

# Convention on Corporate Response to Climate Change

## Eco – Investors Forum

8-10 June 2007, S M Convention Centre, Palampur (HP), India

### Combating Climate Change through Market Driven Solutions

#### PROGRAMME \*

#### Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> June 2007

Departure by Deluxe Air-conditioned Coach from Delhi to Palampur (Pre-reserved only) 2130 hrs

#### Friday, 8 June 2007

Delhi AC Coach Arrival at Palampur & Check-in at Hotels/guest houses 0930 hrs

**Registration** S M Convention Centre, Palampur 1000 hrs onwards  
**ENVIRIOMART – AN EXHIBITION SHOWCASING ECO FRIENDLY, LOW CARBON PRODUCTS, RENEWABLES, WELLNESS PRODUCTS – HEALTHY PLANET FOR HEALTHY PEOPLE** concurrently with the convention

**Plenary Session 1** **Himachal as an Eco-Investors Destination** 1130-1300 hrs  
Himachal, one of the greenest Indian States with the highest level of education, offers huge opportunities in eco-tourism, hydro power & renewable energy.

#### **Presentations by the State Government**

**Shri Virbhadra Singh**, Chief Minister H.P Govt

**Ms Vidya Stokes**, Minister of Power, HP

**B B Butail**, MLA & Political Advisor, Himachal Pradesh

**Avay Shukla, IAS, Principal Secretary, Tourism, HP Government**

**J P Negi**, IAS Principal Secretary Power, HP Government

**Lunch** S M Convention Centre, Palampur 1300 hrs

**Plenary Session 2** **All Change to Combat Climate Change** 1400 – 1730 hrs  
Leading brands turn the impending catastrophe into a business opportunity  
Enhance profits by cleaning up the planet

**Presentations** by top companies declared Finalists by the grand jury of the Global Peacock Environment Management Award

**Tea** 1530 – 1600 hrs

**Plenary Session – 3**      **Opening of Convention on Corporate Response to Climate Change**      1700-1830 hrs  
**Climate Change – An opportunity for creating sustainable wealth**

**Dr Karan Singh**, MP & Former Union Minister  
**Ola Ullsten**, former Prime Minister of Sweden & Chairman, WCFCG, UK  
**Justice P N Bhagwati**, former Chief Justice of India and Convention Chairman  
**Suresh Prabhu MP**, Former Union Minister for Environment  
**Dr Kirit Parikh**, Member, Planning Commission, India  
**Dr SZ Qasim**, Chairman World Environment Foundation  
**Dr Pradipto Ghosh**, Secretary Government of India, Ministry of Environment and Forests  
**Dr Madhav Mehra**, President, World Council for Corporate Governance, UK

**Plenary Session -4**      **Panel Discussion: Climate Change - Is it all Hot Air or a New Frontier?**      1845 – 2000 hrs

**Chairperson**      **Justice M N Venkatchalliah**, former Chief Justice of India

**Panelists**

**General V P Malik**, Former Chief of Army Staff & Director Reliance Energy  
**SS Kohli**, Chairman & Managing Director, Infrastructure Finance Corporation Limited  
**Lt. Gen. B S Dhaliwal**, Engineer in Chief, Ministry of Defence  
**Peter Droege**, Chair World Council for Renewable Energy & Visiting Prof, University of Beijing, China  
**Bhure Lal**, Member Union Public Service Commission  
**Narayani Ganesh**, Senior Journalist, Times of India Group  
**G K Prasad, IFS**, Director General of Forest & Special Secretary

**Welcome dinner & Himachal Folk dances**      S M Convention Centre      2030 onwards

**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2007**

**Yoga Classes**      S M Convention Centre      0600 – 0700 hrs  
**Breakfast**      0800 – 0845 hrs  
**Concurrent Session 5**      **Combating Climate Change – Moving from Rhetoric to Execution**      0900 – 1030 hrs

**Workshop Session 5A**      **Expert Panel on Legal and Statutory Measures to Combat Climate Change**

**Justice P N Bhagwati**, Member UN Human Rights Committee, Former Chief Justice of India  
**Justice M N Venkatchalliah**, Former Chief Justice of India  
**Ola Ullsten**, Chairman World Council for Corporate Governance, UK  
**Bhure Lal**, Member Union Public Service Commission, Government of India  
**Justice Rajinder Sachar**, Former Chief Justice of Delhi High Court  
**Dr. Klaus Radunsky**, Director Umweltbundesamt Spittelauer Lände, Vienna  
**Ranjana Kumar**, Vigilance Commissioner, Government of India

