



'Clean Air Blue Skies' Workshop

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On the occasion of '[International Day of Clean Air for Blue Skies](#)' on September 7, 2021 an online workshop '**Clean Air Blue Skies**' was organized in Jaipur, Jodhpur, Kota, Alwar and Udaipur districts of the state by Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board and Center for Science and Environment, Delhi.

Key Points

- The event was organized to create awareness among individuals, communities, corporates and the government about the importance of clean air for health, productivity, economy and environment.
- The workshop also provided a platform to diverse groups including urban local bodies, industry associations, academia and a large number of schools, civil society groups and media representatives. Around 287 schools of Rajasthan were invited for the event.
- Anand Mohan, member of **Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board**, presented an overview of the [National Clean Air Program](#) and **five non-attainment cities of Rajasthan** and shared his remarkable observations with CSEs and stakeholder agencies.
- It is noteworthy that to promote efforts to protect human health and improve air quality, '**International Day of Clean Air for Blue Sky**' is celebrated every year on 7 September.
 - This year's theme is 'Clean Air, Healthy Planet', which emphasizes the adverse health effects of air pollution, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic.
 - Its aim is to prioritize the need for clean air for all.

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