Award for Excellence in e-Governance Initiatives [2008-09] [Government of Madhya Pradesh]

Government of Madhya Pradesh recently announced the awards for Excellence in e-Governance initiatives for year 2008-09. The awards were presented by Hon'ble Minister for Information Technology [IT], Shri Kailash Vijayvargiya and Chief Secretary of the State, Shri Rakesh Sahani in a function held at Hotel Jehan Numa Palace, Bhopal on 6th June 2009. Products/projects, developed by NIC Madhya Pradesh, also bagged awards in two categories.

State Education Portal awarded as the best project under "IT for Masses" category. The project being executed for School Education Department, Tribal Welfare Department & Rajya Shiksha Kendra (RSK), whereas it is being initiated & coordinated by RSK. The award was received by Shri Manoj Jhalani (IAS), Commissioner, RSK and NIC technical team, includes Shri Sunil Jain, Technical Director, Shri Sanjay Garg, SSA & Shri Vipin Bose, SA. The portal helps the Departments to administer more than 1.1 Lac schools, 3.5 Lac teachers and monitor the competency levels of more than 1.6 Crore students. The portal acts as single sign-in for various automation applications and facilitates a common platform for the dissemination of information & collaboration between Departments and agencies working for School Education in the State.

Product GeoAmpere (Geomatics-based Application Model for Planning Distribution of Electricity to Rural Entities) implemented at Madhya Pradesh Paschim Kshetra Vidyut Vitaran Company Limited (MPPKVVCL), Indore selected for excellence in e-Governance initiatives. Shri Raghvendra Singh, CMD MPPKVVCL & Shri Vivek Chitale, Technical Director jointly received the award. On this occasion, Shri Chitale gave a brief presentation on GeoAmpere focusing the scope, features & impact made. GeoAmpere provides holistic view of entire Power Distribution Network (Sub-stations & Feeders) and facilitates Geomatics-based decision support.

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