

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF
THE 23rd ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING OF FOIR HELD ON 8TH
JUNE, 2022

VENUE: “GULMOHAR ” CONFERENCE HALL
INDIAN HABITAT CENTRE, NEW DELHI

1. At the outset, Hony Vice Chairperson, FOIR/ Chairperson, CERC welcomed the members to the meeting of the General Body of FOIR.
2. Welcoming all the members for the General Body meeting, Hony. Chairperson, FOIR/ Chairperson CCI expressed his appreciation for the active participation of the members in the activities of FOIR. He made a special mention of the contribution of Shri P. K. Pujari, Chairperson CERC/Hony. Vice Chairperson FOIR in taking the vision of FOIR forward.
3. Delivering his opening remarks, Hony Chairperson FOIR/ Chairperson, CCI stated that FOIR was conceived as a platform for sharing of experiences by the regulatory authorities of infrastructure sectors in India. While current membership comprises sectors of electricity, airports, petroleum and natural gas, ports, competition commission, telecom and insolvency & bankruptcy, FOIR is also happy to welcome new members to FOIR who are from other sectors such as Real Estate Regulatory Authority, Punjab and Food & Safety Standards Authority of India. He also added though Andhra Pradesh ERC has decided to withdraw from FOIR, he was happy to note that Kerala ERC who had previously withdrawn from FOIR have rejoined FOIR looking at the value of FOIR to them. He also informed the members that the Governing Body had decided that SEBI and RERA in other States (other than Punjab which has already joined) be approached to become members of FOIR.

4. He also stated that in the past 1 year, FOIR, through its working group had recommended cross-sector collaboration on 5G initiated by TRAI. This initiative is being taken forward so that the end consumers can reap the benefits of inter-sectoral collaboration.

List of Attendees is at **Annexure – I**

AGENDA 1: CONFIRMATION OF THE MINUTES OF 22ND ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING

Deputy Chief (RA), CERC, updated the members about the action taken on the minutes of the 22nd Annual General meeting of the FOIR and requested for the approval of the minutes. The General Body approved the Minutes placed before them.

AGENDA 2: CONSOLIDATED REVISED RULES OF FOIR.

1. Deputy Chief (RA), CERC apprised the Forum that the Governing Body in its 49th meeting had approved certain amendments in the Rules of FOIR and directed that the proposed amendments be taken to the General Body for ratification. Accordingly, amendments are proposed in the Rules of FOIR to
 - i) enable collection of membership fees on pro-rata basis from the month of joining by new members in FOIR till March of the Financial Year.
 - ii) to replace the word “Chairman” with “Chairperson”.
 - iii) to carve out a provision to induct other Infrastructure Regulatory Bodies in the General Body and Governing Body under the category of “State Electricity Regulatory Commission” without any change in the number of Members
 - iv) to remove the phrases referring to “Zones” and “first Auditor “as they are no longer relevant.
2. After discussion, the aforesaid changes to the Rules & Regulations of FOIR were approved and the respective “Resolution” was duly endorsed by the Members.

Accordingly, the amendments will be filed with the Registrar of Societies for necessary updation.

AGENDA 3: MEMBERSHIP IN FOIR:

1. Deputy Chief (RA), CERC informed the General Body Members that while Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) and Real Estate Regulatory Authority (RERA), Punjab had joined as new members of FOIR, Kerala State Electricity Regulatory Commission (KSERC) who had initially withdrawn from FOIR couple of years back has re-joined the Forum. In addition, she also apprised the General Body that Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (APERC) has requested for discontinuation of their membership in FOIR, as they are already a member in the Forum of Regulators (FOR). The members were informed that APERC has not participated in any events of FOIR during the FY 2021-22 and therefore did not pay the membership fees, due to which the General Body was requested to approve the waiver of the overdue fees.
2. While the General Body members welcomed the new members viz., FSSAI and RERA, Punjab and appreciated the joining back of KSERC as member of FOIR, they also opined that FOIR Secretariat may write to APERC to re-consider their decision of withdrawing from FOIR.

AGENDA 4: RECONSTITUTION OF GOVERNING BODY

1. Deputy Chief (RA), CERC, briefed the members about the Rules & Regulations of FOIR regarding composition of the Governing Body. The Chairpersons or Members of Regulatory Bodies/Authorities are nominated as Hon'y. Chairperson/ Hon'y Vice-Chairperson/ Hon'y. Member of the Governing Body based on their seniority, provided they have at least one-year service remaining in their organization. They will continue to be in the Governing Body as long as they hold the office in their respective Institution. Based on the above norms, the proposed constitution of the Governing Body for 2022-2023 was presented. It was proposed

that Shri B.S. Bhuller, Chairperson, AERA would take over as Hony. Chairperson of FOIR, after Chairperson, CCI demits office. The General Body was also apprised that the vacant posts in the Governing Body pertaining to Central Infrastructure and Finance sector were also proposed to be filled in.

