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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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**Naperville, IL** – The Turbine Inlet Cooling Association (TICA) is pleased to announce that during the 2024 Western Turbine Users Inc (WTUI) Conference (March 24-27 in Palm Springs, CA), TICA will recognize turbine users/owners/operators, who have demonstrated the successful implementation and use of at least one turbine inlet cooling (TIC) technology for a GE aero-derivative gas turbine.

TICA will give one award for each TIC technology and present awards during the luncheon on Tuesday, March 26. Each awardee must be present at the conference to accept the award.

TICA will use the following criteria for evaluating the nominations:

1. Total number of turbines using TIC (20%)
  2. Total kW power increase due to TIC system (20%)
  3. Percent increase in capacity by TIC (20%)
  4. Age of TIC installations: The older the TIC system, the better the score (20%)
  5. Noteworthy/innovative details of the TIC system or its use (20%)
- Each awardee will receive a plaque for display at the power plant
  - TICA will post the awardee names and systems info on its website and LinkedIn page
  - TICA will develop a press release with awardee names, and their system highlights
  - TICA will offer Free TICA membership for one year
  - Each awardee will \$100 VISA gift card

**The deadline for submitting nominations is February 19, 2024**

1. Please complete all required Information on the nomination form below and submit it to Dharam Punwani, TICA Executive Director, at [exedir@turbineinletcooling.org](mailto:exedir@turbineinletcooling.org)

**Turbine Inlet Cooling Award Nomination Form**

Nomination submitted by:

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*Nominee's Name and Title*

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*Agency/Organization*

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*Address*

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*City*

*State*

*Zip Code*

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*Phone*

*Fax*

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*Email*

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*Turbine Model(s)*

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*Type of TIC System(s) in Use (e.g. evap media, fogging, wet compression, chillers, chillers with thermal storage, or hybrid system)*

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*Number and Ages of TIC Installations*

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*Total MW and % Power Increase*

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*Percent Power Increase*

Additional Information (e.g. history and noteworthy details of TIC operation):