SAARC Dissemination Workshop on Study Report:

“Assess the Present Situation, Gaps in Capacity, Technology and Policy & Regulatory Instruments in Coal Sector in SAARC Member States”

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Title and Budget of the Study

Title: Study to Assess the Present Situation, Gaps in Capacity, Technology and Policy & Regulatory Instruments in Coal Sector in SAARC Member States

Budget: USD 30,000
Background & Introduction of the Study

Background:
• The First Meeting of the Expert Group on Technology and Knowledge Sharing of SAARC recommended this study in New Delhi.

Introduction:
• SAARC Energy Centre (SEC) has commissioned this under thematic programme area on “Successfully Implement Technology Transfer (POSIT)” in 2016.
• It was Out-sourced Study
• Awarded to Dr. Shahid Munir, Professor, University of Punjab, Lahore, Pakistan.
Selection Process for hiring the Expert

- The study was an out-sourced
- Advertisement floated to hire the expert(s) in early 2016.
- Nine proposals received from the experts
- Then after as per SEC’s practice, study was awarded to Dr. Shahid Munir associated with his technical team
- Three member were in a team (Dr. Muhammad Usman Rahim, Dr. Rizwan Haider and himself.
- Reviewer was Engr. Md Nazrul Islam from Bangladesh
Completion of the Report

- Time duration was four months
- Close monitoring with SEC coordinator.
- Submission of the draft report
- Selection of the Peer reviewer from SAARC MSs
- Mr. Nazrul Islam was reviewer of this report.
- Incorporated the comments given by reviewer
- Have final draft of report
Finalization of the Report

• Today we will receive valuable inputs/suggestions from esteem delegates in this workshop
• Will incorporate that in course of time.
• Will make it final and get it printed out for better disseminating the report to MSs
• Will also be available in SEC’s website
Term of Reference (TORs):

• Analysis of national usage, capacity, technologies used in production and end-use level of coal sector.
• Review of existing policies adopted by the SAARC Member States regarding coal.
• Review of existing institutional and regulatory frameworks related to coal production/mining, usages and coal power generation in SAARC Member States.
• Identification of barriers and suggested measures for increasing usage of coal in SAARC Member States.
• Share information on best suitable and available technology options and related best practices within SAARC region as well as advanced world.
• Assessment of coal related environmental impacts and sanctions (if any) for all Member States.
• Develop a set of actionable recommendations for intra-regional and inter-regional cooperation for promotion of coal in all Member States.
Deliverables

- A study report.
- This dissemination workshop.
- Actionable suggestions to implement and promotion of Coal usages in SAARC region.
Recommendations Given by the Author
The Workshop will cover the followings:

• Widely dissemination of the Study Report.
• Review the Coal reserve (Proven or Recoverable) in SAARC member states.
• Sharing the knowledge about the available Coal Technologies in SAARC region.
• Sharing the knowledge about using Clean Coal Technologies (CCTs) in SAARC region.
• Assess of Coal markets in SAARC region
• Receive the inputs/comments from distinguished participants from Member states and incorporate in the final report.
• Make the study report more comprehensive.
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