



SAARC Energy Centre
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Webinar Agenda

Dissemination Webinar on

“Study to Investigate the Difficulties for Household Solar Home System (SHS) in SAARC Region”

Tuesday, 6 March 2018

1000 – 1005	Introduction
1005 – 1015	Opening remarks <i>Dr. Shoaib Ahmad, Acting Director, SAARC Energy Centre</i>
1015 – 1050	Overview of SHS Programmes in South Asia <i>Mr. Amit Kumar, Partner, M/s PricewaterhouseCoopers (Pvt.) Ltd.</i>
1050 – 1100	Q & A session
1100 – 1130	Challenges/constraints affecting growth of SHS in SAARC Region <i>Mr. Vibhash Garg, Director, M/s PricewaterhouseCoopers (Pvt.) Ltd.</i>
1130 – 1150	Q & A session
1150 – 1210	Key findings and Recommendations <i>Mr. Sandeep Mohanty, Associate Director, M/s PricewaterhouseCoopers (Pvt.) Ltd.</i>
1210 – 1230	Q & A session
1230 – 1300	Lunch Break
1300 – 1320	Role of Private sector in SHS <i>Mr. Nisar A. Latif, CEO, Solar Sigma Ltd., Pakistan</i>
1320 – 1350	Sharing Indian experience in SHS programme <i>Mr. Simran Grover, CEO, Bask Research Foundation, India</i>
1350 – 1400	Q & A session
1400 – 1420	Financing mechanisms for SHS Programmes <i>Mr. Pulkit Agrawal, AVP (Finance), Simpa Networks, India</i>
1420 – 1430	Q & A session
1430 – 1450	Operation and Maintenance of SHS: Case Study <i>Ms. Mafruda Rahman, Assistant Manager (GCF), IDCOL, Bangladesh</i>
1450 – 1545	Knowledge sharing session
1545 – 1555	Conclusions and Recommendations
1555 – 1600	Closing of Webinar

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