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South Asian Energy Regulators Exchange: Towards Institutionalizing a Regional Energy Regulators' Forum

**South Asia Regional Initiative for Energy Integration (SARI/EI)
16th and 17th Dec 2019, New Delhi, India**

Agenda	
16th December 2019 (Monday)	
1030-1100 Hrs	Registration at 20 th Floor, 2020 Hall, Hotel Le Meridien, New Delhi
1100-1230 Hrs	Introduction and discussions towards institutionalization of South Asia Forum of Electricity Regulators (SAFER) Mechanism
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome Address by Mr. Michael Satin, Regional Energy Director, Clean Energy & Environment Office, USAID • Introductory Remarks by Mr. Pankaj Batra, Project Director, SARI/EI, IRADe • Presentation on Key findings of SARI/EI Report on SAFER, Proposed Framework towards formation of such an Institution and further Action Plan by Mr. V. K. Agarwal, Technical Director & Mr. Rajiv Ratna Panda, Technical-Head, SARI/EI, IRADe • Views of Regulators from different Countries: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bangladesh: Mr. Monowar Islam, Chairman, BERC, Bangladesh Bhutan: Mr. Samdrup K Thinley, CEO, Bhutan Electricity Authority India: Dr. S.K.Chatterjee, Chief (Regulatory Affairs) , CERC, India Nepal: Mr. Dilli Bahadur Singh, Chairman, ERC, Nepal Sri Lanka: Mr. Sandun Gamage, Member, PUCSL • Concluding Remarks by Ms. Monali Zeya Hazra, Regional Energy Manager and Clean Energy Specialist, Clean Energy and Environment Office, USAID/India
1230-1400 Hrs	Lunch Break
1400-1430 Hrs	Proceed to CERC by vehicle
1430-1500 Hrs.	Meeting and Discussion with Commission & senior officials of CERC at 3rd floor, CERC Conference room
1500-1600 Hrs.	Meeting and Discussions with Secretary and Chiefs of CERC
17th December 2019 (Tuesday)	
1000 Hrs	Proceed to CERC by vehicle
1030 onwards	Visit to CERC for witnessing the Public Hearing Proceedings at 4 th floor, CERC, Court Room, CERC
1300-1400 Hrs.	Lunch
End of the Program	