<b>Workshop Session 5B</b>	<p><b>Pricing Natural Capital in the Balance Sheets – What gets measured gets done</b></p> <p><b>Dr. Rev. Graham Wilson</b>, Oxford UK  <b>Subhash Rustogi</b>, Executive Vice President, ITC Ltd  <b>Dr Manu Kulkarni</b>, Member National Commission Population &amp; Professor Emeritus, SIT, Tumkur  <b>Sandip Tandan</b>, USAID  <b>Martin Herrndorf</b>, UNEP/Wuppertal Institute Collaborating Centre on Sustainable Consumption &amp; Production, Germany  <b>Abishek Jain IAS</b>, Additional Deputy Commissioner, Himachal Pradesh</p>	
<b>Workshop Session 5C</b>	<p><b>Building a Low Carbon Brand &amp; Creating Shareholder Value</b></p> <p><b>V S Mathur</b>, Head of Environment, Tata Chemicals Ltd  <b>Dr Kavi Arya</b>, Mahindra &amp; Mahindra  <b>P K Raghavan</b>, Vedanta Group  <b>Prof. Costas Helmis</b>, Head of Dept. for Applied Physics, University of Athens</p> <p><b>Steps by aviation sector to decarbonise flying</b></p> <p><b>Presentations</b> by Jetair, Air India, Air Deccan and Kingfisher</p>	
<b>Tea / coffee</b>		1030 – 1045 hrs
<b>Plenary session – 6</b>	<b>Combating Climate Change Through Market Driven Solution</b>	1045 – 1115 hrs
<b>Keynote address</b>	<p><b>Baroness Amos*</b>, Leader of UK's House of Lords &amp; Chair Privy Council  <b>Paul Simpson</b>, Chief Operating Officer, Carbon Disclosure Project, UK</p>	1115 – 1230 hrs
<b>Plenary Session – 7</b>	<b>Panel Discussion: Making Business Sense of Climate Change</b>	
<b>Panelists</b>	<p><b>Dr Olivier Giscard d'Esataing</b>, Founder &amp; Chairman INSEAD, France  <b>Pinaki Bhattacharya</b>, Director, New Energy Capital, U.S.A.  <b>Dr Jurgeon Bischoff</b>, Director, ASEM Germany  <b>Prof G K Chadha</b>, Member Prime Minister Economy Advisory Council  <b>R K Sethi</b>, Director (Climate Change), Minister of Env &amp; Forest  <b>Mehmed Cero</b>, Minister for Environment, Bosnia</p>	
<b>Concurrent Session 8 Workshop</b>	<b>Climate Change - Impact, Vulnerability Mitigation and Adaptation</b>	1230 – 1330 hrs
<b>Keynote Address</b>	<b>Prof (Dr) V L Chopra</b> , Member Planning Commission, Govt of India	
<b>Workshop 8 A</b>	<p><b>Radically Enhancing Resource Efficiency</b></p> <p><b>A A Nambi</b>, Project Director, Climate Change Project, M S Swaminathan Research Foundation  <b>Dr K K Katoch</b>, Director Extensive Education, CSKHPKV, Palampur  <b>Prof. B L Kapur</b>, Professor Training, CSKHPKV, Palampur  <b>D K Gupta</b>, Chief Engineer IPH, Himachal</p>	
<b>Workshop 8 B</b>	<p><b>Disaster Mitigation Strategies</b></p> <p><b>Prof Absomsuda Siripong</b>, Chulalongkom University, Thailand  <b>Dr P K Joshi</b>, Director, NCAP  <b>Dr K K Dutta</b>, Principal Scientist, NCAP  <b>Dr D C Sharma</b>, HPKV  <b>S Syal, R S Chauhan, Y Meduri</b>, Vice Chancellor, Jaypee University of IT</p>	