2. The members noted that the same is in accordance to the Rules of FOIR and approved by the Governing Body. The re-constituted Governing Body for 2022-2023 as approved by the Governing Body is **at Annexure - II**.

AGENDA 5: ACCOUNTS RELATED MATTERS:

a) Budget of FOIR for the F.Y. 2022-2023.

Deputy Chief (RA), CERC explained the salient features of the proposed budget for the F.Y. 2022-2023. Hony. Chairperson FOIR/Chairperson CCI stated that the programs should be conducted online as well as offline to rationalize the expenses. After detailed deliberations, the General Body approved the budget for the F.Y.2022-2023.

b) Audited Accounts for the F.Y. 2021-2022.

1. Dy. Chief (RA), CERC informed that the Audited Accounts were not qualified by the Auditors. She briefly explained the salient features of the Audited Accounts for the F.Y. 2021-2022. She also detailed the necessary resolutions to be approved by the General Body relating to the Balance Sheet and Income expenditure as also utilization of earmarked funds.
2. After discussion, the General Body approved the Audited Accounts of FOIR for the F.Y. 2021-2022 alongwith the Resolutions.

c)& d) Re-appointment of Auditor for the F.Y. 2022-2023 and tax consultant for filing the Income Tax Return for the F.Y. 2022-2023.

The General Body Members approved the re-appointment of the Auditor (viz. M/s R.S. Gupta & Co., CAs) (3rd year of their tenure) and that the Tax Consultant (viz. M/s R.K. Raman & Co., CAs) for the F.Y. 2022-2023 (4th year of their tenure).

e) Re-investment of fixed deposits

Deputy Chief (RA), CERC informed the members regarding the maturity of fixed deposits amounting to Rs. 3.98 Crore with Union Bank of India, Connaught Place, New Delhi, in July 2022 and that as per the information gathered by FOIR Sectt. from few PSU Banks, the reinvestment will be made based on the highest rate of interest being offered amongst the PSU banks. The members unanimously approved the same.

AGENDA 6: UPDATE BY FOIR CENTRE, IICA – PRESENTATION BY FOIR CENTRE, IICA

1. DG&CEO, IICA greeted the AGM members on behalf of IICA and appreciated the partnership between FOIR and IICA. He pressed upon the need for strengthening the capacity building further that will be necessary for the intellectual growth of FOIR. DG IICA then requested Director, FOIR Centre, IICA, to carry forward the proceedings for Agenda no. 6 and all the sub-items.

a) Activities conducted during 2021-22

A detailed presentation (**Annexure III**) on the item-wise activities was made by Director FOIR Centre, IICA. The General Body noted the activities of FOIR Centre, Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs.

b) Activities proposed for 2022-23

FOIR Center, IICA proposed various activities to be conducted during the FY 2022-23 as under:

- Newsletters: 2 Nos
- Blogs: 12 Nos
- Webinars: 8 Nos
- International conference: 1 No
- Quizzes: 2 Nos
- Journal on Market Regulations: 2 volumes
- 6 months study: 1 No
- Online capacity building programs: 3 Nos
- Offline refresher courses: 2 Nos

- Offline Colloquium for Chairpersons and Members: 2 Nos
 - 3 months Regulatory Governance course: 2 batches
2. The above activities have already been incorporated in the FOIR budget and the General Body has approved the same in the previous agenda. Hon'y Vice Chairperson, FOIR/Chairperson, CERC stated that the subject/theme of each capacity building program is to be finalized as per suggestions received from FOIR Members/ Subject expert/FOIR Sectt. After discussion, the General Body approved all proposed activities.

c) Annual Report of FOIR for 2020-21 & 2021-22

The Annual Reports of FOIR for the FY 2020-21 & for FY 2021-22 were presented by FOIR Centre, IICA and the General Body approved the same.

