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## Painting roof white can lower heat

TERI estimates saving of up to ₹1,034 crore in electricity cost

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A simple way for a city to fight the urban heat island effect is to go white. Or, at least on the roof.

TERI had earlier estimated that Bengaluru can save up to ₹1,034 crore in electricity cost if the roofs were painted white, to reflect solar radiation, rather than absorb it. The lower the heat absorbed, the lower the energy consumed for air-conditioners to artificially cool down the building.

"When the roof is lighter-coloured or white, more than 80% of the solar radiation is reflected back. But, darker coloured roofs end up contributing to urban heat island effects, and

this heat remains trapped even in the night," says Minni Sastry, a researcher from TERI.

In the nine areas of the city studied by TERI in 2017, less than 1% on average had white paint on the roof while up to 75% of roofs absorb heat in areas such as Basaveshwaranagar.

For areas such as Whitefield, where temperatures can be 4 degree Celsius above nearby areas, the open spaces, which are currently concreted, should be converted to permeable paving, vegetation or tree parks. The report observes that concrete open spaces (roads, parking lots) tend to absorb heat quickly in the day and release it equally quickly at night.

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## Solar power irrigation pumpset project launched

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The Surya Raiitha, a pilot project, is a win-win for both the government and farmers. For the government, the power subsidy burden will decrease, while the farmers will get quality power, besides having an alternative source of income by selling excess solar power, said Energy Minister D.K. Shivakumar inaugurating the project at Harobele in Kanakapura taluk of Ramanagera district on Friday

Under the scheme, solar panels will be installed on farmers' land, which generate solar power to be used for irrigation pumpsets throughout the day without any power disruptions. The excess solar power generated can be diverted to the Bescom grid under the net metering concept and farmers will be paid as per the KERC-determined tariff.

Shivakumar said, "It is an ambitious project and for the first time, such a project has been implemented in the country. Bescom has initiated the pilot project on F2 feeder for 310 IP sets. It is financed by a combination of farmer investment, state government subsidy and investment from



Energy Minister D.K. Shivakumar, Panchayat Raj Minister H.K. Patil and Lok Sabha member D.K. Suresh at the inauguration a Surya Raiitha Project in Bengaluru on Friday

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Bescom as interest-free loan." An official press release stated that a cooperative society, 'Surya Raiitha Krushi Vidyutha Balakedarara Sahakara Sangha Niyamitha', has been launched for the project. Around 250 solar-powered IP sets are successfully commissioned and connected to the Bescom grid under phase-1. With this scheme, the government will benefit by stopping the IP set subsidy and mitigating energy deficit. Bescom will benefit by reducing energy consumption, technical losses and failure of distribution transformers. Farmers will gain through increased agricultural productivity, improvement of water table, continuous power supply and

steady income from solar generation.

Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Minister H.K. Patil said that the scheme should be implemented across the country. "Farmers can generate solar power and even sell excess power, which will make them financially stable. With this, many farmers can lead a happy life. The central government should take keen interest and implement such projects which benefit the rural population."

He said that the government is working on eradicating open defecation. "Till now, 20 districts are free from open defecation and next year, we will work towards making the entire state open-defecation free," he said.

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## Norway sets 2040 deadline for all-electric flights at home

**Oslo:** All of Norway's short-haul airliners should be entirely electric by 2040, the country's airport operator said on Wednesday, cementing the Nordic nation's role as a pioneer in the field of electric transport.

Avinor, the public operator of Norwegian airports, "aims to be the first in the world" to make the switch to electric air transport, chief executive Dag Falk-Petersen said.

"We think that all flights lasting up to 1.5 hours can be flown by aircraft that are entirely electric," he said, noting that would cover all domestic flights and those to neighbouring Scandinavian capitals.

Norway, the largest oil and gas producer in western Europe, is paradoxically a leader in the field of electric transport.

"When we will have reached our goal, air travel will no longer be a problem for the climate, it will be a solution," Falk-Petersen said. According to official statistics, air transport accounts for 2.4% of Norwegian greenhouse gas emissions for domestic traffic, and more than double that when international routes are included.

Electric air travel will also at least halve the operating cost of aircraft, Falk-Petersen said. But before reaching that point, Avinor said it would need to use intermediary technologies, such as biofuels and hybrid fuel-electric solutions.

