



National Energy Conservation Day 2024

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- Recently, on 14th December ([Energy Conservation 2024 Day](#)), the [Vice President](#) of India honored winners of the National Painting Competition.
- The event highlighted the scope of energy conservation through the [Energy Conservation \(Amendment\) Act of 2022](#).
 - **NECA:** The **National Energy Conservation Awards (NECA) 2024** recognized achievements across various sectors, receiving 752 applications and presenting 71 awards.
 - NECA was first presented on **14th December 1991**, which was declared as '**National Energy Conservation Day**'.
- The [Bureau of Energy Efficiency \(BEE\)](#), guided by the [Ministry of Power](#), awards industrial units, institutions, and establishments for reducing energy consumption on National Energy Conservation Day.
 - **BEE:** BEE was set up on 1st March 2002 under the provisions of the **Energy Conservation Act, 2001**.
- BEE promotes energy efficiency in India through initiatives like the [Standards and Labeling \(S&L\) Program](#), [Perform, Achieve and Trade \(PAT\) scheme](#), [Demand Side Management \(DSM\) programs](#), and public awareness campaigns, as per the [Energy Conservation Act of 2001](#).

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