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**POWERGRID GRID 2030 COMPETITION**

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Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (POWERGRID), a 'Maharatna' Company under Ministry of Power, Government of India organised GRID 2030 competition for its employees. All current employees of POWERGRID were eligible for participation individually or in a group in the competition. Indian power sector is under transition, increasing penetration of Renewable Energy Sources, 24 X 7 clean and affordable power to all, widening cross-border interconnection, more energy use through electricity etc. are the key ingredients in transition. The competition aimed to capture the vision of future grid. The topic of competition was "How do you Visualize the Future Electric Grid by 2030?"

The competition received an overwhelming response with 134 entries out of which 5 (Five) entries were selected by the eminent jury. Participants were to submit their ideas online through Intranet portal in maximum 1000 words. Awards were given in the competition, the winner was Sh. Vikas Kumar, Ch. Manager, CMD Coord., the first runner up was Sh. Deepak Raj Tulsii, Sr. DGM, CP, Ms. Priti Nahar, DGM, CP, and Ms. Nitu Shukla, Ch. Mgr., CP, the second runner up was Ms. Divya Abhijit Piprode J.E., WR-I, RHQ-Nagpur and the Special Mention award went to Sh. D. Hari Kishore, Manager, AM and Sh. Rajesh V., Sr. GM, SR-II, RHQ-Bengaluru.

To distribute award to the winners, virtual award ceremony was organized which was graced by CMD and Directors. Winners shared their vision on GRID 2030. Award and certificates were presented to the winners by CMD, POWERGRID.

POWERGRID features among Great Place to Work in India. POWERGRID has been recognised as one of the best employers among nation builders 2021 by the Great Place to Work® Institute (GPTW). POWERGRID has also been recognised in the coveted Forbes Global Best Employers List.

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