YEAR AT A GLANCE

JAN - MAR

- "Web for the elderly" with accessible features is launched to provide elderly internet users with useful information such as safety tips on using electricity.
- "Green Energy Dreams Come True", a new HK Electric Smart Power Campaign initiative, helps students bring their green ideas to life. Twelve green projects, ranging from energy efficiency to renewables and sustainability are completed. The campaign culminates in an inspiring competition in December.





• A HK Electric symposium on trends and challenges in developing data centres attracts about 200 local IT practitioners.

• HK Electric commences food waste separation in support of the government's Food Wise Charter.

• HK Electric partners with district councils, Lamma rural committees and elderly service agencies to launch the "CAREnJOY" programme in March. Volunteers visit single elderly, help them buy bulky necessities and encourage them to get involved in the community.





• About 500 HK Electric employees participate in the World Environment Day by pledging to adopt a low-carbon lifestyle. Initiatives include improved waste reduction at source and recycling.

> • In response to the government's public consultation on future development



of the electricity market, HK Electric reaffirms its conviction that maintaining current regulatory regime is the best way forward for Hong Kong.

APR - JUN

- HK Electric organises the "Smart Power Fund Seminar" for about 200 participants including representatives from district councils, owners' corporations and management companies to enhance awareness of building energy efficiency.
- Qatar Investment Authority acquires a 19.9% strategic stake in HKEI and becomes the third largest shareholder.
- 11 local retirees named "Outstanding Third Age Citizens" in a biennial award scheme organised by HK Electric and The Hong Kong Council of Social Service for their dedication to lifelong learning, leading a healthy lifestyle and serving the community.



JUL - SEP



- Construction for a new gas-fired generating unit (L10) is underway – contract for power block equipment is conditionally awarded to Mitsubishi Corporation before formal government approval.
- HK Electric launches an "Eco-Quality Home" YouTube Channel to promote a green and quality living environment.



- Riding on HK Electric's 125th anniversary, employees are invited to share their most treasured photos of memorable times along its long history.
- HKEI launches a new corporate website, featuring a modern and visual-based look and feel, plus user-friendly navigation.
- A new "Safety Excellence Scheme" is introduced to promote workplace safety and recognise employees' efforts towards incident-free operation.





- HK Electric decides to reduce tariff for 2016 by 1.5 cents per unit of electricity, meaning that all 572,000 HK Electric customers will enjoy on average a 1.1% tariff reduction.
- HKEI's finance company issues US\$250 million of zero coupon bonds listed on the Taipei Exchange to secure long-term funding.
- HK Electric organises a seminar cum exhibition to support wider EV use and introduce "Drive EV Charge Easy" – a one-stop service for setting up EV charging facilities in buildings. Free EV charging services will be available until the end of 2016.

OCT - DEC

- HK Electric Institute collaborates with The Hong Kong Polytechnic University to enhance teaching and learning opportunities for future engineers.
- More than 1,200 people join the Green Hong Kong Green Eco-tour Festival 2015 which promotes eco-tourism and environmental awareness.

