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KETEP Project

- Initial testing of Rotating Disc Apparatus (RDA) at Ruby Iron workshop completed
- Delivery of RDA at TTL and installation of the same in progress
- Design of 5 kW Cross-flow turbine completed & manufacturing drawing in progress

Fourth TTL Anniversary Issue Distribution

 Distribution of TTL fourth anniversary issue magazine to Royal Norwegian Embassy, NORAD, contributors and stakeholders

Refurbishment of Khimti Power Plant

- Recommendation document for the Khimti power plant electro-mechanical damage (due to the 2015 earthquake and its aftershocks) refurbishment submitted
- Document based on site thorough inspection at Khimti, research conduction and discussion held between NTNU and KU officials at TTL on the occasion of its fourth anniversary

RenewableNepal Project

Submission of RNB-15-PID-02 project audit report

Collaboration with Field Ready Organization

- Visit by <u>Field Ready</u> 'humanitarian supplies made-in-the-field'.
- Discussion on possible collaboration regarding 3D printing of the humanitarian supplies

Publications

Binaya Baidar, Sailesh Chitrakar, Ravi Koirala, Hari P. Neopane, 2015, Selection of optimal number of Francis runner blades for a sediment laden micro hydropower plant in Nepal, International Journal of Fluid Machinery and Systems (IJFMS), Vol. 8, No. 4 (Oct-Dec) p. 294-303



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