LEED Existing Building Operations and Maintenance V.4 – India ACPs

LEED Dynamic Plaque

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Background

This presentation covers two of the key activities that TERI and USGBC are collaborating on:

• Development and operationalization of Alternative Compliance Paths (ACPs) for LEED EBOM V.4 for India; and
• Operationalization of LEED Dynamic Plaque in India
PHASE – 1 ACPs

Following ACPs have been approved as part of Phase – 1 by LEED Steering Committee in January 2015:

– Prerequisite: EQ - Minimum Indoor Air Quality Performance
– Credit: EQ – Thermal Comfort
– Credit: EQ – Interior Lighting
– Credit: EA – Renewable Energy and Carbon offset

CREDIT: EQ - MINIMUM INDOOR AIR QUALITY PERFORMANCE

CREDIT INTENT :

• To contribute to the comfort and well-being of building occupants by establishing minimum standards for indoor air quality (IAQ).
For Mechanically Ventilated

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**CPCB** - Central Pollution Control Board  
**NAAQS** – National Ambient Air Quality Standards  
**NBC** – National Building Code

Naturally Ventilated Spaces (including Mixed-mode systems – when mechanical systems are inactive)

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**BIS SP-41** – Bureau of Indian Standards Special Publication 41
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| Requires buildings to have a permanent monitoring system to ensure ongoing building performance to the **desired thermal comfort criteria**, as specified by ASHRAE Standard 55–2010 | **Alternative Compliance Path** allows projects in **India** to use the **NBC 2005** as an alternative to **ASHRAE 55-2010** thermal comfort condition requirements. 

*India specific Adaptive Comfort standard to be included once published.*
CREDIT: EQ – INTERIOR LIGHTING

CREDIT INTENT:

- To promote occupants’ productivity, comfort, and well-being by providing high-quality lighting

ACP ADDITION:

- Establishment Option 2: Lighting Quality - Additional Strategy (No. 9)
  
  Assuring minimum lux levels are achieved in the building

  Projects in India may, in all regularly occupied spaces, meet or exceed the lower illuminance levels listed in the Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) code - IS 3646 recommended Illumination levels
CREDITS WITH ACPs developed as part of LEED EBOM 2009

CREDIT: EA – RENEWABLE ENERGY AND CARBON OFFSETS, PERFORMANCE

ACP:
Allows projects in India to purchase RECs sold on power exchanges that operate REC trading with approval from the India Central Electricity Regulatory Commission (CERC), with additional parameters, as an alternative to Green-e Certified RECs.
CREDITS WITH ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE

Additional Guidance has been added to the following Credits

- Prerequisite : SS – Site Management Policy
- Credit: SS – Site Development-Protect or Restore Habitat
- Credit: SS – Heat Island Reduction
- Prerequisite: WE – Indoor water use reduction
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- Prerequisite: EA – Energy Efficiency Best Management Practices
- Credit: EA – Existing Building Commissioning – Analysis
- Prerequisite: EA – Energy Efficiency Best Management Practices
- Credit: EQ – Interior Lighting
- Credit: MR – Purchasing–Ongoing
The LEED Dynamic Plaque is a building performance monitoring and scoring platform that tracks the measured performance of the building across five categories:

- Energy
- Water
- Waste
- Transportation
- Human Experience

This plaque displays a LEED performance score, which reflects the measured performance of the building across these categories, providing annual recertification and global benchmarking.
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