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# EU India Air Quality Initiative

## India's National Air Quality Strategy and Local Action Plans in cities

Agenda for Air Quality Conference  
New Delhi, India (21-22 May 2018)

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# DAY 1: National level consultation



Time	Session	Speaker
09:00 am	Registration & Refreshments	Welcome Team
<b>SESSION 1 : Inaugural</b>		
10:00am 10:45am	Welcome and Opening Remarks: EU initiatives in India with implications on Air Quality: Programs, Actions and Future Opportunities	Ms Henriette Faergemann, Counsellor, Environment, Energy & Climate Change at EU Delegation to India
	Opening address	Shri N. Sundaray, Joint Secretary, MoEFCC
	Initiatives on air quality in India	Shri S.P. Singh Parihar, Chairman, CPCB
	Role of NGOs and research institutes	Dr Ajay Mathur, Director General, TERI
	Role of environmental activism	Mr. M.C. Mehta, M.C. Mehta Environmental Foundation
	Initiatives by MoEFCC and NCAP	Shri C.K. Mishra Secretary, MoEFCC
	EU's role in strengthening EU India cooperation on environment	H.E. Tomasz Kozlowski, Ambassador of the European Union to India (TBC)
	Inaugural address	Dr Mahesh Sharma, Hon'ble Minister of State for Environment, Forest & Climate Change
	Vote of thanks	Dr Shruti Rai Bhardwaj, Director, MoEFCC
10:45am-11:00am	<b>Morning Tea/Coffee Break</b>	
<b>SESSION2 - Air quality in India and National Clean Air Program (NCAP)</b>		
11:00am-11:05am	Welcome and Introductions	Mr Sanjay Dhawan (Project Director, AETS)

11:05 am-1:45 pm	<p><i>Moderator: Dr. Prodipto Ghosh (TERI)</i></p> <p>Air quality Scenario in India and NCAP scene setting- MoEFCC</p> <p>Action plan for implementation of NCAP- CPCB</p> <p>Air quality management in India: EU initiative</p> <p>8-Minutes presentations from 15 state representatives (15 x 8= 120 mins)</p>	<p>Dr Shruti Rai Bhardwaj, MoEFCC</p> <p>Dr Prashant Gargava, CPCB</p> <p>Dr Ana Grossinho (AETS), and Dr Sumit Sharma (TERI)</p> <p>SPCBs representatives</p>
1:45pm-2:45 pm	<b>Lunch</b>	

### SESSION 3 – SHARING BEST PRACTICES AND LESSONS LEARNT FROM THE EUROPE

2:45 pm- 4:15 pm	<p><i>Moderator : Dr Ana Grossinho (AETS)</i></p> <p>Successful EU Measures to control emissions in EU cities</p> <p>Highlights from a successful strategy in Berlin</p> <p>Ambient Air Monitoring using Low Cost Sensors</p> <p>Matrix of Measures for consideration: Methods and outcomes</p> <p>Discussions</p>	<p>Prof. Ana Miranda, University of Aveiro Portugal</p> <p>Dr Martin Lutz, Senate, Department for Environment, Transport and Climate Protection, Head of Sector Germany</p> <p>Dr. Jim Mills, Air Quality Monitors UK</p> <p>Dr Douglas Clark, Denmark</p>
4:15pm -4:30pm	<b>Tea Break</b>	
4:30 pm-5:30 pm	<p>Panel discussion: What needs to be done to move forward and how can the EU help</p> <p><i>Moderator: Prof. Mukesh Khare, IIT Delhi</i></p> <p>Updating legislation/policy</p> <p>Role of industry in control</p> <p>Development of robust national emission inventory?</p> <p>Extensively extend National Air Quality Monitoring Network using LCS</p> <p>Adopt a National Air Quality Model to evaluate success of measures?</p>	<p>Ms. Anumita Roy Choudhary (CSE)</p> <p>Dr. Seema Arora (CII)</p> <p>Dr. SPS Parihar (CPCB)</p> <p>EU speaker</p> <p>EU speaker</p>
5:30 pm-5:45 pm	Summary of the Day and closing remarks of Day 1	<p>Dr Ana Grossinho</p> <p>Dr. Sumit Sharma</p>

## DAY 2: State level consultations

Time	Session	Speaker
09:00am	Registration & Refreshments	Welcome Team
09:30am-10:00am	Welcome and Introduction to the day	Mr Sanjay Dhawan (Project Director, AETS)
<b>SESSION 4 – State Board Consultations</b>		
09:35am-09:45am	Chair's Welcome and Opening Remarks Small beginnings, Big vision: The pilot three cities– rolling out to other mega cities in India	Ms Henriette Faergemann, Counsellor Environment Energy & Climate Change at EU Delegation to India
09:45am-10:45am	Moderator: Dr Ana Grossinho  City level presentations Goa (15min), Raipur(15min), Bangalore (15min) presentations – sharing drafting LAP experiences & views on NCAP What we have learnt What is easy to implement What we could do with more help on How to share experiences with other cities in India?	Chairman, Goa SPCB Chairman, Raipur SPCB Chairman, Bangalore SPCB
<b>10-45am-11:00am Tea/Coffee Break</b>		
<b>SESSION 5 – Making it an integrated system: linking national and local measures</b>		
11:00am-11:30am	How does it work in the EU	Dr Ana Grossinho
11:30am-12:45pm	Panel discussion: How can it work in NCR and India <i>Moderator: Dr Prashant Gargava (CPCB)</i>	Chairman, DPCC Chairman, PSPCB Chairman, HSPCB Chairman, UPPCB Chairman, RSPCB
12:45pm-1:00pm	Summary report of the Conference and concluding remarks	Dr. Sumit Sharma (TERI)
<b>1:00 pm Networking lunch</b>		