AGENDA 7: CROSS SECTOR COLLABORATIVE REGULATION BETWEEN TELECOM REGULATOR (TRAI) AND ELECTRICITY REGULATORS (ERCS)

Deputy Chief (RA), CERC apprised the members that based on discussion held in the 21st AGM, a Working Group on “Cross Sector Collaborative Regulation between Telecom Regulator and Electricity Regulators” was constituted. Thereafter, the report of the Working Group was deliberated in the 49th Governing Body meeting. As decided by the Governing Body, the report was also discussed during the 78th and 79th meetings of Forum of Regulators (FOR) wherein the FOR recommended various action points on the report which included that SERCs may come up with regulations on revenue sharing between DISCOMs and consumers for income other than core business ; telecom service providers may approach SERCs, if there is a need, so that a single bill can be issued for multiple connections issued to the telecom service provider and payment for all the commutative bills may be done at one go. Further, telecom operators may also approach SERCs for a separate tariff slab for energy consumed by the telecom service providers.

AGENDA 8: ANY OTHER ITEM

1. Some of the members underscored the need for discussion on substantial issues during the AGM. Hony Chairperson, FOIR clarified that substantial issues such as cross sectoral aspects between telecom and electricity sector collaboration have been discussed in the Governing Body meetings. Hony. Vice Chairperson, FOIR/ Chairperson, TRAI also opined that FOIR may explore more cross sector collaborations between Ports sector, Airport sector, metros and Smart city projects with Electricity and Telecom. Some Members suggested to engage in discussion on issues of competition in electricity and other sectors vis a vis quality of supply and consumer centric issues.
2. Chairperson, KSERC added that after a gap of two years they decided to re-join FOIR as they felt that they were missing out on the research and academic activities being conducted by FOIR with the assistance from IICA.
3. Some of the AGM members also suggested circulating minutes of the Governing Body meetings, proposed studies, completed reports and all correspondences directly to all AGM members. To this Hony Chairperson, FOIR clarified that all such information is regularly uploaded on the FOIR website by the FOIR Secretariat and the same may be seen. It was, however, agreed that FOIR may intimate the AGM members through email at intervals regarding the important updates as available on the website. Hony Vice Chairperson, FOIR also appreciated that suggestion box (in the website of FOIR) may be created wherein any FOIR member may offer his/her suggestions.
4. On the suggestion that FOIR should have some budgetary provision for sharing of cost of travel of the FOIR members for attending AGM, Hony Chairperson, FOIR clarified that such provisions would have high financial implications. However, he suggested that it would be beneficial to organize future AGMs in a hybrid mode which may facilitate other members to attend the meeting virtually.

At the end, the members noted that Mr. P. K. Pujari, Chairperson, CERC/Hony. Vice Chairperson FOIR is due to retire on superannuation on 11th June, 2022 (this being his last General Body meeting), and placed on record their deep appreciation for the valuable contribution of Mr. Pujari in the activities of FOIR.

The meeting concluded with vote of thanks to the Chair.

ANNEXURE – I

LIST OF PARTICIPANTS OF
THE GENERAL BODY MEETING OF THE FORUM OF INDIAN REGULATORS (FOIR)
HELD ON 08TH JUNE, 2012 AT INDIA HABITAT CENTRE (IHC), NEW DELHI.

S. No.	Name	Designation
1.	Mr. Ashok Kumar Gupta	Chairperson, CCI & Hony. Chairperson, FOIR
2.	Mr. P.K. Pujari	Chairperson, CERC & Hony. Vice- Chairperson, FOIR
3.	Mr. Balwinder Singh Bhullar	Chairperson, AERA & Hony. Vice- Chairperson, FOIR
4.	Dr. P.D. Vaghela	Chairperson, TRAI & Hony. Vice- Chairperson, FOIR
5.	Mr. Indu Shekhar Jha	Member, CERC & Hony. Secretary, FOIR
6.	Mr. Arun Goyal	Member, CERC & Hony. Treasurer, FOIR
7.	Mr. Pravas Kumar Singh	Member CERC
8.	Mr. PremanDinaraj	Chairperson, KSERC
9.	Mr. Sanjay Kumar	Chairperson, MERC
10.	Mr. P.W. Ingty	Chairperson, MSERC
11.	Mr. Viswajeet Khanna	Chairperson, PSERC
12.	Mr. D. Radhakrishna	Chairperson, TERC
13.	Mr. H.M. Manjunatha	Acting Chairperson, , KERC
14.	Mr. Satyendra Nath Kalita	Member, AERC
15.	Mr. Vinod Deshmukh	Member, CSERC
16.	Dr. Akhilesh Kumar Ambasht	Member, DERC
17.	Mr. Bhanu Pratap Singh	Member, HPERC
18.	Ms. Jyoti Prasad	Member, JERC for State of Goa & UTs
19.	Mr. Ajay Gupta	JERC for UTs of J&K and Ladakh
20.	Mr. M.D. Ravi	Member, KERC
21.	Mr. A.J. Wilson	Member, KSERC
22.	Mr. Mukul Dhariwal	Member, MPERC
23.	Mr. M.D. Manohar Raju	Member, TSERC
24.	Mr. BandaruKrishnaiah	Member, TSERC
25.	Ms. Meenakshi Gupta	Member, TRAI
26.	Mr. Umesh Narayan Panjiar	Ex-Chairperson, BERC
27.	Mr. H.L. Bajaj	Ex-Chairperson, CEA
28.	Mr. V.S. Ailawadi	Ex-Chairperson, HERC
29.	Dr. V.K. Garg	Ex-Chairperson, JERC for State of Goa & UTs
30.	Mr. M.K. Goel	Ex-Chairperson, JERC for State

