

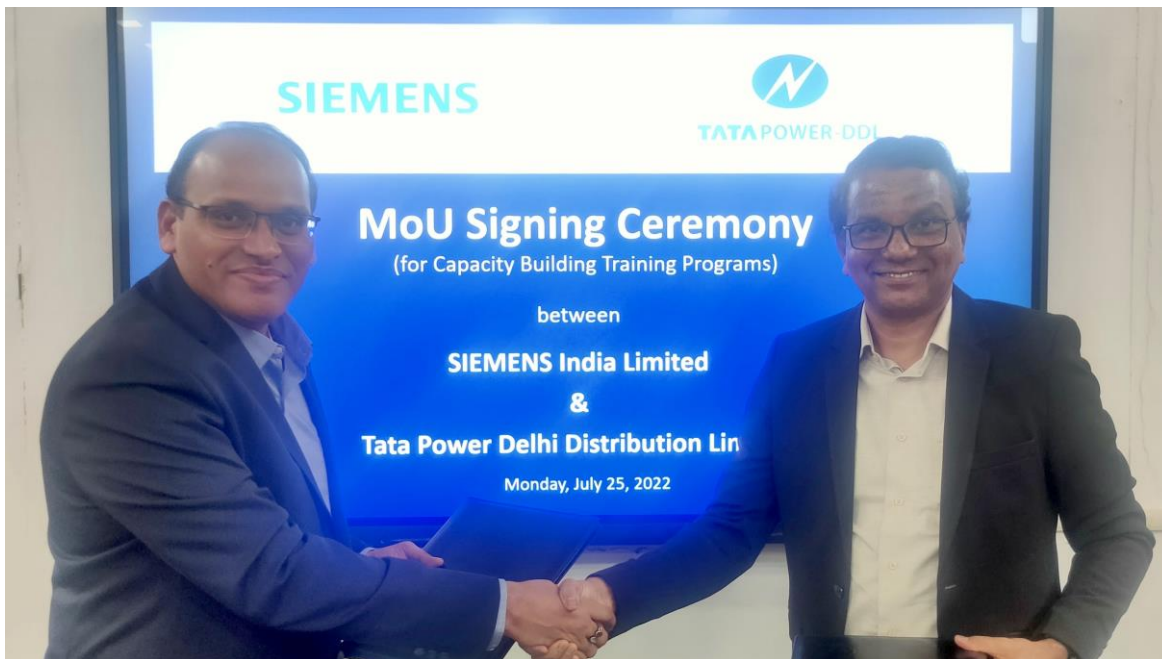


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## Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited and Siemens ink partnership for capacity building training in Power Distribution Sector



(L to R): Mr. Praveen Agrawal, Chief HR and IR, Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited, and Mr. K.N. Sreekumar, Vice President and Head of Digitalization & Sustainability, Smart Infrastructure, Siemens Limited during the MoU signing ceremony between Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited and Siemens at New Delhi.

- Aims to create a pool of skilled workforce for discoms
- The training programs under the partnership will be designed in accordance with new and emerging technologies

Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited, a pioneering power distribution utility, supplying electricity to a populace of over 7 million in North Delhi, signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with global technology company Siemens Limited. This partnership will cater to the training needs of the

power distribution personnel, bringing together the expertise and resources of two pioneers for the overall benefit of the sector. It will also cater to reforms in India as well as in other countries and help in creating a pool of qualified and skilled workforce.

The MoU was signed in New Delhi, by Praveen Agrawal, Chief HR and IR, Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited, and K.N. Sreekumar, Vice President and Head of Digitalization & Sustainability, Smart Infrastructure, Siemens Limited.

As part of the MoU, Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited and Siemens Limited will deliver trainings related to various power distribution equipment and technologies. These programs will also include effective execution, practical applications, real-life usage, setting up & maintenance of electrical networks. Through self-paced learning modules or instructor-led sessions, the companies will jointly work towards providing a hands-on experience with the latest technologies. Under this capacity-building training program designed specifically for discoms, Siemens India will act as the technical guidance partner for Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited and help in promoting the best practices.

Commenting on the association, **Praveen Agrawal, Chief-HR & IR, Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited** said “With the changing skill requirements, now more than ever it has become important to create the right talent pool for the sector. As a Utility of the Future, Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited firmly believes in bridging the skill gaps and making the workforce future ready. We follow the best practices in the industry and offer customized training programs in the utility sector. Our partnership with Siemens will enable both the parties to further empower the power distribution professionals with impactful knowledge and yield an array of skilled ‘smart’ utility workforce for the overall benefit of the sector.”

Speaking on the collaboration, **K.N. Sreekumar, Vice President and Head of Digitalization & Sustainability, Smart Infrastructure, Siemens Limited** said “Empowering people to stay resilient and relevant in a permanently changing environment is a key aspect of Siemens’ DEGREE framework. Strong focus on digital learning and development, practical applications and real-life simulations, customized technical programs, and best practices on occupational health & safety are some of the highlights of the training curriculum. Our partnership with Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited will help in creating a pool of qualified and skilled workforce in the power sector, for a sustainable future.”

The training programs under the partnership will be designed in accordance with new and emerging technologies, and best practices for enhancing knowledge competency.

#### **About Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited:**

Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited is a leading power distribution company, providing world class services using Information and Operational Technology Services to a populace of 7 million in North Delhi. The company has transformed the power distribution scenario in the capital city with a record reduction in AT&C losses and advanced technology adoption across verticals. It is a Public-Private

Partnership, Joint Venture Company, between Tata Power, India's largest integrated power company, and the Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi. Since privatization, the Aggregate Technical & Commercial (AT&C) losses in Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited areas have shown a record decline. Today, AT&C losses stand at 7% which is an unprecedented reduction of over 86% from an opening loss level of 53% in July 2002. Apart from its core business of power distribution Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited is also actively involved in various consultancy projects and capacity building training programs for Power Discoms, both in India as well as abroad. The company established its learning centre known as CENPEID (Centre for Power Efficiency Distribution) in the year 2005 and has over the years established itself as the preferred learning and development centre for the power distribution sector in the country. To learn more, please visit [www.tatapower-ddl.com/](http://www.tatapower-ddl.com/)

**About Siemens:**

Siemens Limited is a technology company focused on industry, infrastructure, transport as well as transmission and generation of electrical power. From more resource-efficient factories, resilient supply chains, and smarter buildings and grids, to cleaner and more comfortable transportation, the company creates technology with purpose adding real value for customers. By combining the real and the digital worlds, Siemens empowers its customers to transform their industries and markets, to transform the everyday for people. Siemens Limited is the flagship listed company of Siemens AG in India. As of September 30, 2021, Siemens Limited had Revenue from continuing operations of INR 12,756 crore and 8,608 employees. Further information is available on the Internet at [www.siemens.co.in](http://www.siemens.co.in)

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