



## 2ND COMPETITION ON LOW COST AUTOMATION (LCA)

Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> April 2024, Centre for Excellence, Jamshedpur

### GUIDELINES FOR PARTICIPATING TEAMS

1. Company having plant in the Eastern Region can participate
2. Kindly make sure that each column of reply form is filled, the duly filled in Reply form should reach to ACMA on or before **12<sup>th</sup> April 2024**
3. The team would consist maximum of 2 members.

**Important points to be taken care by the participating teams is as follows:-**

### LCA (Low Cost Automation):-

1. Focus should be on **Safety, Quality, Cost & Delivery.**
2. Savings in terms of value, process improvements, product, costs (cost in terms of energy saving, tooling, etc.) to be demonstrated
3. LCA involving Expenditure of huge capital will not be accepted. **Where LCA ROI ( Return on Investment) < 12 months & LCA equipment cost = Cost of bill of materials.**
4. **The winners will be judged by Jury (not from ACMA Member Companies).**
5. Time allotted for each presentation is 20 minutes. The break-up would be 15 minutes -- Presentation; 3 minutes – Question Answer Session and 2 minutes changeover.
6. Presentation should preferably have a video-clipping of Implemented Solution (Before & After video).
7. Project not more than one year old & not presented in any other forum/competition should be presented.
8. Final Presentation soft copy should reach on or before on **15<sup>th</sup> April 2024**
9. Audio-visual aids would be organized by ACMA.
10. Presentations should be made in the format provided by ACMA only.
11. Presentations may be in **Hindi or English. However, the slides (power point presentation) should be in English only.**
12. All Projects received would form part of the hand-out material in appreciation of the efforts put by the implementer.
13. The dress code for the team members should be company uniform or light shirt and dark trouser.
14. Jury`s Decision would be final and cannot be challenged.

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