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No: KPTCL/B16/40360/2016-17

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NOTIFICATION

Sub: Downloading of Online Aptitude Test Admission Ticket (TAT)-E-admit cards-Reg.

- Ref:** 1. Employment Notification No: KPTCL/B16/40360/2016-17 dated: 08.09.2016.
2. Option for removal of multiple applications Notification No: KPTCL/B16/40360/2016-17 Dated: 20.10.2016.
3. Online Aptitude Test Notification No: KPTCL/B16/40360/2016-17 Dated: 18.11.2016.
4. Postponement of Online Aptitude Test Notification No: KPTCL/B16/40360/2016-17 Dated: 22.11.2016.
5. Publishing of the marks secured by the candidates in the Kannada language test Notification No: KPTCL/B6/40360/2016-17 Dated: 06.12.2016.

The **ONLINE Aptitude Test** for Recruitment to the posts of **Assistant Executive Engineer (Elec.)** and **Assistant Engineer (Civil)** in KPTCL & ESCOMs is scheduled to be held on **24.12.2016** across various centres in Bengaluru, Mysuru, Maddur, Mandya, Shivamogga, Mangaluru, Davanagere, Ranebennur, Hubballi-Dharwad, Gadag, Belagavi, Haliyal, Bellary, Vijayapur and Kalaburagi.

1. Assistant Executive Engineer (Elec.)	Morning Session (10.00 AM to 12.00 Noon)
2. Assistant Engineer (Civil)	Afternoon Session (2.00 PM to 4.00 PM)

The applicants who have paid the prescribed application fee, PH applicants and candidates who have qualified in the Kannada Language Test are eligible to appear for the Online Aptitude Test. The multiple applications submitted by some of the applicants have been removed.

The e-admit cards will be uploaded in KPTCL & ESCOMs websites www.kptcl.com, www.bescom.org, www.cescmysore.org, www.hescom.co.in, www.gescom.in after 16.12.2016. The candidates are advised to log on to any of the above websites with their application ID and date of birth to download their e-admit cards and take printout thereof. The candidates will have to produce the printout (2 copies) of the e-admit cards at the allotted venue for appearing in the Aptitude Test. No request or queries shall be entertained from the candidates seeking change of venue/centre. Paper admit cards will not be dispatched by post or any other mode for the Aptitude Test by KPTCL & ESCOMs.

The candidates are instructed to go through the instructions mentioned in the Test Admission Ticket (TAT). The candidate will have to produce one of the valid ID Proof mentioned in the TAT on the day of the Aptitude Test.

The tentative dates of Online Aptitude Test for other posts of Assistant Engineer (Elec.), Assistant Accounts Officer, Junior Engineer (Elec./Civil), Assistant and Junior Assistant will be intimated at a later date.

In case of any discrepancy in generation of TAT, the candidates may contact over the following HELPLINE numbers during Office Hours on or before 23.12.2016.

Name of the company	Helpline Number
Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited (KPTCL)	080-22211527 Ext.3789, 3872
Bangalore Electricity Supply Company Limited (BESCOM)	080-22085061
Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation Limited (CESC)	0821-2343384
Hubli Electricity Supply Company Limited (HESCOM)	0836-2223867, 0836-2223865
Gulbarga Electricity Supply Company Limited (GESCOM)	08472-256647, 08472-239004.

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CEA Pares Power Demand for Next 10 Yrs

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Kolkata: The Central Electricity Authority has scaled down India's peak power demand over the next 10 years due to energy conservation measures, reduced the estimate coal requirement and ruled out the need for fresh investment in thermal power generation.

The projected peak demand at the end of 2021-22 is 235 GW, which is about 17% lower than the projection made in the 18th Electric Power Survey (EPS) report, the CEA said in the Draft National Electricity Plan 2016. Peak demand at the end of 2026-27 is estimated at 317 GW which is 20.7% lower than the earlier projection.

The CEA is the apex technical organisation that facilitates development of the power sector in the country to provide quality electricity for all at affordable rates. The CEA prepares a draft plan every five years. It seeks suggestions and objections from licencees, generating companies and the public and notifies the plan after obtaining

the government's approval.

However, some analysts said there could be huge power shortages if the government sticks to the CEA's estimates because the assumed expansion in renewable energy, hydro-electric and gas-based projects may not materialise.

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Aggarwal, partner and head-infrastructure M&A, head - energy, KPMG India.

