Competition Reforms in Key Markets for Enhancing Social & Economic Welfare in Developing Countries

2nd MEETING OF NRG MEMBERS, CREW
2nd July 2014, New Delhi

Venue: Conference Room II, Second Floor, Main Building, India International Centre, 40, Max Mueller Marg, Lodhi Estate, New Delhi, Delhi 110003

Time: 0930 – 1415 (Followed by Lunch)

Registration: 0900 onwards

0930-1000hrs: Welcome & Introduction
- Welcome Address by Pradeep S Mehta, Secretary General, CUTS International
- Special remarks, Subir Gokarn, Director (Research), Brookings Institution India

1000-1130hrs: Presentation on Research Findings – Staple Food Sector (Wheat)
By Indicus Analytics
Chair: Joint Secretary, Sanjeev Chopra, Department of Agriculture
- Invited Comments (5-7 minutes each) by key institutions:
  i. Dr. V.C. Mathur, Indian Agricultural Research Institute
  ii. Mr. Ajay Vir Jhakar, Bharat Krishak Samaj
  iii. Mr. Ashok Vishan Dass, Commission for Agricultural Costs and Prices
  iv. Mr. Rohit Pajni, ITC
- Floor discussion

1130 -1145hrs: Tea Break

1145 – 1315hrs: Presentation on Research Findings – Bus Transport Sector
By Indicus Analytics
Chair: Member Secretary, Ajay Shankar, National Manufacturing Competitiveness Council
- Invited Comments (5-7 minutes each) by key institutions:
  i. Chittranjan Dass, All India Confederation of Goods Vehicle Owners Association
  ii. Prof. Siva Sriraman, University of Mumbai
  iii. TCA Srinivas Raghavan, Associate Editor, Business Line
- Floor Discussion

1315 – 1400hrs: Forthcoming Activities of CREW
- Overview of Advocacy Activities, including Introduction to Framework for Competition Reforms (FCR) by CUTS
- Floor Discussion

1400 – 1420hrs: Closing and Way Forward
- Remarks by Mr. Augustine Peter, Competition Commission of India
- Remarks by Mr. Anil Bhardwaj, Ministry of Corporate Affairs
- Remarks by Poonam Pandey, GIZ
- Remarks by Pradeep S. Mehta, Secretary General, CUTS International

1415hrs: Lunch