SASEC Energy Working Group Meeting
5 November 2014
Hyatt Regency, Kathmandu, Nepal

Provisional Agenda

Chair: Mr. Rajendra K. Kshatri, Secretary, Ministry of Energy
Co-Chair: Mr. Hun Kim, Director General, South Asia Department, ADB

4 November

1930 – 2130 Cocktails for TFTWG and EWG Delegates, hosted by the Ministry of Finance, Government of Nepal and the Asian Development Bank

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0830 – 0900 Registration

0900 – 0930 Session 1: Opening Session

- Welcome remarks: Mr. Madhu K. Marasini, Joint Secretary & Chief, International Economic Cooperation Coordination Division, Ministry of Finance
- Opening remarks by Chair: Mr. Rajendra K. Kshatri, Secretary, Ministry of Energy
- Opening remarks by Co-Chair: Mr. Hun Kim, Director General, South Asia Department, ADB
- Keynote address by Chief Guest: H.E. Ms. Radha Kumari Gyawali, Minister of Energy

0930 – 1000 Session 2: Brief Statements by Country Delegations

- Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal, Sri Lanka (5 minutes each)

1000 – 1005 Group Photo

1005 – 1020 Coffee/Tea Break

1020 – 1120 Session 3: SASEC Energy Sector: Progress and Future Directions

- Review of ongoing projects
- Future directions and new initiatives
1120 – 1220  Session 4: SASEC Electricity Transmission Utility Forum (SETUF) and SASEC Energy Efficiency Initiatives (EEI)

- Report on the SETUF
- Report on EEI
- Future directions and new initiatives

1220 – 1305  Session 5: SASEC Program-wide Items

- Updates on other ADB-supported subregional cooperation programs
- Proposed SASEC 2025: Objectives, scope, timeline of preparation
- SASEC Knowledge Network: Concept for consideration
- Other Matters

1305 – 1435  Lunch hosted by ADB

1435 – 1535  Session 6: Consideration of Meeting Summary

- Review of the draft meeting summary
- Signing of the meeting summary

1535 – 1605  Session 7: Closing Session

- Closing remarks by Chair: Mr. Rajendra K. Kshatri, Secretary, Ministry of Energy
- Closing remarks by Co-Chair: Mr. Hun Kim, Director General, South Asia Department, ADB

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