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National Conference

'Sustainable Energy in India - Way Forward for Energy Security'

Saturday, 23rd March, 2013, New Delhi

09:30 – 10:00	Registration
10:00 – 11:00	Opening: 'Role of sustainable energy towards energy security in India' <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bipul Chatterjee, Deputy Executive Director, CUTS International• Deepak Gupta, Senior Programme Manager (Power), Shakti Sustainable Energy Foundation• Praveen Saxena, Director, Ministry of New & Renewable Energy• Dr. Ketan Shukla, Secretary, Gujarat Electricity Regulatory Commission• Prasad Ranjan Ray, Chairperson, West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission
Vote of thanks	Udai S. Mehta, Associate Director, CUTS International
11:00 – 11:30	Break
11:30 – 13:00	Session I: Consumers Perception on Demand Side Management and Renewable Energy in Gujarat and West Bengal
Chair:	Prasad Ranjan Ray, Chairperson, West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission
Presentation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Gujarat - Ankur Baruah, Project Officer, Vikram Sarabhai Centre for Development Interaction• West Bengal – Keya Ghosh, Director, CUTS, Calcutta Resource Centre

Discussants:

- Omkar Jani, Principal Scientist, Gujarat Energy Research and Management Institute
- R Gopichandran, Director, Vigyan Prasar, Dept. of Science & Tech, Govt. of India
- S P Gon Chaudhuri, Head, Ashden India Collective
- D P Joshi, IAS, Director, Gujarat Energy Development Agency
- Sushobhan Bhattacharya, Director-in-Charge, West Bengal Renewable Energy Development Agency

13:00 – 14:00

Lunch (CUTS Video Documentary)

14:00 – 16:00

Roundtable Discussion on 'Policy reforms for sustainable energy security in India'

Chair:

Kirit S Parikh, Chairman, Integrated Research for Action & Development

Discussants:

- Bipul Chatterjee, Deputy Executive Director, CUTS International
- Ashish Khanna, Lead Energy Specialist, South Asia, World Bank
- Prititosh Ray, Member, Governing Body, West Bengal Renewable Energy Development Agency
- R N Pandya, Sr. Project Executive, Gujarat Energy Development Agency
