

OPTCL signs MoU with IIT, Bhubaneswar for power sector development

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BHUBANESWAR: State public sector enterprise Odisha Energy Transmission Company Restricted has signed an MoU with Indian Institute of Know-how, Bhubaneswar for the institution of OPTCL Chair within the premier engineering institute.

It's certainly a historic second for Odisha to collaborate with a premier institute like IIT for growth of Odisha energy sector, Power Minister D S Mishra mentioned.

"We're completely satisfied to know that IIT shouldn't be solely confined to tutorial service but in addition prolonged its arm for the event of the state. This industry-institute interface might be a winwin state of affairs for each almost about analysis and growth," Mishra mentioned.

The MoU was signed on Friday.

He mentioned this cooperation will improve the technical knowhow.

OPTCL chairman Sourav Garg on Friday mentioned IIT can be a troubleshooter for varied technical points surfacing within the energy sector. It's a dream come true and we really feel proud to collaborate with the most effective brains of the nation.

The scholars from IIT may have sensible publicity on the real-time initiatives, on the similar time OPTCL engineers may have a chance to work together with IITians and improve their information within the course of, Garg mentioned.

"Aside from schooling, IIT Bhubaneswar is dedicated to the native space and social growth via structured intervention. This Chair will act as an prolonged arm of the R & D wing for the Odisha energy sector," IIT Bhubaneswar Director Prof R V Raja Kumar mentioned.

"These synergies are positive to create lasting affect in addressing key points pertaining to the ability sector. We additionally guarantee that the proposed Centre of Excellence for Renewable Power, SMART Grid will present an amalgamation to each teachers and {industry} usually," he mentioned.

Ragunath Pratihari, Director (HRD) OPTCL emphasised on the significance of collaboration in trendy growth eventualities. This OPTCL Chair will allow a standard platform to handle points on the subject of each teachers and {industry}, he mentioned.

The core goals of building the Chair Place of OPTCL in IIT Bhubaneswar are information sharing, talent enhancement and analysis and growth. A Centre of Excellence for Renewable Power, Good Grid might be established below the umbrella of this Chair place, he mentioned.

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