Boeing and Airbus are currently exploring the viability of electric aircraft. AFP

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# 'Surya Raitha' paves the way for better irrigation

AKRAM MOHAMMED @ Harobele, Ramanagara dist

The farmers living around Harobele village in Kanakapura taluk have a new name now — Surya Raitha — which translates to 'sun farmer'. This happened after the launch of a pilot project in India to reduce farmers' dependence on conventional power sources by tapping solar energy. Moreover, the farmers are also selling the excess power generated in their solar units to Bangalore Electricity Supply Company (BESCOM) grid, which is serving as an alternative source of revenue.

Buoyed up by the success of the pilot project, the Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department is now proposing the state government to extend the 'Surya Raitha' scheme to all districts of the state.

A total of 250 solar units have been installed in 11 villages around Harobele village in Kanakapura taluk, over the past one-and-a-half years, for providing power to agricultural water pump sets. Apart from providing the farmers with a small source of income, the initiative by the Energy Department and BESCOM has also ensured steady power supply in the months of sunshine.

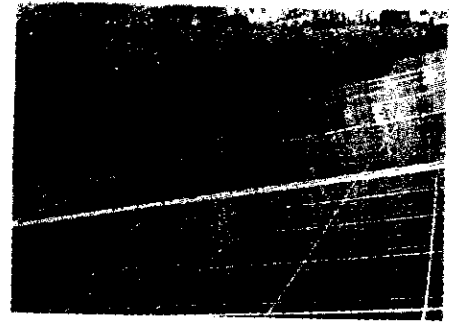
Speaking to Express, M Loordappa, the owner of the farm where the unique project was inaugurated, explained how the initiative has ensured steady water supply to his crops. "Earlier, we used to wait till midnight for power companies to supply power to the pump sets. In several cases, farmers waiting for power have fallen victims to snake bites in the dark," he said.

Jacob, another farmer in the village said that unlike the single phase power they were being supplied earlier, the quality of power generated by the solar panels ensured better water flow from the pumps.

The farmers involved in the project have also started a co-operative — 'Surya Raitha Krushi Vidhyuth Balakedaarara Sahakaara Sangha.'

### Project implementation

According to BESCOM officials, farmers could install 10.8 kW or 7.2 kW units for 7 HP (horsepower) or 5 HP pumps. With a small



Solar units installed in Harobele, Ramanagara district, under the Surya Raitha scheme | EXPRESS

### PROJECT INVOLVES

**250** Number of units in phase 1

**60** Number of units in phase 2

### Types of units in phase 1

5 HP - 177, 7 HP - 73

₹ **7.13 lakh** Cost of 5 HP unit

₹ **9.43 lakh** Cost of 7 HP unit

share from the farmers, BESCOM also ensures them interest-free loans, which is paid back by supplying the excess power to a dedicated BESCOM feeder set up in the village, said P Rajendra Cholan, Managing Director, BESCOM.

Pashupathy Gopalan, CEO of SunEdison, the firm which set up the solar units, said that this was the first such scheme in India. "As places such as Kanakapura receive upto 300 days of sunlight, the unique policy of the state government allows farmers to generate power. Moreover, they will become owners of the solar units after repayment of loans in 10-12 years, which will increase their revenue," he said.

Currently, the farmers are being paid ₹7.20 per unit electricity supplied to the grid, of which ₹6 goes to repay the loans and ₹1 will be revenue for farmer.

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# KERC proposes higher RPO targets for Escoms

Move aimed at pushing companies towards procuring more clean energy; compliance with RPO is taken into consideration during tariff revision

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Karnataka's power supply companies could be pushed to move towards procuring more clean energy. The Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission (KERC) has come out with draft regulations seeking to enhance the Renewable Purchase Obligation (RPO) of the electricity supply companies (Escoms).

Compliance with the RPO is a factor that comes into consideration during the tariff revision for the Escoms.

The Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission (Procurement of Energy from Renewable Sources) (Fifth Amendment) Regulations, 2017 not only enhances the RPOs for all Escoms, but also proposes to bring about an exception in non-solar RPO (wind, biomass, co-generation, etc). The draft regulations have enhanced the solar RPO from 1.25% in 2017-18 and 1.75% in 2018-19 to 3.5% and 6.75% respectively. Though the non-solar RPOs remain the same for all Escoms, it excludes hydro power purchase.

