop solar. EY Consortium comprises of EY, SCGJ, IDAM Infrastructure, Emergent Ventures India, GSES and Edelman.

Visit us at www.suprabha.org

Or

Write to Nithyanandam Yuvaraj Dinesh Babu, Team Leader, SUPRABHA on Yuvaraj.Dinesh@in.ey.com