

DSDS 2013 Special Event on “Biomass based Decentralized Energy Solutions”

January 29, 2013

Magnolia Hall, India Habitat Centre, New Delhi

TENTATIVE AGENDA

0900–1000 hrs	Registration
1000–1045 hrs	Inaugural session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome and opening remarks: Mr Amit Kumar, Regional Programme Advisor, REEEP South Asia Secretariat • Special Address: Mr Daniel Ziegerer, Director of Cooperation, Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC)/Embassy of Switzerland • Inaugural Address: Mr I A Khan, Advisor (Energy), Planning Commission • Vote of Thanks: Dr Shirish Sinha, Senior Thematic Advisor, SDC/Embassy of Switzerland
1045–1100 hrs	Tea break
1100–1145 hrs	Technical Session: Case studies and experiences Chair: Dr Veena Joshi, Senior Advisor, SDC/Embassy of Switzerland Presentations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rural electricity – Barriers to and incentives for promoting biomass gasifier based systems – Mr Sunil Dhingra, Senior Fellow, TERI • Biomass energy for MSME – Mr Sudhir Chandra, Chanderpur Works Pvt Ltd • REEEP Case study – Ms Nisha Menon, Dalkia Energy Services
1145–1245 hrs	Panel Discussion: Accelerated deployment of biomass energy based decentralized solutions for rural electrification and small-scale industries Chair: Mr Shailendra Shukla, Director, Chhattisgarh Renewable Energy Development Agency Panelists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Salil Kumar, AGM (DDG), REC • Mr Vishwajeet Sinha, Team Leader, GIZ • Dr D K Khare, Director, MNRE • Mr Sanjay Khazanchi, Smart Power for Environmentally-sound Economic Development (SPEED) • Mr Manoj Gautam*, AGM, SIDBI <p>*(to be confirmed)</p>
1245–1315 hrs	Open forum
1315 hrs	Lunch