<b>Workshop 8 C</b>	<p><b>Turning to Renewables and investing in green issues</b>  <b>Ajay Mathur</b>, Director General Bureau of Energy Efficiency  <b>Pinaki Bhattacharya</b>, Director, New Energy Capital, U.S.A.  <b>Peter Droege</b>, Chair World Council for Renewable Energy  <b>Dr Ming Yang</b>, International Energy Agency, France  <b>A I Sddiqui &amp; Dr Jitender Singh</b>, NPCIL  <b>Ashwini Kumar Goel</b>, Managing Director Hydro Power  <b>Dr Manmohan Kalia</b>, Dean College of Basic Sciences, HKPV</p>	
<b>Lunch</b>		1330 – 1415 hrs
<b>Concurrent Session 9 Workshop Workshop 9 A</b>	<p><b>Clean Development Mechanism and Carbon Trading – A Window of Opportunity</b>  <b>Offsetting Carbon – Does It Really Help?</b>  <b>Liyan Li, Dy Director</b>, Office of Climate Change, China  <b>Dr S K Devotta</b>, Director NEERI, Nagpur  <b>Suruchi Budhwal</b>, Convenor Centre for Global Environmental Research, TERI  <b>Nitu Goel</b>, Nutritional Centre for Global Environmental Research, TERI</p>	1415 - 1545 hrs
<b>Workshop 9 B</b>	<p><b>GHG Market – Climate Exchange and Carbon trading</b>  <b>Dr Michael Walsh</b>, Executive Vice President, Chicago Climate Exchange, USA  <b>Markus Wypior</b>, Project Manager German Technical Cooperation  <b>Dr Vivek Kumar</b>, Associate Fellow, The Energy &amp; Resource Institute (TERI)  <b>Lt Gen JS Ahluwalia</b>, CEO IOD</p>	
<b>Workshop 9 C</b>	<p><b>Development and Validation of CDM Projects</b>  <b>Neeta Hooda</b>, United Nations Framework Convention for Climate Change, Bonn, Germany  <b>Rakesh Verma IAS</b>, Additional Director General, Bureau of Indian Standards  <b>Dr Betina de Campos</b>, Dy Director GTZ  <b>Pamposh Bhat</b>, Director Climate Change Unit (GTZ)  <b>Raghuvash Saxena</b>, British Council  <b>Dr SK Puri</b>, CEO of NQAQSR</p>	
<b>Tea</b>		1530 – 1545 hrs
<b>Concurrent Session 10 Workshop Keynote Speaker</b>	<p><b>Climate Change and Agriculture</b>  <b>Sharad Joshi</b>, Member of Parliament &amp; Chairman Kisan Coordination Committee</p>	1545 – 1700 hrs
<b>Workshop 10 A</b>	<p><b>Climate Change – The Impact on Agri-business and Marine Culture</b>  <b>Professors Mohammed E Mahmoud, Ahmed H Mohamed, Musa A Ahmed &amp; Kamal A. Mwafi</b>, University of Khartoun, Sudan  <b>Dr D S Rathore</b>, Vice Chancellor, H P Agricultural University  <b>Prof. Suchita Sharmin</b>, University of Dacca, Bangladesh  <b>Prof Atiur Rahman</b>, University of Dacca, Bangladesh  <b>Dr Ashok K Raina</b>, Managing Director Phytotron Agro Products  <b>Dr J R Dhanze</b>, Dean College of Fisheries, Tripura  Presentations by <b>Pepsi, Reliance, Walmart</b> and <b>Bharti</b></p>	
<b>Workshop 10 B</b>	<p><b>The Food Miles Debate – The Trade Offs and Opportunities</b>  <b>Dr Jennifer Clapp</b>, CIGI Chair in International Governance &amp; Associate Professor, University of Waterloo, Canada</p>	

**Caleb Wall**, Director Localis, Italy  
**Pradeep Chaturvedi**, Advisor FAO  
**Radhna Gupta, S R Malhotra & Rajni Modgil**, Food Science & Nutrition, HPAU