The proposed amendments also seek to add a clause that permits distribution licences which have achieved compliance up to 85% to carry forward the shortfall to the next financial year. However, the carry forward option will not be allowed for more than two consecutive financial years. A public hearing on the regu-

## 'Farmers don't seek free power, but uninterrupted power'

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT  
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Vice-President M. Venkaiah Naidu on Friday said farmers of the country were not looking for free power but supply of uninterrupted power for achieving sustainable agricultural growth and check migration of youth from rural to urban India.

Dwelling on the 12-point agenda for sustainable agricultural growth in the country, Mr. Naidu said farmers had been seeking quality and uninterrupted supply of power to reap benefits from the farming sector. Unfortunately, even after 70 years of Independence, nearly 4,000 villages had not been electrified till now. The Modi government provided

lations will be held on January 24.

Y.G. Muralidhara, coordinator of the Karnataka Electricity Governance Network and member of the Central Consumer Protection Council, said the targets were only minimum percentages and there was nothing stopping the Escoms from crossing that number. "These obligations were set when availabil-

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M. VENKAIAH NAIDU,  
Vice-President

electricity to 14,000 villages which were deprived of power supply over several decades, he said.

The Gujarat government has not been providing free electricity to farmers and that was the reason that the State has achieved development on various fronts. "The farmers are not seeking free power but full power," Mr. Naidu said.

Delivering the VKRV Rao Memorial Lecture on 'Challenges and opportunities facing Indian

ity of new energy was not this much and it was more expensive. But in the last one year, the cost has come down drastically. However, availability in the State needs to be checked. There also has to be verifiable data to see if they have indeed fulfilled obligations. It also has to be seen if the Escoms are passing on the cost of purchasing renewable energy to the con-

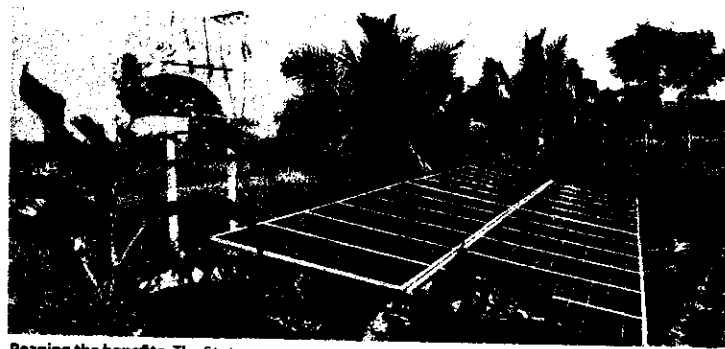
agriculture' at the Institute for Social and Economic Change (ISEC) here, to mark the 47th Founders' Day of the institute, Mr. Naidu said the farm sector had been facing numerous challenges such as low credit inflow, low investment, climate change, and market failures, but still 52% of the country's population depends on the sector.

Quoting a World Bank report, Mr. Naidu said still 60% of farmers in India depend on moneylenders and non-institutional sources of credit. He told researchers and scientists to work at least six months in the field not only to learn requirement of farmers but also to disseminate new available technologies to farmers.

sumer, as this is better and cheaper power now," he said.

'Not difficult to achieve' Meanwhile, Bescom officials said the new targets, if finalised, would not be too difficult to achieve. "The target for the ongoing financial year (2017-18) is 12%, and we have two more months to achieve it. The new targets are also

## The sun powers IP sets here



Reaping the benefits: The State government's ambitious 'Surya Raitha' project was inaugurated at Harobele in Kanakapura taluk of Ramanagaram district on Friday.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT  
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The State government's ambitious project 'Surya Raitha', which helps farmers to generate electricity to run their irrigation pump (IP) sets, was inaugurated at Harobele in Kanakapura taluk of Ramanagaram district on Friday.

Minister for Rural Development and Panchayat Raj H.K. Patil inaugurated the project and emphasised the need for the Union government and other States to follow in the

achievable as additions to renewable power purchases are happening. We have options such as the solar rooftop scheme for the solar

footsteps of the Karnataka government. Surya Raitha, a first-of-its-kind project in the country, is being implemented on a pilot basis in the district. It also ensures earnings to farmers by selling excess energy generated through solar panels to Bangalore Electricity Supply Company, he said.

