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## Inauguration of 25KV AC Overhead Electrification works at CDY

25KV AC Overhead Electrification works for Railway Controlled Tracks of East Cost Railways in Central Dispatch Yard (CDY) area of Visakhapatnam Steel Plant was inaugurated by Sri PK Rath, CMD, RINL and Sri CK Srivastava, DRM, E.Co. Rlys on 11th Nov"2020.



Photo Caption: Sri PK Rath, CMD, RINL and Sri CK Srivastava, DRM, E.Co. Rlys inaugerating the 25KV AC Overhead ElectrificationatCDY

Central Dispatch Yard (CDY) is a unique project of RINL-VSP which improves the in-bound and out-bound logistics. It was built at a cost of Rs 320 crore and spared in 200 acre-area inside the plant. The Yard is equipped with state of the art facilities like unloading area, stacking area, traffic and marketing building. The new yard would facilitate improvement in logistics in a smooth manner at a single location with rake retention time coming down significantly. There are four static rail weigh-bridges and road weigh-bridges. The CDY has own signalling systems, loading and dispatch yard with loading platforms with a track length of 3.76 kilometres. This OHE system at CDY facilitates the central dispatch of the products of VSP through railway rakes form this yard. The length of the total OHE system is 9.33 Km. In the execution of this job, M/s Dastur, M/s SRCC and M/s ETOE were involved. This work involves 255 nos. of OHE masts. Sr.DOM, E.Co. Rlys, Railway senior officials, Directors, EDs and senior officials of RINL-Vizag Steel were present on the occasion.



Photo Caption: Sri PK Rath, CMD, RINL and Sri CK Srivastava, DRM, E.Co. Rlys flagging off the first train on the 25KV AC Overhead Electrified track at CDY

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