		of Goa & UTs
31.	Mr. Desh Deepak Verma	Ex-Chairperson, UPERC
32.	Mr. Rajeev Amit	Ex-Member, BERC
33.	Mr. Ramesh Kumar Choudhary	Ex-Member, BERC
34.	Mr. D.P. Sinha	Ex-Member, CERC
35.	Mr. S.R. Sethi	Ex-Member, DERC
36.	Ms. Anjauli Chandra	Ex-Member, PSERC
37.	Ms. Neerja Mathur	Ex-Member, JERC for State of Goa & UTs
38.	Mr. S.C. Dhingra	Ex-Member, UPERC
39.	Mr. R.D. Gupta	Ex-Member, UPERC
40.	Mr. V.K. Khanna	Ex-Member, UERC
41.	Mr. Harpreet Singh Pruthi	Executive Secretary, FOIR
42.	Dr. Sushanta K. Chatterjee	Chief (RA), CERC
FOIR SECRETARIAT / OTHERS		
43.	Mr. Praveen Kumar	DG & CEO, IICA
44.	Dr. Abha Yadav	Director, FOIR Centre, IICA
45.	Ms. Rashmi Somasekharan Nair	Dy. Chief (RA), CERC
46.	Mr. P.M. Antony	Executive Treasurer, FOIR
47.	Mr. Saurabh Derhgaven	PRO (RA), CERC
48.	Mr. M.M. Prasad	Sr. Accounts Officer
49.	Mr. Nilesh Diwan	Accounts Officer
50.	Mr. Manvendra Pratap	Research Officer
51.	Mr. Sushil Kumar Arora	Administrative Officer
52.	Mr. Davinder	T.O (IT)
53.	Mr. Avanish R. Srivastava	TA, IICA
54.	Mr. N. Pradeep Kumar	Director, KERC

RE-CONSTITUTED GOVERNING BODY OF "FOIR"
FOR THE YEAR 2022 – 2023

Name & Designation	Date of Appointment in Regulatory Commission / Authority	Date of Retirement in Regulatory Commission / Authority
Hony. Chairperson		
Mr. Ashok Kumar Gupta Chairperson, CCI	12.11.2018	25.10.2022 (e)
Hony. Vice-Chairperson		
Mr. P.K. Pujari Chairperson, CERC	01.02.2018	11.06.2022 (a)
Mr. Balwinder Singh Bhullar Chairperson, AERA	08.07.2019	11.05.2024
Dr. P.D. Vaghela Chairperson, TRAI	01.10.2020	30.09.2023
Mr. Ravi Mital Chairperson, IBBI	09.02.2022	12.09.2026
Mr T S Balasubramaniam, Chairperson (in-charge), TAMP		04.12.2022
Mr. Raj Pratap Singh Chairperson, UPERC	02.07.2018	01.07.2023
Mr. D. Radhakrishna Chairperson, TERC	08.08.2019	07.08.2024
Mr. M Chandrasekar Chairperson, TNERC	16.08.2019	15.08.2024 (b)
Chairperson, PNGRB (Vacant)		
Chairperson. FSSAI (from date of joining)		
Hony. Members		
Mr. Suresh Chandra Dinkar Member, RERC	17.07.2017	16.07.2022 (c)
Mr. Bhanu Pratap Singh Member, HPERC	29.09.2017	28.09.2022 (d)
Mr. Mukul Dhariwal Member, MPERC	02.01.2018	01.01.2023(f)
Mr. I.M. Bohari Member, MERC	06.06.2018	31.05.2023 (g)
Dr (Mrs) Sangeeta Verma, Member, CCI	24.12.2018	17.09.2023 (h)
Hony. Secretary		
Mr. Indu Shekhar Jha Member, CERC	21.01.2019	20.01.2024
Hony. Treasurer		
Mr. Arun Goyal Member, CERC	07.04.2020	02.08.2024

(a) New Chairperson, CERC will replace Mr. P.K. Pujari, Chairperson, CERC (on

completion of his tenure) and will serve as Hony. Vice-Chairperson (from the date of joining CERC).

