

NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON “ENERGY SECURITY AND GREEN GROWTH IN INDIA: ARE WE ON THE RIGHT PATH?”

Monday, October 05, 2015 | New Delhi

AGENDA

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| 14:00 – 14:30 | Registration |
| 14:30 – 16:00 | Inaugural Session |
| <i>Welcome Address</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pradeep S Mehta, Secretary General, CUTS International |
| <i>Introductory Remarks</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marc Saxer, Resident Representative, Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung, India |
| <i>Keynote Addresses</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jairam Ramesh, Member of Parliament & Former Environment Minister, Government of India |
| <i>Inaugural Address</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Suresh Prabhakar Prabhu, Union Minister of Railways, Government of India |
| 16:00 – 16:30 | Tea Break |
| 16:30 – 18:00 | High Level Panel Discussion on “Are we on the right path to achieve energy security & address climate challenges?” |
| <i>Chair</i> | Kirit Parikh, Chairman, Integrated Research and Action for Development |
| <i>Panellists</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Abhilakh Singh, General Manager, Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency Ltd • V S Ailawadi, Chief Mentor- Corporate & Regulatory Affairs, Tata Teleservices Limited • Ramesh Jalan, Resource Person, Climate Change Community, United Nations Development Programme • T. Harinarayana, Director, Gujarat Energy Research and Management Institute • Karthik Ganesan, Senior Research Associate, Council on Energy, Environment and Water • Anant Sudarshan, India Director, Energy Policy Institute at Chicago University |
| 18:00 – 18:15 | Tea Break |
| 18:15 – 19:45 | High level Panel Discussion on “Paradigm Discourse Steering as a tool for Policy Shaping” |
| | Presentation by Marc Saxer, Resident Representative, Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung, India |

Chair

Sanjaya Baru, Director for Geo-economics and Strategy, International Institute for Strategic Studies

Panellists

- Narendra Taneja, National Convener, Energy Cell, Bharatiya Janata Party
- Vinod Vyasulu, Consulting Economist, Centre for Budget and Policy Studies
- Ray R Sudweeks, First Secretary for Energy Affairs, Embassy of the United States of America
- S P Gon Chaudhuri, Chairman, Ashden India Renewable Energy Collective

19:45 – 22:00

Networking Dinner
