



ASSOCHAM
INDIA

SEMINAR ON E-WASTE: SUSTAINABILITY AND MANAGEMENT
THEME: WEALTH FROM E-WASTE
CHENNAI, HYDERABAD & BENGALURU

A SEMINAR ON E- WASTE MANAGEMENT

With the ever growing population, rising economies and advancements in technology, the consumer oriented growth is causing a rapid product obsolescence, which has provided us with a new environmental challenge – E Waste. Disposal of obsolete electrical and electronic equipment is one of the most rapidly growing segments with environment and health impacts. In India, it is an emerging problem as well as a business opportunity of increasing significance, given the volumes of e-waste being generated. Also putting the responsibility of re-cycling of electrical & electronic wastes (e-waste) on the producers, the **Ministry of Environment and Forest (Mo-EF) has for the first time notified "e-Waste (Management and Handling) Rules, 2011" which came into effect from May, 2012.**

The ASSOCHAM plans to hold a Seminar to highlight the global and national concerns, associated with strategies to address this problem.

Seminar: **E-WASTE: SUSTAINABILITY AND MANAGEMENT**

Theme: **Wealth from E-waste**

Date: 30th Oct. Hyderabad

Venue: Taj Deccan Banjara Hills Hyderabad

The program on E - Waste Management

This programme intends to provide an overview of Proper Management of e - Waste, as per the best practices; as well as insight regulatory requirements.

The seminar will be a mixture of tutored sessions and discussions to achieve its above stated objectives. The case studies will be presented to focus on issues that commonly emerge during handling, storage and / or disposal of e - waste. This will be a multi- state programme viz: Bangalore, Hyderabad and Chennai

Benefits to the participants

The seminar will make the participants to:

1. Gain knowledge about E - Waste
2. Gain an insight of Regulatory Requirements and their compliance.
3. Know their roles & responsibilities in achieving conformity to requirements.
4. Enlighten their knowledge through strategies and case studies.

The major Supports:

- State Pollution Control Boards
- Central Pollution Control Board

- E-Parisaraa Pvt. Ltd., (India's first Government authorized electronic waste recycler)
- DEUTSCHE GESELLSCHAFT FÜR INTERNATIONALE ZUSAMMENARBEIT (GIZ) GMBH

Participants for Seminar:

1. E- Waste recyclers
2. E- Waste Collectors
3. NGO and self help groups, working on waste management
4. Manufacturers of Electrical and electronics goods
5. Educational Institutions

The Seminar will focus and deliberate on the following sub-themes:

- ✓ E-waste management
- ✓ Catalyzing business activities using E-waste
- ✓ Health safety issues in E-waste
- ✓ Ways of reuse/recycling of E-waste, Hazardous Waste
- ✓ Sustainable Energy, Technology, Economics & Policies
- ✓ Policy Issues on Environment and Renewable Energy
- ✓ Renewable Energy
- ✓ Informal sector in E Waste Management
- ✓ Any other related issues

We shall be releasing a paper on E-Waste in India with our knowledge partner

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