

**TECHNICAL EXPERT MEETING
ON RENEWABLE ENERGY SUPPLY:**

MORE FASTER NOW

3 June 2015, 09:30 – 16:30

Provisional programme

9:30 – 10:00 OPENING AND SCENE-SETTING

Opening remarks

- ADP Co-Chairs
- Meeting facilitator – **Mr. Amit Kumar (India)**

Keynote presentations

- Enhanced action on climate change: opportunities in renewable energy – International Renewable Energy Agency – IRENA – **Ms. Angela Churie Kallhaug**
- Deep de-carbonization pathways – Institute for Sustainable Development and International Relations – IDDRI – **Mr. Thomas Spencer**

Questions and Answers

10:00 – 11:00 SESSION 1: POLICIES, PRACTICES AND ACTIONS-UNLOCKING POTENTIAL ON THE GROUND NOW

Expert panel: *Experts share experience on capitalizing on renewable energy potential, lessons learned, challenges and plans for further scaling up*

- **United Arab Emirates'** journey towards economic diversification – **Mr. Majid Al Suwaidi**
- The sustainable production of low carbon fuels – GranBio, Brazil – **Mr. Alan Hiltner**
- Lessons from **Sweden** – **Ms. Marie Karlberg**
- The business case for accelerating climate action – We Mean Business initiatives on renewable energy – WBCSD – **Mr. Edward Cameron**

Questions and Answers

11:00 – 13:00 SESSION 2: LEVERAGING SCALABLE, REPLICABLE AND TRANSFORMATIVE SUPPORT EFFORTS

- Accelerating the clean energy transition: **Bloomberg** New Energy Finance – **Mr. Angus McCrone**

WORK IN TWO PARALLEL BREAK-OUT GROUPS

Participants discuss options to bring action to fruition, mobilize finance, technology and capacity and ways of overcoming barriers (what is happening on financing and policy fronts).

Group A: Distributed generation – Moderator: Astonfield Renewable Resources – **Mr. Sourabh Sen**

- Expert panel:
 - Distributed generation and integration: Technology Executive Committee – TEC – **Mr. Kunihiko Shimada**
 - Business and Policy Frameworks for Successful Mini-grid Rollouts: European Union Energy Initiative Partnership Dialogue Facility – **Mr. Michael Franz**
 - Scalable and replicable public private partnerships: Hybrid mini grid PPP for rural electrification in Mali – **Mr. Ibrahim Maiga**
 - Financial instruments for distributed generation: Green Climate Fund – GEF – **Mr. Rutger De Witt Weijnen**
- Moderated discussion

Group B: Policies and financial incentives, including feed-in tariff – Moderator: Centre for Clean Air Policy – **Mr. Ned Helme**

- Expert panel:
 - The role of public policy, finance and other incentives in mobilizing renewable energy investments:– Low Carbon Finance Group & Associate Fellow, Chatham House – **Ms. Kirsty Hamilton**
 - The UK small-scale feed-in tariff scheme: United Kingdom – **Mr. Gareth Redmond**
 - Renewable Energy Independent Power Producer Procurement Programme – South Africa – **Mr. Thapelo Letete**
 - Financial instruments for renewable energy – Banco BICE – **Mr. Rodrigo Volic**
- Moderated discussion

13:00 – 13:30 BRIEFING ON SUPPORT TO DEPLOYMENT OF RENEWABLE ENERGY –
UNFCCC institutions and other international organizations

15:00 – 16:20 SESSION 3: MORE AND FASTER RENEWABLE ENERGY NOW THROUGH THE “ACCELERATOR PARTNERSHIPS”: TURNING POTENTIAL INTO ACTION ON THE GROUND

- Reporting back by the break-out group moderators

Panelists share information on international partnerships that are/will in the near future assist countries capitalize on their renewable energy potential

- Africa Group Renewable Energy Partnership Proposal – **Mr. HusseinAlfa Nafu**
 - Clean Energy Ministerial – **Mr. Daniel Noll**
 - SIDS lighthouse initiative – IRENA – **Mr. Emanuele Taibi**
 - Global Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Fund – **Mr. Guenter Fischer**
 - REN21 – **Ms. Laura Williamson**
- Interactive discussion on how to turn potential into action on the ground

12:30 – 13:00 CLOSING

- Closing remarks by the meeting facilitator