

DAY 5, Friday, 06 December 2019

Side-Event on “Sharing of Best Practices in Urban Development”

Host: ICLEI - Local Governments for Sustainability - South Asia

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Programme Schedule (11 AM TO 1 PM)

Time	Topic	Speaker
11:00 to 11:10 AM	Opening remarks & context setting	Mr. Emani Kumar, Deputy Secretary General, ICLEI & Executive Director, ICLEI South Asia
11:10 to 11:20 AM	India's policies and actions for developing climate smart cities	Mr. Kunal Kumar, IAS, Joint Secretary & Mission Director (Smart Cities Mission), Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs, Government of India (tbc)
11:20 to 11:30 AM	Climate change: issues and challenges for Indian urban development	Ms. Richa Sharma, IAS, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India
11:30 to 11:40 AM	Presenting perspective on climate action by local governments in India	Mr. Hitesh Vaidya, Director, National Institute of Urban Affairs (NIUA) (tbc)
11:40 to 11:45 AM	<i>A short film on climate resilient cities in India</i>	
11:45 to 11:55 PM	Climate adaptive heat action plans for the cities	Mr. M J Shah, Joint Secretary, Climate Change Department, Government of Gujarat
11:55 to 12:05 PM	Solar rooftop installations – a way to achieve net zero clean energy access	Mr. Debendra Dalai, IFS, Chief Conservator of Forest, Government of Chandigarh
12:05 to 12:15 PM	Climate Finance	South Pole Representative
12:15 to 12:25 PM	Sharing of best practices in urban development from India	Representative from a city (tbc)
12:25 to 12:35 PM	Nurturing youth for environmental protection	Mr. Mahesh Pandya, Paryavaran Mitra (<i>Janvikas</i>)
12:35 to 12:55 PM	Q&A session moderated by ICLEI South Asia	
12:55 to 01:00 PM	Discussion summary & vote of thanks	Ms. Soumya Chaturvedula - Deputy Director, ICLEI South Asia