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CII Green Business Centre (CII-GBC)

SYNERGY

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ANNOUNCEMENT

BEE Partners with CII Heat Pump Alliance

The partnership between the Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE) and the CII Green Business Centre's Heat Pump Alliance marks an important step towards advancing energy efficiency in India. BEE's expertise, policy guidance, and strategic direction will play a pivotal role in supporting the Alliance's mission and driving greater impact across the sector.

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INITIATIVES

Greening of MSMEs in Andhra Pradesh

CII - Green Business Centre (CII - GBC) is working with the Government of Andhra Pradesh and Energy Efficiency Services Limited (EESL) under the RAMP (Raising and Accelerating MSME Performance) Framework. CII-GBC has organized Capacity Building & Awareness Workshops at Guntur and Vijayawada under this initiative.

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Greening of MSMEs in Telangana

CII Green Business Centre (CII-GBC), along with the Research & Innovation Circle of Hyderabad (RICH), Governmebt of Telangana, conducted 4 Capacity Building and Awareness Workshops at Hyderabad, Miryalaguda, Peddapalli and Cherlapally under the "Greening of MSMEs in Telangana" initiative.

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Energy Audits

In the month of August 2026, CII GBC engaged with Industries in India and abroad. The assessment studies identified 51 Projects, with cost savings of INR 5,315 Lakhs.

Net-Zero/GHG/LCA

Green Steel Facilitation

A facilitation visit was undertaken to a steel manufacturing facility in Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh, to support the plant in its journey towards Green Steel Certification, aligned with the framework developed by NISST and the Government of India's Green Steel Taxonomy initiative.

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EVENTS & TRAININGS

Green Steel & Mining Summit 2026

The 5th edition of CII Green Steel & Mining Summit brought together policymakers and industry leaders to shape the future of green steel, sustainable mining and industrial decarbonisation.

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Training Program for the BEE Energy Manager and Energy Auditor Exam 2026

The CII Training Program for the BEE Energy Manager and Energy Auditor Examinations 2026 was successfully conducted from 17–21 August 2026.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

IN THE NEWS

Green Steel & Mining Summit 2026

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Workshop held on 'Greening of MSMEs in Andhra Pradesh'

The programme was implemented by Energy Efficiency Services Limited (EESL) in association with the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII)

Greening of MSMEs in Andhra Pradesh

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INDUSTRY UPDATES

The missing link to net zero

Business Standard| 25 August 2026

A net-zero target without sector transition plans and transition finance is a destination with no map. More than 140 countries, covering 90 per cent of global carbon emissions, have announced net-zero targets for 2050 to 2070.

Telangana's clean energy roadmap

Financial Express | 20 August, 2026

Telangana has laid out a clean energy roadmap that aims to transform the state into a major manufacturing and deployment hub for renewable technologies, with solar power at the core.

Floating solar: Can it be India's next renewable energy success story?

The Indian Express | 24 August, 2026

Although India has already made some strides in large floating solar plants, the recent approval of the PM Surya Sarovar Yojana could provide the much-needed policy push to accelerate pan-India deployment.

India's clean energy future needs more than lithium-ion batteries

Hindustan Times | 26 August, 2026

India's clean energy transition is entering a more complex phase. The challenge is no longer merely producing renewable electricity but ensuring it can be stored, dispatched, and integrated reliably across the grid.

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