- (b) In view of vacancy in Finance sector, Mr. M Chandrasekar, Chairperson, TNERC will serve as Hony Vice Chairperson till 15.8.2024.
- (c) In view of vacancy in Finance Sector, Mr. Suresh Chandra Dinkar, Member, RERC will serve as Hony. Member. Mr. M.D. Ravi, Member, KERC will replace Mr. Suresh Chandra Dinkar, Member, RERC and will serve as Hony. Member (from 17.07.2022 – 12.3.2024) or till new Member from Finance Sector joins.
- (d) Mr. Naresh Sardana, Member, HERC will replace Mr. Bhanu Pratap Singh, Member, HPERC and will serve as Hony. Member (from 29.09.2022 – 28.5.2024).
- (e) Mr. Balwinder Singh Bhullar, Chairperson, AERA will replace Mr. Ashok Kumar Gupta, Chairperson, CCI (on completion of his tenure) and will serve as Hony. Chairperson, FOIR (from 26.10.2022 to 11.05.2024).
- (f) Mr. Jiban Krishna Sen, Member, TERC will replace Mr. Mukul Dhariwal, Member, MPERC and will serve as Hony. Member (from 02.01.2023 – 7.8.2024).
- (g) Mr Pulak Kumar Tewari, Member, WBERC will replace Mr. I.M. Bohari, Member, MERC and will serve Hony. Member, FOIR (from 01.06.2023 to 5.9.2024).
- (h) Dr (Mrs) Sangeeta Verma, Member, CCI represents Member of Central Infrastructure sector till 17.9.2023

The name of new Chairperson, PNGRB will be included (from the date of joining PNGRB) in the Governing Body of FOIR as Hony. Vice- Chairperson.

The name of Chairperson, TAMP will be included (from the date of joining TAMP) in the Governing Body of FOIR as Hony. Vice- Chairperson.

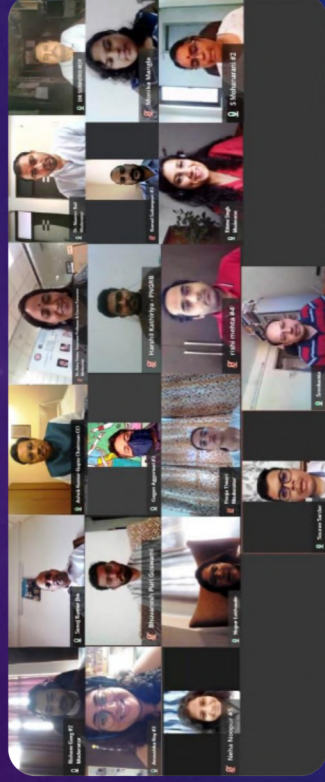
The name of Chairperson, FSSAI will be included from the date of joining in the Governing Body of FOIR

On completion of tenure of Mr. Ashok Kumar Gupta, Chairperson, CCI, the name of new Chairperson, CCI (from the date of assumption of charge) will be included in the Governing Body of FOIR as Hony. Vice- Chairperson.



ANNEXURE III

FOIR CENTRE (IICA) ACTIVITIES FY 2021-22



Three years Capacity building strategic plan for FOIR prepared by IICA 2019-22

- Objective - Skill development and academic upgradation
- Proposed time frame – 3 years
- Methodology - Market study & research on the regulatory manpower requirements
- Categorization - 3 categories
 - Governing Body members of FOIR,
 - Regulatory officials of FOIR members,
 - Other Regulatory staff of FOIR members
- Training subjects – based on cross-cutting functions and specific functions of regulators.
- Proposed trainings - 4 Capacity building trainings & 2 Colloquiums each year
- Mode of delivery – Online until covid-19 situation in the country normalises.

