



## 5 MW Berra Dol Solar Power Project Dedicated to the People of State

Chief Minister Sh. Jai Ram Thakur inaugurated 5MW Berry Dol Solar Power Plant constructed near Shri Naina Devi Ji Shrine in Bilaspur district on 20th February, 2019. This project has been completed by spending an amount of Rs. 36.24 crore by the Himachal Pradesh Power Corporation Ltd.

5 MW Berra Dol Solar Power Plant has been synchronised with HPSEB Ltd. 33/11 KV network Kot and the power generated is being sold to HPSEB. The project would generate 101 lakh unit electricity per annum and will earn revenue of Rs. 4.40 crore to the State exchequer.

The contract for designing, supply, construction and operation of 5MW Solar Power Project was awarded to Bharat Heavy Electrical Ltd. (BHEL). The maintenance of the Solar Project for the next five years will also be done by BHEL. The project has been constructed at the cost of Rs. 36 Crores.

HPPCL is also working on Detailed Project Report for the construction of another Solar Power Project at Aghlor in Una District of Himachal Pradesh. In addition possibility of grid connected solar power plants on canal banks owned by Irrigation and Public Health Department of Himachal Pradesh is also being explored.



Chief Minister pressing the inauguration button of the Project



Bhoomi Pujan being performed by Chief Minister at the Project site



View of 5 MW Berra Dol Solar Power Project



### **MoU signed for Renukaji dam project**

Chief Minister Sh. Jai Ram Thakur participated in the MoU signing ceremony at New Delhi on 11<sup>th</sup> January, 2019 for construction of Rs. 4596.76 crore Renukaji multipurpose dam project on Giri river in upper Yamuna basin.

Chief Ministers of six states including Rajasthan, Haryana, Uttar Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Delhi and Himachal Pradesh signed the MoU in the presence of Nitin Gadkari, Union Minister for Road Transport & Highways, Shipping and Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation.

The dam will augment water availability for Delhi, Haryana, Uttar Pradesh, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand and Rajasthan. The project will also generate 40 MW of power during peak flow. The project is proposed to be executed by Himachal Pradesh Power Corporation Ltd.

In this project 90 percent cost of power component is being borne by Delhi government, Himachal would get about 200 million units of electricity at Rs. 0.30 per unit only. It would earn net revenue of about Rs. 60 crore per annum to HPPCL and Rs. 12 crore to the state government in its first year of operation.



**Meeting of Chief Ministers regarding Renuka ji Dam Project**



**Sh. Jai Ram Thakur, Chief Minister, Himachal Pradesh signing the MoU**

The flow of investment of more than Rs. 5000 crore, economy of state in general and district Sirmour in particular would benefit immensely. Delhi government has agreed to finance 90 percent cost of power component.

After the construction of dam, the flow of river Giri will increase about 110 percent which



will meet the drinking water needs of Delhi and other basin states up to some extent in lean period. The project will provide 49800 ha m (0.498 billion cubic metre) of live storage in its reservoir and a firm water supply to the tune of 23 cumecs to Delhi.

The 90 percent cost of irrigation/drinking water component of the project i.e. Rs. 3892.83 crore will be provided by the Central government and rest 10 percent of the above cost i.e. Rs. 432.54 crore by the basin states of Haryana, UP/UK, HP, Rajasthan & NCT of Delhi in the proportion as allocated in the MoU signed by the Chief Ministers of the basin states for the allocation of surface water of river Yamuna up to Okhla barrage,

The shares of these states viz. Haryana, UP/UK, HP, Rajasthan and NCT of Delhi are 47.82%, 33.65%, 3.15%, 9.34% and 6.04% respectively. For the investigation and land acquisition of the project, Central government has released Rs. 446.96 crore, government of Delhi has released Rs. 214.84 crore and government of Haryana has released Rs. 25 crore till date.

### **Dr. Ajay Sharma, IAS assumed charge of Managing Director, HPPCL**



Dr. Ajay Sharma, IAS assumed charge of Managing Director, H.P. Power Corporation Ltd. on 23<sup>rd</sup> February, 2019. He is doctorate in Economics and post graduate in management from Slovenia.

### **Trainings in HPPCL**

HPPCL has formulated its training policy for its regular/contractual employees. The training provided to employees keeps them motivated and upgrades their skills timely. The HPPCL training program includes in house trainings, seminars, conventions, workshops, symposiums,



presentations, exposure visits, training/ certificate courses or any other structured learning or developmental programme, based on organizational needs. As per this policy, all categories of employees are being trained in one or the other way every year, irrespective of their level.

The figures tabulated below show at a glance the number of personnel sponsored by the HPPCL to undergo trainings and participate in various conferences/ workshops and seminars during April, 2018 to March, 2019:

Objective	Action	Unit	No. of Employees
Capacity Building	External Trainings	Nos. 55	<b>129</b> Tech-57; F&A-30; P&A-28; Others-14
	In House Trainings	Nos.	195

The above mentioned achieved figures are against RFD targets set under Result Frame Document Scheme.