Aggarwal said the sector is already witnessing curtailments and huge payment delays with the addition of renewables and it remains to be seen how the system will absorb the large capacities envisaged. Hydel projects are at a near

VIEW Make Climate a Key Parameter

High levels of air pollution and the irreversible impacts of climate change should be as important a consideration as energy access and security in determining the country's energy policy. The attempt should be to meet our energy requirement from clean and renewable sources. At the same time, the CEA and other agencies need to put in place an energy policy and plan based on the growth in energy demand over the next decade, and even up to 2050.

standstill, he said. The document assumes capacity addition from gas at 4,340 MW, hydro at 15,330 MW, nuclear at 2,800 MW and renewable sources at 115,326 MW as committed capacity during 2017-22. About 50,025 MW of coal-based power projects are currently under various stages of construction and they do away with the requirement for new coal-fired power plants till 2027.

"We are not sure whether the document factors in the demand pull that would be created by key government initia-

tives such as the 'Make in India' initiative, access to electricity to villages/households and new smart cities," said Aggarwal. According to the document, with no new coal plants in the next 10 years, the coal requirement for 2021-22 is 727 million tonnes, which is 27% lower than the government's target of producing 1 billion tonnes by 2020.

Aggarwal said: "So if all these doesn't materialise, what it does to coal-based capacity requirement — the base load requirement — would be important to assess."

Land, power under GST? CEA moots thunder plot

Arvind Subramaniam says that should wipe out corruption & black money

NEW DELHI As the Narendra Modi government wages its biggest war on black money yet, chief economic advisor Arvind Subramaniam (in pic, below) on Thursday pitched for including land and real estate under the GST regime to check money laundering and corruption.

Subramaniam, who for the finance ministry had authored a report on possible tax rates under the Goods and Services Tax (GST), suggested that the new indirect tax set-up should be clean with simple low rates and should include land and property as well as electricity. GST, which the government intends to roll out from April 1, 2017, is to subsume central excise, service tax and state VAT among other indirect levies on manufactured goods and services, but property and electricity have so far not been talked about as being part of it. "I still think we should aspire for simple, clean structure of rates which will have on balance lower and higher rates and that will be a necessary complement to fighting against black money that the Prime Minister has launched with demonetisation (of old 500 and 1,000 rupee notes)," he said at a conference here. He felt that land and real estate need to be part of the GST.

"Stamp duty (on property registration) is separate and states can retain the right to have stamp duty. The sale of land and immovable property should be part of GST so that input tax credit can flow freely in the system," he said.

This, he said, can "keep the system of self-policing" of black money. "So, it is terribly important that land and real estate being part of the GST," he added. Subramaniam said there is need to bring electricity charges that are not done by the states under GST.

"I think they should be part of GST and then the input cred-



Public queue up in front of the RBI branch to have their old notes exchanged.



it can flow and make power more competitive. So, in terms of GST, clean, simple low rates, land, property part of it, power part of it also, will actually be not just important in itself but as a complement to bigger fight against black money and corruption that we embark on," he said. Subramaniam had recom-

PAY ONLINE, GET UP TO RS 1 CRORE AS PRIZES

NEW DELHI The National Institute of Financial Markets (NIFM) said the government's policy to encourage digital payments will be supported by weekly and mega awards for consumers and merchants to encourage a transition to digital payments. The awards will be offered through two schemes - Lucky Grabat Yojana for consumers, and the Big Deal Yojana for merchants, and NPCI will implement the schemes. Under the Lucky Grabat Yojana, 15,000 winners will get Rs. 5,000 each every day starting on December 29 and ending on April 14 next year. In addition, there will be weekly awards for 7,500 people, and the maximum prize is worth Rs.1 lakh. The scheme runs from December 25, 2016, to April 14, 2017. On April 14, a mega award of Rs. 1 crore will be announced. Under the Big Deal Yojana, 7,000 merchant merchants will receive prizes worth up to Rs.50,000 every week.

mended a three-tier rate structure for GST, under which some essential goods were to be taxed at a lower rate of 12 per cent and so-called demerit goods such as luxury cars, aerated beverages, pan masala and tobacco products at a higher rate of 40 per cent. All remaining goods were to be taxed at a standard rate of

17-18 per cent. He had proposed all services to be taxed at the standard rate of 17-18 per cent.

The GST Council, however, has finalized a four-tier tax structure — 5, 12, 18 and 28 per cent. "I think we need to focus on some of the things that need to be brought into GST — real estate, power. I think we should not lose sight of this because this comes at a time when we want to eliminate black money and corruption," he said today. "Given that real estate and land are obvious sources of black money, this will help out overall sources" combating black money."

I-T officials on Thursday raided an Axis Bank branch in Noida and seized 20 fake accounts with deposits of Rs 60 crore. Earlier, Rs 100 cr was seized from 44 suspect accounts in an Axis Bank branch in N Delhi

The Centre on Thursday said that it has no intention of printing new notes worth the entire Rs 15.44 lakh crore that was in circulation in high denomination notes before demonetisation