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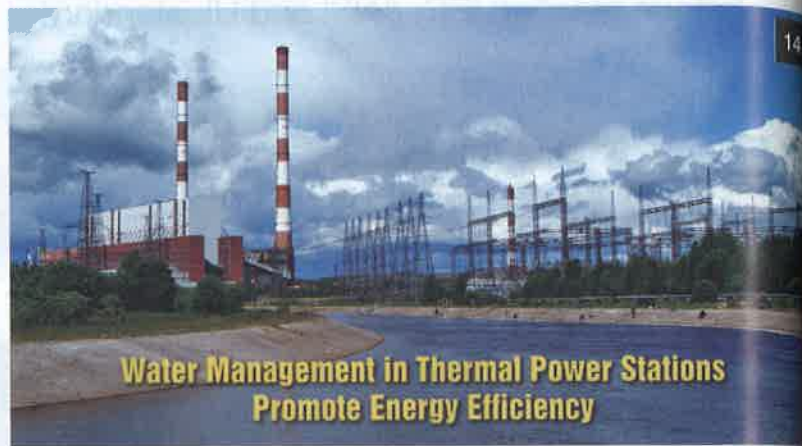
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The Central Board of Irrigation & Power and National Smart Grid Mission organised Workshop on Technical and Testing Challenges for Smart Meters on 2 - 3 November 2017 at Conference Hall of Central Board of Irrigation & Power, Malcha Marg, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi.

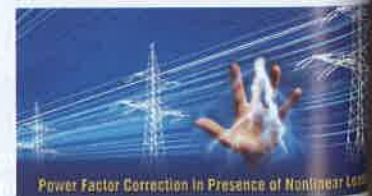
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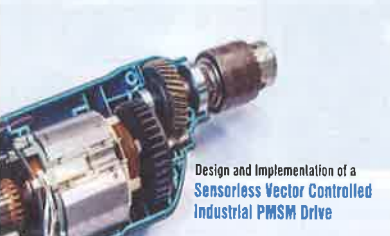
Changes in Automotive Industry: Opportunity for Electrical Manufacturers

An Announcement by the Hon. Minister for Surface Transport Mr. Nitin Gadkari in September 2017 has caused a turmoil in the Automotive industry in India. Government of India has taken an ambitious target of totally replacing conventional vehicles using IC (Internal Combustion) Engines by Electrical Vehicles (EV) by 2030 that is sustainable and totally inexhaustible. Most people are aware of photovoltaics (PV), and that solar panels can be used to generate electricity and produce hot water. Now experts have developed techniques to convert sunlight into "Solar Fuels."

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