CAPACITY BUILDING STRATEGIC PLAN FOR FORUM OF INDIAN REGULATORS (FOIR)



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Activities of FOIR Centre IICA 2021-22

Capacity Building & Conferences

Colloquium for Chairpersons of Central Sector Regulators

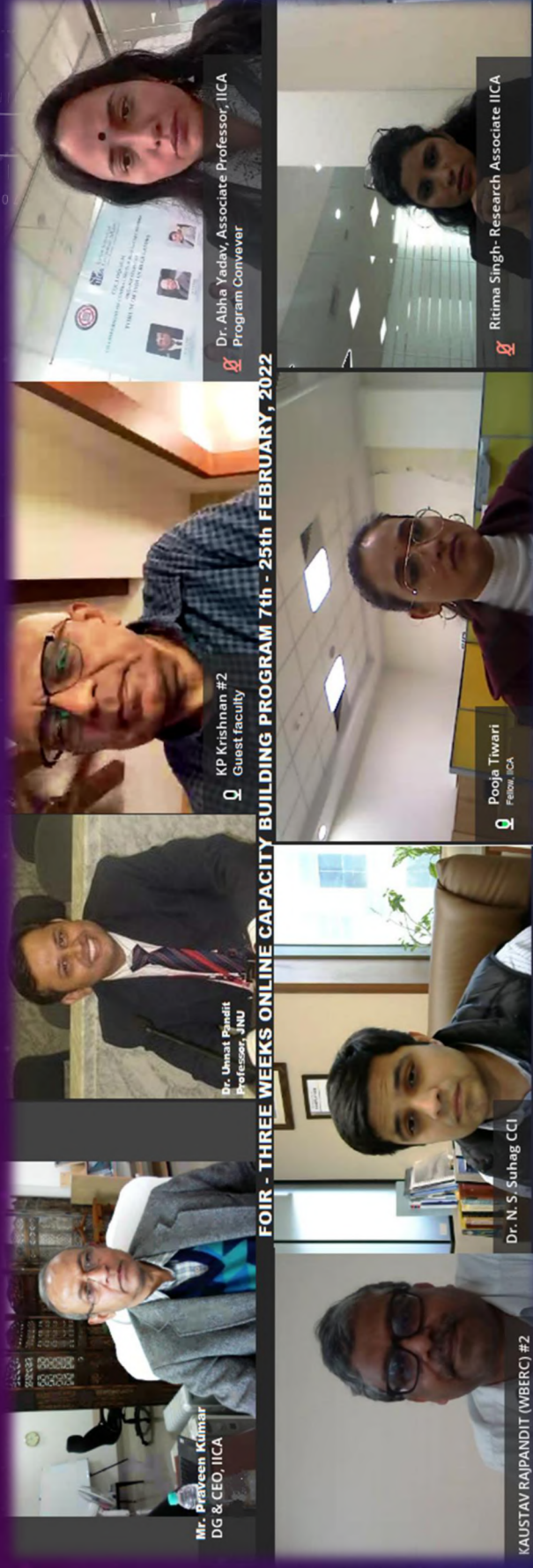
- Capacity building programs - officers of FOIR Member Organizations
- 4 Quarterly Webinars
- 3-Months Online Certification Course- 3rd Batch
- FOIR Research/Study

2 Weeks Online Capacity building program for officers of FOIR member organizations from 13th- 24th Sep, 2021



- 2 Weeks Online Capacity Building Program for group 2 officers
- Theme - “Shaping the Future of Regulations in Emerging Digital Era”
- Participation from IBBI, AERA, PNGRB, CERC SERC etc
- Participants - 36

3 Weeks Online Capacity Building Program for officers of FOIR member organizations from 7th – 25th Feb, 2022



- 3 Weeks Online Capacity Building Program for group 3 officers
- Theme - “Designing & Drafting of Regulation and its Management”
- Participation from AERA, CCI, PNGRB, IBBI, SERC etc
- Participants - 24

Colloquium for the Chairpersons of Central Sector Regulators, Hotel Neemrana on 29th September, 2021



- Theme - “Designing Regulatory Solutions: A Framework for Instrument Choice” ,
- Guest speaker - Prof. Cary Coglianese, Edward B. Shills Professor of Law and Professor of Political Science at the University of Pennsylvania
- Central Sector Organization: CCI, CERC, IBBI, PNGRB, TAMP & TRAI

