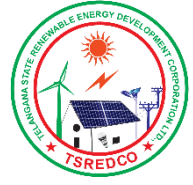




# TELANGANA STATE ENERGY CONSERVATION AWARDS 2021



## GUIDELINES FOR APPLICANTS

### Background:

Under the scheme of raising awareness on energy efficiency and its conservation, BEE under the guidance of Ministry of Power recognizes and encourages endeavors of the stakeholders in reducing energy consumption by felicitating them with Energy Conservation Awards on the occasion of National Energy Conservation Day, celebrated on December 14, every year. December 14 to 20 will be celebrated as National Energy Conservation week every year. TSREDCO as SDA with the support of Government of Telangana noticed the importance of recognizing the efforts taken by the stakeholders towards reducing the energy consumption in their respective sector and awarding them the prestigious Telangana State Energy Conservation Awards (TSECA) every year during the Energy Conservation week celebrations. This year the Telangana State Energy Conservation Awards – 2021 is announced and awards will be presented on **19<sup>th</sup> December 2021 at Hitex, Hyderabad.**

### Objective

To give recognition to the stakeholders who have made systematic and serious attempts for efficient utilization of energy, conservation of energy, research and promotion of energy efficiency during the year 2020-21 in the State of Telangana.

### Category of the Awards

The awards are proposed to be given in the form of a frame with appropriate citation on such award, as may be decided by the Telangana State Renewable Energy Development Corporation in the following categories:

S. No	Category	Sub- Category	Prize
1	Industry	Large Scale Industry	Category wise Respective Plaque (Gold / Silver) along with Certificate (as decided by award Judging Committee)
2		Medium Scale Industry	
3		Small Scale Industry	
4	Buildings	Commercial Buildings	
5		Government Buildings	
6		Railway Station Buildings	
7		Educational Institutions	
8	Transport	Transport - (TSRTC- Energy Efficiency in Fleet Operations)	
9	Urban Local Bodies	Urban Local Bodies	

The performance would be judged through the pro forma (format enclosed) which would be evaluated by the Committee and if needed through a visit/interview by the Award Judging Committee. The Committee 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 Energy Efficiency & Energy Conservation measures is found so by the Committee.

The Committee would take a final decision depending upon the number of entries received and other considerations. Earlier awardees can apply provided the significant improvements than previous year. The Committee has the right for not declaring any award in any category if suitable applicants are not identified to qualify.

The qualifying period for the award is the previous financial year from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2020 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2021. However, as conservation efforts require longer period for implementation in some cases, the efforts towards energy conservation and energy efficiency in immediate past three financial years may be reviewed.

### Eligibility/Categorization

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

- **Category: Industry**
  - **Sub-Category 1: Large scale Industry** - (Including large scale industries –All consumers in the State with a total (electricity + fuel) annual energy consumption more than 1000 TOE (Tonnes of Oil Equivalent) – Industrial sectors such as Thermal Power Plants, Pulp & Paper, Cements, Iron & Steel, Chlor Alkali, Aluminum, Fertilizer & Textiles etc. may apply under this category.
  - **Sub- Category 2: Medium scale Industry** - (Including large & medium scale industries – All consumers in the State with a total (electricity + fuel) annual energy consumption between 200 - 1000 TOE
  - **Sub- Category 3: Small scale Industry** - (Including small scale industries – All consumers in the State with a total (electricity + fuel) annual energy consumption up to 200 TOE)
- **Category – Buildings:**
  - **Sub- Category 4: Commercial Buildings** - (Commercial Buildings - new & retrofits- including hotels, hospitals, IT/ ITES Office buildings, Malls, Convention centres etc. who have implemented energy conservation/ efficiency programs)
  - **Sub- Category 5: Government Buildings** - (any Government Buildings- new & retrofits who have implemented energy conservation/ efficiency programs)
  - **Sub- Category 6: Railway Station Buildings-** (Railway Station Buildings- where energy conservation/ efficiency programs have been implemented)
  - **Sub-Category 7: Educational Institutions:** (All Educational institutions where energy conservation/ efficiency programs have been implemented)
- **Category – Transport**
  - **Sub – Category 8: Transport** (TSRTC depot wise - Energy Efficiency in Fleet Operations))
- **Category – Urban Local Bodies**
  - **Sub-Category 9: Urban Local Bodies** - (Individual Urban Local Bodies such as / Municipalities/ Municipal Corporations/Municipal Councils/ Water and sewerage Boards may apply under this category)

**Note 1:** Applicants who have received gold awards for two consecutive years may still apply. The committee reserves the right to certification under Special category.

**Note 2:** The committee reserves the right in finalizing the awards based on applications received under the respective category. If more applications received in one sector in a category, sector specific award may be presented or as decided by the committee. Committee also reserves the right in cancelling any category based on the responses received. The committee also reserves the right to recategorize the application as it deems fit.

### 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 energy conservation and management. The Award may not necessarily be decided on the basis of only quantitative achievements but also considering the various other factors such as innovative techniques and technologies adopted, commitment of the management, environment friendliness organizational set-up to promote energy conservation in the unit, Capacity

Building, RE Generation/ Purchase etc. The applicants will have to bear all the expenditure relating to the development and submission of application to TSREDCO.

The members of the Award Committee or their nominees may visit participating enterprises/ organizations 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 shortlisted enterprises/organizations for presentation before finalizing the list of Award-winning units, if necessary. The applicants will have to bear all the expenditure in this connection. The Committee's decision would be final and no appeal for re-consideration shall be entertained.

### **Instructions for filling up the 'Award Proforma'**

The data required for the proforma pertains to the accounting years 2018-19, 2019-20 and 2020-21.

The proforma could be downloaded from the website of Telangana Renewable Energy Development Corporation Ltd (<https://tsredco.telangana.gov.in/>) or filled

1. Certificates to the effect that the enterprise/organization is presently following all the statutory requirements pertaining to the safety and pollution control wherever applicable should be attached along with the pro forma.
2. The organisations should be in operation for at least for more than three years.
3. Important: Annual reports for last three years are required to be attached along with the "Award Proforma" in the case of large-scale energy consumers.
4. The answers to the questions should be precise and specific and should be supplied in total compliance with the pro forma format.
5. Additional information so as to support the case may be included referring to the criteria of evaluation as specified above.
6. The deviations may lead to improper evaluation or the rejection of the application.
7. Each and every query mentioned in the proforma needs to be answered.
8. Even, if answer is 'NO' or 'NOT APPLICABLE' the same may be stated, instead of ignoring it.
9. The Chief Executive of the enterprise/organization should sign the duly filled-in proforma.

### **Submission of Nomination**

The applicants have to fill the applications as per the proforma/ Formats, attach all the relevant documents and shall submit the same through email to [tsredco.awards@gmail.com](mailto:tsredco.awards@gmail.com) on or before October 31, 2021. **A scanned copy of covering letter addressed to the Vice Chairman and Managing Director, TSREDCO mentioning the subject and the category of application in bold.** The category of application shall be mentioned in the subject of the email.

Note: The application should contain both signed scanned of the filled application and the editable soft copy of the same (for editable version of soft copy no signature is required)

**Latest by October 31, 2021**