The government is committed to making Karnataka open defecation-free and supplying safe and pure drinking water in rural areas, Mr. Patil said.

Minister for Energy D.K.

RPO, and even without purchases from the major hydel plants such as Sharavati, we will be able to adhere to the KERC norms," said an official

Shivakumar said the State government was tapping renewable solar energy sources to increase the level of consumption of green energy in Karnataka.

### Solar park

The department has set up the world's largest solar park at Pavagada in Tumakuru district, he said.

Surya Raitha was implemented at a cost of ₹24 crore at Harobele. Currently, 310 IP sets are getting electricity under the scheme.

from Bescom's power purchase department, and added that the power generation from solar rooftop last year was around 17.5 MU.

## Public hearings on tariff revision

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Though it is not clear whether compliance with the Renewable Purchase Obligation will impact this year's power tariff revision or not, the Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission (KERC) will set the ball rolling for the process of determining the tariffs for the coming financial year in February.

### Tariff petitions

Having already received the tariff petitions from the Escoms, the KERC will start public hearings from February 19.

The five electricity supply companies (Escoms), in their tariff petitions to the KERC, have sought hikes ranging from 82 paise a unit to 162 paise for the financial year 2018-19.

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**ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ವಿದ್ಯುತ್ ಸರಬರಾಜು ಕಂಪನಿ ನಿಯಮಿತ**  
(ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಸಂಪೂರ್ಣ ಸ್ವಾಮ್ಯಕ್ಕೆ ಒಳಪಟ್ಟಿದೆ)  
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**ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕ್ರಿಯೆ (ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಮೂಲಕ)**

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ವಿದ್ಯುತ್ ವಿತರಣೆ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆ: ಇಇಇ/ಎಇಇ(ಒ)/ಎಆರ್/ಎನ್‌ಎಲ್/ಎಸ್/ಡಿಎಸ್-69 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 22.12.2017 2ನೇ ಕರೆ. ನೆಲಮಂಗಲ ವಿಭಾಗದ ದೊಡ್ಡಬಲ್ಲಾಪುರ ಉಪ ವಿಭಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ತೂಬಗೆರೆ ವಿಭಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ 66/11ಕವಿ ತೂಬಗೆರೆ ಎಂ.ಯು.ಎಸ್.ಎಸ್. ನಿಂದ ಬರುವ ಟಿಎಫ್-5 ಹಿರೇಮುದ್ದೇನಹಳ್ಳಿ ಮತ್ತು ಟಿಎಫ್-7 ತೂಬಗೆರೆ ಫೀಡರ್ ಹೊರೆಯನ್ನು ಬೇರ್ಪಡಿಸಲು ತೂಬಗೆರೆ ಎಂ.ಯು.ಎಸ್.ಎಸ್.ನಿಂದ ಹೊಸ ಮಾರ್ಗವನ್ನು ಕೆರೆವುಗೊಳಿಸಲು ಛಾಟಾ ಬರ್ಡ್ ಕೆ ಆಧಾರದ ಮೇಲೆ ಟೆಂಡರ್/ಗಳನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಟೆಂಡರಿಗಿಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಟೆಂಡರಿಗಿಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಲಾಂಚನು ಮೊತ್ತ: ರೂ.13.78 ಲಕ್ಷಗಳು. ದಿವ್ಯ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 08.02.2018 ರವರೆಗೆ 4.00 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ.

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BESCOM invites tender against Enq. No. EEE/AEE(O)/AET/NEL/PTK/DSD-69 Dt: 22.12.2017 CALL-2 for Evacuation of New Line from Tubagere MUSS for Bifurcating the load of TF-5 Hiremuddenahalli & TF-7 Tubagere Feeder emanating from 66/11KV Tubagere MUSS in Tubagere Section in Doddaballapura Sub Division of Nelamangala Division in Partial Turnkey basis. Approx. amount put to tender: Rs. 13.78 Lakhs. Last date for submitting the bids is on 08.02.2018 upto 16.00 Hrs.

