



Indian Transformer Manufacturers Association

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Sub: i) Witnessing of the testing of samples by the representatives of the industry
ii) Hosting of the test reports on the website and
iii) Delay in testing of samples of DTs for BIS certification

Dear Sir,

This has reference to the directions given by the Hon'ble Union Minister of Power on the issues of transformer industry during the valedictory function of the International Conference on Transformers in Mumbai 5th June 2015 and subsequent follow up meeting convened by BIS on 15th June 2015 at New Delhi.

You are aware that at the instance of the stakeholders present in the conference, you had agreed and given your consent to Hon'ble Minister to allow the representative of the manufacturer to witness the testing of the samples at your laboratory and also to host the test report on your website for the information of all concerned wherein no BIS involvement was required for during the same.

Some of our prominent members have informed during the Executive Council Meeting held on 5th August 2015 that the representatives of the manufacturers are not being allowed to witness the tests nor the test results are being provided to them. Besides the test results are not being hosted on the website for sake of transparency. Further the test reports are also not being forwarded within 3 to 5 days to BIS after receipt of samples for testing, for BIS Certification as per IS1180 (part-I/2014), as agreed in the conference.

You are requested to do the needful accordingly as was assured during confirmation sought by the Hon'ble Minister in his address on 5th June 2015 at Mumbai for witnessing of the testing of samples by the representatives of the industry, hosting of the test reports on the website and timely testing of samples and sending the test reports of DTs to BIS for certification.

Thanking you

Yours Faithfully

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DIRECTOR GENERAL

C.C. To: Shri R.K. Mittal, DDG (Certification)/C, BIS, New Delhi: with a request to inform all the regional and branch offices of BIS for compliance.