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64th Railway Week function in CORE Allahabad

The 64th Railway Week Function was organized on 29th April, 2019 in Central Organisation for Railway Electrification(CORE) premises, Allahabad. General Manager , CORE,Shri Ratan Lal was chief guest of the function. Function was inaugurated after the lighting the lamp by GM Sri Ratan Lal. He has presented Efficiency Shield, Merit Certificates & Awards to Officers and Staff of CORE and RE Projects for their outstanding performances during the year 2018-19.All Principle Head of Departments (PHODs), REWVO president Smt. Durgesh Nandini along with REWVO members, Officers of the Project, Representatives of the recognised unions were present at the occasion.

In his address, General Manager, Shri Lal, told that the CORE achieved the target of electrification of 3613 route kilometers during 2018-19, which is 14.5% higher than the electrification work done last year. He called upon all the officials and employees to make all possible efforts to achieve the goal of the financial year 2019-20 and also congratulated all award winners.

During the year 2018-19, in Uttar Pradesh, Oudihar-Jaunpur, Khetasarai-Akbarpur-Tanda, Jabalpur-Katni, Manikpur-Sagma of Madhya Pradesh, Ara-Sasaram of Bihar, Bhatinda-Hanumangarh of Punjab- Rajasthan, Karur-Salem of Tamilnadu and important areas like West Bengal, Pakur-Malda were electrified after which the trains without any traction changed are being run on electrified routes.

Electrification of 35488 RKM has been done out of the total 61680 route kilometers of Indian Railways till March 2019. About 22500 route kilometers electrification work is in progress out of balance of 26192 route kilometers. The Railway Board has set a challenging target of 6275 route kilometers of electrification in the current financial year.

Shri Ratan Lal presented the Efficiency cum Achievement Shield for best Project to Railway Electrification(RE) Ambala project for achieving highest Electrification among all the projects. Shield for Second Best project, was jointly given to RE Jaipur and RE Lucknow Projects. Merit Certificate and Cash award of Rs. 4000/- was given by GM to 10 Officers and 89 Staff of RE Projects and CORE for meritorious services during 2018-19.

A colorful cultural programme was organized by CORE cultural team on this occasion and small ballet based on life of "Draupadi" was presented by this team. GM, CORE has announced an award of Rs 25000/- to Cultural Team. GM has also announced cash award of Rs.50000/- to organizers for successful conduct of function.

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