<b>Workshop 10 C</b>	<b>Strategies for Minimising Carbon Footprint</b> <b>Dr R R Souds</b> , Executive Director, NTPC <b>Anil Grover &amp; H R Murthy</b> , Bhilai Steel Plant <b>S K Sankar</b> , Eureka Forbes <b>Sharat Sing</b> , Director Forest Research Institute <b>Lehmbar Singh</b> , Executive Director ONGC	
<b>Concurrent Session 11 Workshop</b>	<b>Climate Change - The communication challenge</b>	1700 – 1830 hrs
<b>Workshop 11 A</b>	<b>Socially Responsible Investment and Integrating Climate Risks</b> <b>Sanjay Vashisht</b> , Centre for Global Agreements, Legislation and Trade, TERI <b>Isaac Fokuo</b> , Principal Botho Advisory Group & Senior Consultant Nur Advisors, USA <b>Dr Saroj Mishra</b> , Climate Change Program, Canadian High Commission, India	
<b>Workshop 11 B</b>	<b>Role of Media and NGOs – Catalysing Change to Turn Rhetoric into Execution</b> <b>H K Dua</b> , Editor Tribune <b>Narayani Ganesh</b> , Senior Journalist, Times Group	
<b>Workshop 11 C</b>	<b>Executing Change</b> <b>Puneat Singh</b> , Sieman AG Power Transmission <b>Dr S Kumar</b> , Director NEERI <b>Ashish Ambasta</b> , ITC <b>Dr Vinod Kumar Suri</b> , Vice Chancellor CSA University of Agriculture & Technology <b>P M Gupta</b> , General Manager, Ordnance Factory	
<b>Plenary Session 12</b>	<b>Gala Golden Peacock Awards Nite &amp; Cultural Programme</b> Convention Hall, HPKV, Palampur  <b>Golden Peacock</b> and Essay Competition Awards Presentation  <b>Kavita Dwibedi</b> - Odissi Dance Programme	1900 – 2100 hrs
<b>Congress Banquet</b>	S M Convention Centre	2130 hrs
<b>Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2007</b>		
<b>Yoga Classes</b>	S M Convention Centre	0600-0700 hrs
<b>Breakfast</b>		0745 – 0830 hrs
<b>Plenary Session 13 Chairman</b>	<b>Spirituality and Climate Change</b> <b>Dr Karan Singh</b> , Member Parliament Chairman Indian Council for Cultural Relations & former Union Minister <b>Baba Hardev Singh</b> , Spiritual Head of Nirankari Mission <b>Shri Jauhari Lal</b> , Secretary General & CEO Petrotech <b>Major J D Sharma</b> , Head of Public Relations, Niramakeri Mission	0900 – 9.45 hrs
<b>Winners Forum Part –I</b>	<b>Presentations by Winners of the Golden Peacock Awards</b>	0945 – 1115 hrs
<b>Concurrent Session 14A</b>	<b>Winners of Golden Peacock Environment Management Awards</b>	
<b>Concurrent Session 14B</b>	<b>Winners of Golden Peacock Occupational Health &amp; Safety Awards</b>	
<b>Concurrent Session 14C</b>	<b>Winners of Golden Peacock Eco-innovation Awards [Poster Presentations]</b>	

<b>Coffee /Tea</b>		1115 – 1130 hrs
<b>Concurrent Session 15A</b>	<b>PROACTIVATE A Holistic Solution for the Ailing Planet</b>	1130 – 1300 hrs
<b>Chairman</b>	<b>Mr M V Rajashekharan</b> , Minister of State for Planning, Government of India	
<b>Keynote</b>	<b>Dr M S Swaminathan</b> , Founder & Chairman MSSRF <b>Dr Olivier Giscard D'Estaing</b> , Founder & Chairman INSEAD, France <b>Mr Shankaralingham</b> , Chairman & Managing Director, NTPC <b>Mr Arun Balakrishan</b> , Chairman HPCL	
<b>Concurrent Session 15B</b>	<b>The Carbon Bazar and the Emerging Fuel Market</b>  ITC NTPC IOC Coal India Reliance Energy Reliance Industries Vedanta Group Tata Group	
<b>Plenary Session 16</b>	<b>Presentation of findings of working groups &amp; discussions</b>	1400 – 1515 hrs
<b>Plenary Session 16 Valedictory Session</b>	<b>Climate Change – The Road Ahead</b> <b>Dr Caleb Wall</b> : Summary & Recommendations <b>Vidya Stokes</b> , Power Minister, Himachal Pradesh <b>Richard Sandor</b> , Chairman Chicago Climate Exchange, USA <b>Suresh Prabhu MP</b> , Chairman Water Commission <b>Ms Meenaxi Dutta Dasgupta, IAS</b> , Secretary Panchyati Raj, Govt of India <b>Peter Droege</b> , Chair World Council for Renewable Energy & Visiting Prof, University of Beijing, China <b>H E Shri V S Kokje</b> , Governor of Himachal Pradesh  <b>Golden Peacock Award Presentations</b>	1530 – 1700 hrs
<b>Closing Remarks</b>	<b>Dr Madhav Mehra</b> , President, WCFCG & WEF (UK)	
<b>Tea / Coffee</b>		1700 – 1730 hrs
<b>Departure from Palampur for New Delhi via Chandigarh by AC Deluxe Coach</b>		1730 hrs
<b>Arrival in Delhi</b>		0600 hrs Monday 11 June 2007
<b>Monday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2007</b>		
<b>Departure by 'Air Deccan' from Gagal to New Delhi</b>		0900 hrs

\*Confirmation awaited