Know Your Regulators series -1st episode with Chairperson IBBI 15th Sep, 2021



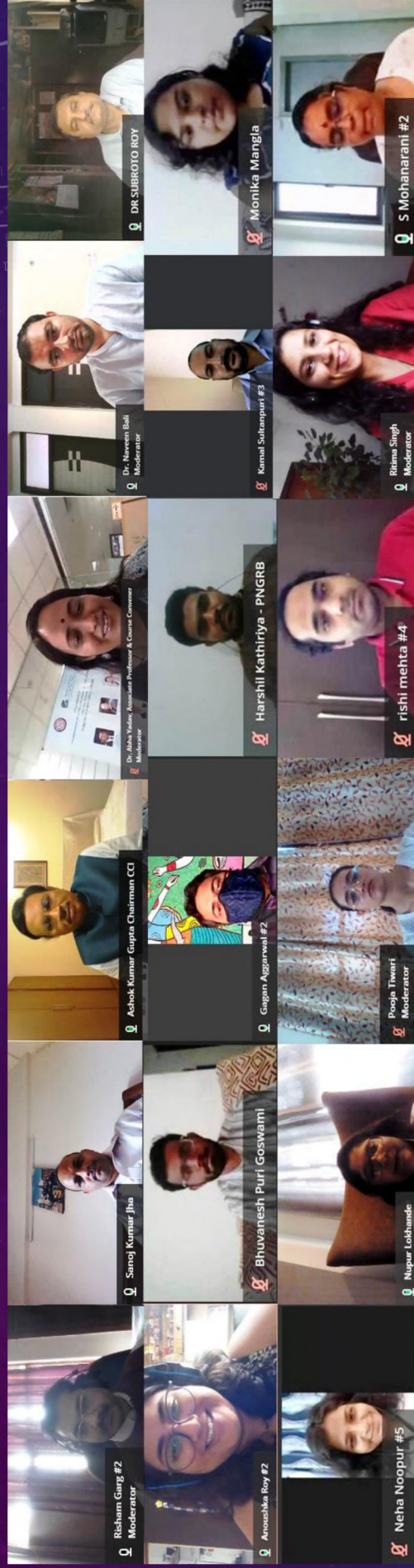
- KYR Series -1st inaugural episode with Dr. M.S. Sahoo, then Chairperson, IBBI
- In collaboration with the CPR, National Council of Applied Economic Research (NCAER), the Forum of Indian Regulators (FOIR) and the Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs (IICA)

4 Quarterly Webinars for FOIR regulatory members organizations

- 1st Quarterly Webinar on “Reviewing the Indian Climate Transition: A special focus on the electricity sector” by Prof. Ajay Shah & Mr. Akshay Jaitley - 30.11.2021
- 2nd Quarterly Webinar of FOIR as KYR episode with Mr. P.K. Pujari, Chairperson, CERC - 15.12.2021
- 3rd Quarterly Webinar on “Alternative Dispute Resolution in the Regulatory Regime” by Mr. Yilli Dautaj & Mr. Tariq A Khan – 20.01.2022
- 4th quarterly Webinar on "Current Challenges in the Indian Power Sector" by Mr. Arun Goyal, Member, CERC– 18.02.2022



3 Months Online Certificate Course on Regulatory Governance (February, 2022)



- Inaugurated by Chief Guest: Shri. Ashok Kumar Gupta, Chairperson, CCI & Hony Chairman, FOIR
- 24+ Online Sessions & webinars on weekends
- 4 Modules with test of each modules .
- Online Presentations and Group Discussion as a Final Evaluation
- Regular feedback of each sessions
- Participation - 24 officials from FOIR member bodies
- Course Convener - Dr. Abha Yadav, Head, School of Competition Law & Market Regulation and Director, FOIR Centre.

REGULATORY GOVERNANCE COURSE - OVERVIEW



CERTIFICATE COURSE ON REGULATORY GOVERNANCE

- Unique Course- Three Months Online Certificate Course on Regulatory Governance
- Sponsored by FOIR
- For officials of FOIR Members bodies (All Group)
- Course run under School of competition Law & Market Regulation, IICA



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CERTIFICATE COURSE ON REGULATORY GOVERNANCE

COURSE OBJECTIVE

The Certificate Course on Regulatory Governance is designed to equip the regulatory officials and stakeholders in India with the in-depth knowledge of regulatory framework in the country and best practices for regulatory governance across the globe.

The course has been designed to in furtherance of the objective of FOIR and IICA, to develop human and institutional capacities in regulatory bodies, utilities and other stake holders in India.



CERTIFICATE COURSE ON REGULATORY GOVERNANCE

COURSE STRUCTURE

The Three Months Online Certificate Course on Regulatory Governance is a unique course designed to develop capacities in regulatory bodies and provide a platform for the exchange of ideas and experience across different sectors.

