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SUBJECT: Report on Major Achievements & Important Policy Decisions of NATRIP for m/o February, 2019.

Major Achievements & Important Policy Decisions:

1. Governing Council in its 64th meeting on 18th July 2017 decided to explore possibilities of operating all four fully funded NATRIP centers viz. GARC-Chennai, NIAIMT-Silchar, ICAT-Manesar & NATRAX-Indore on Public Private Partnership (PPP) basis. Accordingly, Expression of Interest (EOI) was floated on 18th August, 2017 to identify a Consultant (Transaction Advisor) and after Techno-commercial and Financial bid evaluation and due acceptance of GC, LOA was issued to M/s Ernst & Young LLP on 23rd October, 2017 and agreement was signed on 08th November, 2017. M/s E & Y had submitted the final draft on 15th June, 2018. The same had been examined and comments conveyed to M/s E&Y. On 05th July, 2018 M/s E & Y had submitted revised final draft feasibility report after incorporating the comments which had been discussed widely after examination. The second meeting of Transition Monitoring Committee (TMC) to consider final draft feasibility report was held on 08th August, 2018 wherein it was advised to take the matter to DHI through GC. Accordingly, matter was placed before GC, NATIS in its 66th Meeting held on 24th September, 2018 and GC noted the action taken so far in sending of necessary documents to DHI for further action. Accordingly, necessary documents have been sent to DHI on 15.10.2018.
2. NATRIP centers had organized 30th Road Safety Week - 2019 from 4th to 10th February 2019 with theme "Sadak Suraksha- Jeevan Raksha" in a grand scale by undertaking various activities. The activities were following: (i) NIAIMT, Silchar officials participated in closing ceremony program organized by RTO, Cachar and carried out IEC (Information, Education & Communication) activities, explained the importance of road safety. (ii) NATRAX, Indore team have taken Road Safety oath and on request of center, a program was also organized by the contractor M/s L & T to edify its worker regarding road safety measures. (iii) GARC, Chennai has conducted awareness program activity at center with awareness banners.



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3. NATRIP's proposal for "Grant-In-Aid for test facility infrastructure for Electric Vehicle (EV) and Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment (EVSE) performance test/Certification from NATRIP Implementation Society" under FAME Scheme of Department of Heavy Industry has been approved by Project Implementation and Sanctioning Committee (PISC) in its 11th Meeting held on 3rd January 2019. Subsequently, the tender for setting up Electric Vehicle (EV) Testing Infrastructure at GARC- Chennai, ICAT- Manesar & NATRAX- Indore has been floated on 01st February, 2018 with extended date of submission of bid as 05th March, 2019.
4. A One day Refresher Driving Training to Indian Oil Corporation Ltd (IOCL) Aviation drivers on "hazardous vehicles" was conducted on 26th February, 2019 at NIAIMT- Silchar. Total ten (10) nos of drivers were trained under this training program.
5. NIAIMT, Silchar reported that under LMV-NT-Freshers Driving Training Program, conducted by DTI, NIAIMT, 17 nos of candidates have been trained in February, 2019. Total 199 candidates have been trained under this category FY 2018-19.
6. A MOU between ORION Edutech Pvt Ltd, Kolkata and NIAIMT- Silchar signed on 26th October 2018 to train 130 candidates, out of which 80 candidates would be trained for "Commercial Vehicle Driver L-4" in HMV category & 50 candidates would be trained for "Taxi Driver" in LMV category Respectively. Accordingly, Training of the 1st batch on LMV & HMV with 24 candidates in each category had been completed in December, 2018. Another two batches of training containing 26 numbers of candidates and 30 numbers of candidates have been started from 31st January 2019 and will be completed 3rd April, 2019 and 22nd March, 2019 respectively.
7. NIAIMT, Silchar reported that at Inspection & Maintenance Station (IMS), NIAIMT, 14 nos of commercial vehicles have been tested in February, 2019. Total 133 commercial vehicles have been tested under this category FY 2018-19.
8. NATRAX, Indore reported that centre facilities were presented in ASIA-Brakes conference in Delhi considering the business potential from brake manufacturers and their associates from Korea, Japan, Brazil, Malaysia and India.
9. NATRAX, Indore reported that around 20 participants from Transport Department and STUs visited NATRAX facilities who attended the MoRTH training programme on 'CMVR Compliance of Vehicles -Buses (Sleeper coaches, Double Decker & School Bus) & Truck Code' organized by CIRT at Indore from 6th to 8th February 2019.



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10. NATRAX Indore reported that notification of NATRAX under CMVR 126 accepted in principle by Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MoRTH) in CMVR TSC meeting held on 6th Feb 2019.
11. NATRAX, Indore reported that as a result of consistent follow-up with OEM's to utilize NATRAX facilities and achieved potential revenue for the centre, recently, one new customer has been empanelled in customer list in addition to about fourteen already empanelled potential customers and 4 potential customers visited NATRAX and they were shown/briefed on the facilities.
12. NATRAX, Indore reported that 30 students from IIT Indore have visited the center for basic understanding of automobile test facilities under skill up gradation activities for engineering students.
13. GARC, Chennai has reported a significant development in Advance Passive Safety Lab (APSL) that the M&E suppliers are now on board and contractual issues as been sorted out amicably. Now, M/s Messring started the repair/refurbishment of the PaS3 equipments stored at site.
14. GARC, Chennai has reported that the Electrical installation works of Dyno in VSAC0 and VSAC1 Dyno pit room and the Electric & Magnetic (E &H) field generator installation for VSAC 0 Chamber in Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) Lab has been completed.
15. ICAT, Manesar reported that a MoU is entered into on 28th February 2019 between ICAT & Transport Department, Govt of Goa for the establishment of Inspection and Certification Center at Farmagudi Ponda in Goa on PPP model through M/s APPLUS ITV. This I&C centre once completed will be beneficial to the Goa state and address issues related to vehicular safety and emissions to a great extent through the inspection of road worthiness of in-use commercial vehicles on automated test lanes in a more scientific manner.