Apart from this, HPPCL also understands its social role in the society. Keeping this in view, a specific number of technical/management students from different universities/colleges/institutes are allowed to undergo Industrial Training in the organization for 2-6 months, free of cost. The detail of total students allowed undertaking vocational training during 2018-19 at various offices and Project sites of HPPCL are as under:

Offices/ Projects	Fields					Total
	H.R	Finance	Electrical Engineer	Information Technology	Civil Engineer & others	
Corporate Office	14	8	4	4	5	<b>35</b>
SKHEP, Hatkoti	-	-	-	-	1	<b>1</b>
STKHEP, Kinnaur	-	-	11	2	6	<b>19</b>
Design Office, Sundernagar	-	-	-	-	2	<b>2</b>
Sainj HEP, Kullu	-	-	8		9+6Fitters	<b>23</b>
IKHEP, Kinnaur	-	-	5		2	<b>7</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>87</b>





The Training Section has also initiated a series of lectures/Interaction Sessions on various topics like Motivation, Time Management, Attitude, Values, Ethics etc. on every Tuesday of the week at Corporate Office, Shimla in order to make employees for more effective & efficient in their working to maintain work-life balance. In this session every Week one TED talk is shown to the employees in two Groups- 1st Group at 11.00 AM and 2nd Group at 3.00 PM which is followed by the discussion.

### **Three Day Workshop conducted by REC for Executives of HPPCL.**

Three day workshop was conducted by REC Institute of Power Management & Training on "Behavioral Skills" for engineers and executives of HPPCL w.e.f. 14.03.2019 to 16.03.2019 at Corporate Office. In today's world of globalization & Technological advancements in power sector, the behaviour of employees needs to be channelized in correct direction by motivation, art of leadership etc. to facilitate positiveness in work environment, to enable increased



satisfaction of employees, enhanced productivity and for organisational growth. The Attitude & behavioral skills of employees plays the great role along with the technical expertise in the field.

### **रेणुकाजी बांध परियोजना द्वारा जागरुकता शिविर का आयोजन।**

रेणुकाजी बांध परियोजना के पुनर्वास एवं पुनर्स्थापन विभाग द्वारा दिनांक 17 जनवरी, 26 फरवरी और 28 फरवरी 2019 को बाँध प्रभावित गांव अणु, वोगली ब्यालग और उंगर काण्डों में एक दिवसीय जन जागरुकता शिविर का आयोजन किया। इस क्रम में रेणुका बांध परियोजना द्वारा सालाना सत्र 2009 से अब तक 57 शिविरों का आयोजन किया जा चुका है जिस पर लगभग 26.71 लाख रु. खर्च किए जा चुके हैं। इन शिविरों के माध्यम



से लगभग 6090 प्रभावित परिवार लाभान्वित किए जा चुके हैं। परियोजना प्रभावित गांवों में आयोजित इन शिविरों का मुख्य उद्देश्य बाँध से प्रत्यक्ष एवं अप्रत्यक्ष रूप से प्रभावित गाँववासियों को राहत पुनर्वास एवं पुनर्स्थापन नीति से अवगत करवाना है कि भूमि अधिग्रहण राशी के इलावा परियोजना प्रभावित परिवारों के लिए अन्य क्या क्या लाभ एवं प्रावधान सुनिश्चित किए गए हैं। इन प्रशिक्षण एवं जागरूकता शिविरों के दौरान इस तथ्य पर विशेष ध्यान दिया जाता है कि पंचायत में रहने वाले प्रभावित परिवारों को पुनर्वास तथा पुनर्स्थापन नीति के बारे में अवगत कराया जाए।

शिविर में पुनर्वास तथा पुनर्स्थापन योजना के अंतर्गत चल रही विगत व आगामी स्कीमों के बारे में जागरूक किया गया तथा साथ ही विस्थापितों एवम पंचायत के सर्वसाधारण लोगों को पुनर्वास एवं पुनर्स्थापन सम्बन्धित लाभान्वित योजनाओं की जानकारी भी प्रदान की गई। शिविर में बाँध प्रभावित परिवारों की स्वास्थ्य सम्बन्धी समस्याओं की डाक्टर जाँच व मुफ्त औषधि का वितरण भी किया गया। कृषि प्रधानता क्षेत्र की जरूरतों के मद्देनजर स्थानीय स्तर पर कृषि सम्बन्धी जानकारी हॉटिकल्चर, पशु रोग स्वास्थ्य सम्बन्धी जानकारी और समस्याओं का विशेषज्ञ परामर्श भी इन शिविरों की प्रमुखता में रहा। स्वयं सहायता समूह स्कीम सम्बन्धी जानकारी भी प्रभावितों को दी जाती है ताकि स्वयं रोजगार योजना जैसी योजनाओं का लाभ पूरा समुदाय उठा सके और वह आत्मनिर्भरता के लक्ष्य को प्राप्त कर सकें।





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