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#### AERB Industrial and Fire Safety Awards

The annual function for presentation of Industrial Safety Awards and Fire Safety Awards for Department of Atomic Energy (DAE) units was held on April 17, 2015 at Atomic Energy Regulatory Board (AERB), Mumbai. AERB presents Industrial Safety Awards and Fire Safety Awards to DAE Units every year for motivation towards Industrial Safety and Fire Safety.

Industrial Safety Award in Production Units (Group-I) comprising Nuclear Power Plants and Heavy Water Plants is bagged jointly by Narora Atomic Power Station (Narora in Uttar Pradesh) and Madras Atomic Power Station (Kalpakkam in Tamilnadu). Zirconium Complex (Pazhayakalay in Tamilnadu) and Indian Rare Earths Limited (Udyogamandal in Kerala) have received the Industrial Safety Award in Production Units (Group-II). The Industrial Safety Awards are given for significant performance in industrial safety activities and towards contribution for achieving a safe working environment.

Fire Safety Award in the category-I of high fire risk unit has been bagged by Kaiga Generating Station 1&2 (Kaiga in Karnataka State). Fire Safety Awards are given for achieving high levels of performance in fire safety areas in their unit.

Shri S.S. Bajaj, Chairman, AERB released a publication on "Occupational Injury & Fire Statistics 2014 of DAE units" compiled and analyzed by AERB. This compilation provides the information on industrial and fire safety performance of DAE units. The industrial safety indicators of DAE units are far better than those of similar industries in the country. He also presented the awards to the winning units and addressed the gathering. Shri R. Bhattacharya, Vice-Chairman, AERB and Shri K. Ramprasad, Head, Industrial Plants Safety Division, AERB also spoke on achievement in the industrial and fire safety aspects in DAE units at the ceremony. On this occasion, AERB has also organised an exhibition at its premises on Safety Regulations.

  
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