

DRAFT PROGRAM

REGIONAL NETWORKING FORUM

Community-Based Integrated Energy Initiatives – The Way Forward for Thailand and its Neighbours

26-29 October 2014

Birds & Bees Resort, Pattaya, Thailand

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Co-organized by:

Population and Community Development Association (PDA)

Joint Graduate School of Energy and Environment (JGSEE)

Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung (KAS)



26 October 2014

Arrival of Participants from Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar, Vietnam and Upcountry Thailand

27 October 2014

08.30 – 11.00

Travel to Pattaya

11.00 – 11.30

Registration

11.30 – 13.00

Lunch

Session 1

13.00 – 13.30

Welcome and Overview of Forum by PDA, Thailand - confirmed

13.30 – 14.00

Introduction on Green Economy Initiatives of KAS by Michael Winzer, Country Representative of KAS, Thailand - confirmed

14.00 – 14.30

Cooperation of Thailand with AEC Countries on Energy and Environment by Mr. Banchong Amornchewin, Director Planning and Monitoring, Thai International Cooperation Agency (TICA) – confirmed

14.30 – 14.45

Q&A

14.45 – 15.15

Coffee Break

Session 2

15.15 – 17.00

Panel Discussion: Community-Based Integrated Energy Initiatives in Selected AEC Countries

Introduction and Moderation: Athikom Bangviwat, Joint Graduate School for Energy and Environment (JGSEE), Thailand

Panelists: Chantho Milattanapheng, Deputy Director General, Ministry of Energy and Mines, Institute of Renewable Energy Promotion, Lao PDR; Aung Myint, Secretary General, REAM, Myanmar; Heang Bora, Department of New and Renewable Energy, Ministry of Mines and Energy, Cambodia; Pruk Aggarangsi, Chiang Mai University, Thailand; Boonrod Sujjakulnukit, The Joint Graduate School of Energy and Environment, King Mongkut University of Technology Thonburi, Thailand

18.30

Networking Dinner

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Session 3

09.00 – 09.30

Community-Based Renewable Energy Projects of GIZ and the German Experience by Supalerk Kanasook, Dept. Renewable Energy, German International Cooperation (GIZ), Bangkok Office – confirmed

09.30 – 10.00

Partnership to Advance Clean Energy in India and Lessons for AEC by Peter du Pont, Vice-President NEXANT, Thailand - confirmed

10.00 – 10.15

Q&A

10.15 – 10.30

Coffee Break

Session 4

10.30 – 12.00

Panel Discussion: Private Sector and Financial Support for Community-Based Energy Initiatives

Introduction and Moderation: Robert Dobias, fmr. ADB Senior Advisor Climate Change, Thailand

Panelists: Tin Myint, Director, SUNTAC Technologies, Myanmar; n.n., KAMWORKS, Cambodia; Arthit Vechakij, Managing Director, Excellent Energy International, Bangkok; nn. KBANK, Bangkok; Markus Schultz, Regional Mgr., LORENTZ, Thailand; Andy Schroeter, CEO, SUNLABOB, Laos

12.00 – 13.15

Lunch

Session 5

13.15 – 14.45

Panel Discussion: NGO Involvement and Sustainability of Community-Based Renewable Energy Projects

Introduction and Moderation: Wolfgang Frank, Senior Advisor, Population and Community Development Association (PDA), Thailand

Panelists: Krailert Taweekul, Khon Kaen University, Thailand; n.n., MVF, Thailand; Hiromi Sekiguchi, BAJ-Vietnam; Emer Leahy, Country Director, PDI-Cambodia; Do Duc Khoi, Vietnam Union of Science and Technology Associations, Vietnam

14.45 – 15.00

Coffee Break

15.00 – 16.00

Summary, Outlook and Closing: by Wilas Techo, Vice-President, Population and Community Development Association (PDA), Thailand, and Forum Team

17.30

Buffet Dinner – Evening free

29 October 2014

09.00

Return to Bangkok