The course structure is divided into :

- 4 Modules including 12 Units
- Practicum/ Case Studies



CERTIFICATE COURSE ON REGULATORY GOVERNANCE

PRACTICUM/ CASE STUDIES

To impart knowledge on the developments and best practices across different sectors, the course also includes various Practicum/ Case Studies. These Practicum/ Case Studies will provide the students with the Sector overviews, latest developments & regulation making process across different sectors including electricity, financial, telecommunication, petroleum & natural gas, competition law, Insolvency and Bankruptcy Sector etc. The Sessions will be taken by industry experts having experience and expertise in the working of the respective industry and regulatory body.

Practicum/Case Study:

(Sector overview, latest developments & regulation making process across different sectors)

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| • Petroleum & Natural Gas Sector | • Aviation Sector |
| • Electricity Sector | • Competition Law Sector |
| • Insolvency and Bankruptcy Sector | • Environment Sector |
| • Telecommunication Sector | • Financial Sector |



CERTIFICATE IN COURSE ON REGULATORY COMPLIANCE

CLASS SCHEDULE AND PLATFORM OVERVIEW

The online classes for the course are generally scheduled over the weekends. The classes will be conducted over Blackboard, IICA (Learning Management System). Guidelines to use the web based software have been shared with the students and an introductory session is also organized on how to use various features of the software.

The Blackboard software would help to ensure an effective online learning experience for the participants with features of white board, sharing files, polling, and other interaction tools. The software also enables recording of the sessions, which could also be accessed by the students in near future. To ensure quality learning, regular feedback would also be taken from the students over the platform.



CERTIFICATE COURSE ON REGULATORY GOVERNANCE

ASSIGNMENTS, EXAMINATIONS & GRADING CRITERIA

The students of the course would be evaluated post successful completion of every module. The evaluation would be based on online tests and reports/presentations/exercise. The students would also be required to submit articles/write ups relevant to the subject of the course.

The participants would be graded based on the above assignments and tests.





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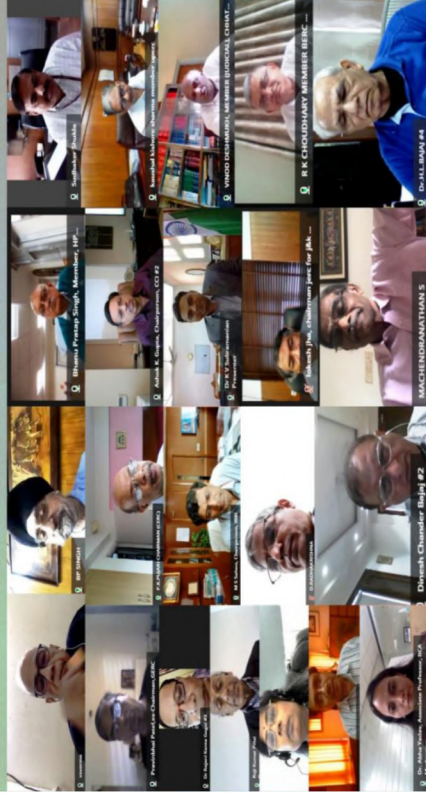
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48th Governing Body Meeting of FOIR

Through video conferencing
18th June, 2021 at 10:30 AM onwards

22nd Annual General Body Meeting of FOIR

Through video conferencing
18th June, 2021 11:45 AM onwards



Facilitated by:

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FOIR e-newsletter

Title – “Regulatory Digest”

FOIR has issued/circulated the following bi-monthly eNewsletter:

- Regulatory Digest –FOIR eNewsletter (Mar-April 2021)
- Regulatory Digest –FOIR eNewsletter (May-June 2021)
- Regulatory Digest –FOIR eNewsletter (July-Aug 2021)
- Regulatory Digest –FOIR eNewsletter (Sep-Oct 2021)

Research/study of FOIR

- **Research on "Development of Performance Evaluation Mechanism for Regulatory Bodies in India"**
 - Final Report submitted to FOIR secretariat
- **Research on "The response of Indian Regulators to the COVID-19 Pandemic"**
 - Final Report submitted to FOIR secretariat

WAY FORWARD FOR 2022-23

Proposed activities 2022-23

- Open Dialogue & Colloquium for Group 1 or Commission
- Capacity building programs for Group 2 & Group 3 officers
- Refresher Course for open Group
- Quarterly Webinars & Webinars Series
- Bi-monthly Newsletters/ Regulatory Blogs & FOIR Journals
- FOIR International Conference / Workshop
- 3-Months Online Certification Course- 4th & 5th

Other activities 2022-23

- FOIR Contemporary Research/Study
- Quizzes & Competition
- Other administrative activities.

Thank you

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