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ಅಧೀಕೃತ ಅಧಿಯಂತರರು(ಒ), ಈ ಮತ್ತು ಪಾ ವ್ಯಕ್ತ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ಮತ್ತು ವಿಧಾನ ಸಭಾ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರವನ್ನು ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ವಿಭಾಗಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾಡುವ ವಿದ್ಯುತ್ ಗ್ರಾಮಗಳ ಯೋಜನೆ. ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ವ್ಯಕ್ತವ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಸಲು/ವಿಲಾಸಿ ಲೀಕೆಂಡಕ್ಕುರಿಂಗ, ದೈವಕೇರನ ಆಫ್ ಡಿವರ್‌ಲೋಡ್ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಸಲು ಫೀಡರ್‌ಗಳು, ಚಾನ್ಸೆಲರ್‌ಗಳ ಉಪಕೀರ್ಣ, ಮೀಟರ್‌ಗಳು ಇಲ್ಲದ ಸಂಪರ್ಕಗಳಿಗೆ ಮೀಟರ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ಒದಗಿಸುವುದು, ಅಪಾಯಕಾರಿ ಸ್ಥಳಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕಂಬಗಳು/ಕಂಡಕ್ಟರ್‌ಗಳ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ, ಸಿಂಗಲ್ ಫೇಸ್ ವೈರ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ಫೀ ಫೇಸ್ ವೈರ್‌ಗಳಿಗೆ ಪರಿವರ್ತಿಸುವುದು ಹಾಗೂ ಇತರ ಗಳ ನಿರ್ವಹಣೆಯೊಂದಿಗೆ ನಿರೀಕ್ಷಿಸಿ ಮಾಡುವ ಬಲಪಡಿಸುವುದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ 3 ತಿಂಗಳ ಅವಧಿಗೆ ಸಂಪೂರ್ಣ ಟರ್ನ್ ಕೆ ಆಧಾರದ ಮೇಲೆ ಕೆಲಸವನ್ನು ದರ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆ ಆಧಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಮರು-ಟೆಂಡರನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

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- 1) ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಚನ್ನಗಿರಿ ವಿಧಾನಸಭಾ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರ, ವಿ.ಸಂ. 75.
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- 4) ಚಿತ್ರದುರ್ಗ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಹೊಳಲ್ಕೆರೆ ವಿಧಾನಸಭಾ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರ ವಿ.ಸಂ. 78.

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ವಿದ್ಯುತ್ ಸಂಪನ್ಮೂಲ ಮಂಡಳಿ, ಸಿಬಿ/- ಅಧೀಕೃತ ಅಧಿಯಂತರರು (ಒ),  
ಬಿ, ೩೦ ಮತ್ತು ಪಾ ವ್ಯಕ್ತ, ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ.

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**SHORT TERM RE-TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through e-procurement portal)**

SE(Ele), O&M Circle, BESCOM, Davanagere invites Re-Tenders MLA Constituency wise for Strengthening of Distribution network by means of HT/LT re-conductoring, bifurcation of loads of overloaded HT/LT feeders, enhancement of Transformers, providing meters to unmetered installations, replacement of poles/conductors of Hazardous locations, Conversion of Single phase wires to Three phase wires and maintenance of DTC's etc., for villages selected under Model Electricity Villages scheme, BESCOM, in Davanagere circle On Total Turnkey under %age Rate Contract Basis for a period of 3 months vide Enquiry No. SEE/EE(O)/AEE(O)/AE-1/17-18 dated: 16.01.2018

- 1) Davanagere Division, Channagiri Constituency vide Enq. No. 75.
- 2) Harihara Division, Harapanahalli Constituency vide Enq. No. 76.
- 3) Chitradurga Division, Chitradurga Constituency vide Enq. No. 77.
- 4) Chitradurga Division, Holalkere Constituency vide Enq. No. 78.

Bid document available from 20.01.2018, 16.00 hrs. onwards. The Last date for receipt of bid document: 03.02.2018 upto 16.00 hrs. Opening of Bid document: 05.02.2018 at 16.00 hrs. The bidding documents can be downloaded through the e-Procurement portal from the website <http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in>. Aspiring bidders need to register on e-procurement portal. Further, bidders can take assistance with e-Procurement help desk at 080-25501216 and 080-25501227.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer(Ele),  
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