

Renewable Energy Roundtable

12 July 2017, Tungapuri Hotel, Naypyitaw, Myanmar

Time	Agenda Point
8.30am	Registration
9am	<p>Opening Ceremony</p> <p>Welcome Address by Mirco Kreibich, Office Director, HBS Myanmar</p> <p>Welcome Address by U Khin Maung Win, Managing Director, Electric Power Generation Enterprise (EPGE), Ministry of Electricity and Energy</p> <p>ERI documentary</p>
9.30am	<p>Energy Transition: experiences, chances and challenges</p> <p>U Tint Lwin Oo, Deputy Director, Department of Electric Power Planning, Ministry of Electricity and Energy Role of renewable energy in Myanmar's future energy mix and for access to energy</p> <p>Hans-Josef Fell, President, Energy Watch, former Member of German Parliament Experiences of the German Energy Transition: Historical development; legal basis; Germany's Renewable Energy Sources Act; feed-in tariff system; chances and challenges of Germany path to 100% renewables by 2050</p> <p>Do Minh Tam, GreenID Vietnam's energy future between coal and renewables: Chances and challenges of RE in Vietnam</p>
followed by	<p>Moderated roundtable discussion of all participants</p> <p>Moderator: Myint Zaw, Founder, Ju Foundation</p> <p><i>Guiding questions:</i></p> <p>Is 100% renewable energy in a poor country feasible?</p> <p>What are the prospects of renewable energy in Myanmar? What are pros and cons of renewables vis-à-vis fossil energy and large dams?</p> <p>What are the requirements to increase the share of renewable energy? What should be the priorities for this electoral period?</p>
11.15am	Coffee Break

11.45pm	<p>Technical feasibility and requirements of Renewable Energy development</p> <p>U Moe Thet, Director, Department of Power Transmission and System Control, Ministry of Electricity and Energy Expansion of the national grid in Myanmar and prospects and technical feasibility of on-grid renewable energy</p> <p>Hans-Josef Fell, President, Energy Watch, former Member of German Parliament Technical requirements of decentralized on-grid renewable energy production; grid stability; energy storage; combination technologies</p> <p>U Tin Myint, Suntac Technologies On-grid renewable energy power plants and off-grid renewable energy solutions: how quick to install? At what costs? And how reliable?</p> <p>Bill Gallery, International Finance Corporation (IFC) and former ADB mini-grid project leader Private sector approaches to off-grid renewable energy solutions</p>
followed by	<p>Moderated roundtable discussion of all participants</p> <p>Moderator: Hanna Hindström, Myanmar Campaigns Coordinator, ERI</p> <p><i>Guiding questions:</i> What are the technical challenges of renewable energy production? What are the grid requirements? What are the pros and cons of renewables vis-à-vis traditional energy sources? How quickly could production be implemented?</p>
1.15pm	Lunch break
2.30pm	<p>Economic and financial feasibility of Renewable Energy in Myanmar</p> <p>Daw Thuzar Khin, Director Loan and Grant Section, Foreign Economic Relations Department, Ministry of Planning and Finance Role of ODA and FDI in financing Myanmar's energy demands</p> <p>Shoon So Oo, Energy Manager, WWF Greater Mekong Alternative Energy Vision for Myanmar: Economic feasibility and financial costs of a 100% renewables vision for Myanmar</p> <p>Lin Tun, Quasar Resources LLC Price developments in renewable energy markets and financial feasibility of RE</p> <p>Dr. Binu Parthan, Principal, Sustainable Energy Associates, India, via video message Financing incremental costs through ODA and other sources of external assistance</p>
followed by	<p>Moderated roundtable discussion of all participants</p> <p>Moderator: Mirco Kreibich, Office Director, HBS Myanmar</p> <p><i>Guiding questions:</i> What are the price differentials between renewables and traditional energy sources? (When) will renewables financially be able to compete with traditional energy sources?</p>

	<p>What are the external economic costs of traditional energy sources? How will the dramatic developments in renewable energy markets change financial and economic feasibility in the future?</p>
4pm	Coffee Break
4.30pm	<p>Panel discussion: A renewable energy vision for Myanmar and the Energy Master Plans</p> <p>Daw Seng Raw Lahpai, Founder, Metta Foundation and Airavati Environmental and social impacts and costs of conflict related of traditional energy sources</p> <p>Moderator: Myint Zaw, Founder, Ju Foundation</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <p>Dr. Hla Myo Aung, Deputy Director and Head Renewable Energy Research Department, Department of Research and Innovation, Ministry of Education</p> <p>U Kyi Moe Naing, Member of Parliament, Chairman of Electricity and Energy Development Committee, Pyi Thu Hluttaw</p> <p>Prof. U Aung Myint, CEO, Renewable Energy Association Myanmar (REAM)</p>
5.45pm	Summary of discussion by Leon Aung Theik
6pm	End of event