

## **ECCJ dispatched experts to kick-off meeting in India to introduce “Energy Conservation Guidelines”**

### **[Project Summary]**

Under the instruction and financial support of Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI), for EE&C capacity building program, the Energy Conservation Center, Japan (ECCJ) is supporting introduction of “Energy Conservation Guidelines” to the Indian industrial sector as this fiscal year’s project for India. On November 17 (Thursday), last year, ECCJ dispatched experts to the kick-off meeting hosted by India Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE) to explain the outline of “Energy Conservation Guideline” and “Energy Management Manual” based on it, thus ECCJ cooperated in the initiation of the “Energy Conservation Guidelines” introduction project.



Kick-off meeting



Representatives of Indian companies listening to the explanation by the Japan side



All participants

To support effective promotion of “Perform, Achieve and Trade Scheme” (PAT) as an important energy conservation policy of the Indian industrial sector, the Japan side, as a project of this fiscal year, proposed introduction of “Energy Conservation Guidelines” which are proven to be effective in Japan, and BEE acknowledged their effectiveness and agreed to start studying their introduction. A kick-off meeting was accordingly convened at a main conference room of BEE with inviting representatives from seven major energy-consuming industries (iron-steel, thermal power generation, oil refinery, cement, textile, feed, and power transformation), where the explanation by the Japan side was actively discussed. As the next step, a workshop in Japan is scheduled in the end of January this year to enhance deeper understanding of the “Energy Conservation Guidelines” and “Energy Management Manuals”.